

**CITY OF SIMPSONVILLE
REGULAR CITY MEETING MINUTES
CITY COMMISSION ROOM
MARCH 2, 2010 7:00 PM**

Present: Mayor Eden, Commissioners Cummins, McDowell, and Vowels. City Attorney Hays was in attendance as legal council, City Administrator Eaton, Police Chief Chappell, and City Clerk Batliner. Guest: Steve Doyle/Sentinel News.

Absent: Commissioner Wise.

Mayor Eden called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

Pledge.

Mayor Eden presented the minutes from February 17, 2010 regular city meeting for approval and everyone was furnished a copy. **Commissioner McDowell made the motion to accept the minutes as presented. Commissioner Cummins seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Eden presented the minutes from the February 26, 2010 Special called meeting for approval and everyone was not furnished a copy. City Clerk Batliner read the minutes in their entirety. **Commissioner Cummins made the motion to accept the minutes with the correction of Commissioner Wise be noted as absent for the special called meeting. Commissioner Vowels seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Eden presented Ordinance # 2010-003 pertaining to the Village Center zone change for second reading and possible adoption and everyone was furnished a copy. City Attorney Hays read the summary of Ordinance# 2010-003. **Commissioner McDowell made the motion to accept second reading and adoption of Ordinance #2010-003 pertaining to the Village Center zone change. Commissioner Vowels seconded.** A roll called is as follows:

Commissioner Cummins-Yes

Commissioner McDowell-Yes

Commissioner Vowels-Yes

Commissioner Wise-Absent

Mayor Eden-Yes

Ordinance #2010-003 will become effective upon publication of the Sentinel News.

Mayor Eden presented Resolution #2010-002 pertaining to Severe Storm preparedness month for approval and everyone was furnished a copy. Mayor Eden read Resolution # 2010-002. **Commissioner Cummins made the motion to accept Resolution #2010-002 and authorize Mayor Eden to sign the Resolution #2010-002 pertaining to Severe Storm preparedness month. Commissioner McDowell seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Eden recognized the Commissioner's Reports:

Commissioner Wise-Absent.

Commissioner McDowell had nothing at this time.

Commissioner Cummins had nothing at this time.

Commissioner Vowels had nothing at this time.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Attorney's Report: City Attorney Hays advised accepted the real estate contract has been accepted. The closing will be Friday March 5, 2010.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Administrator's Report: City Administrator Eaton had nothing at this time.

Mayor Eden recognized the Police Department's Report: Police Chief Chappell had nothing at this time.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Clerk's Report: City Clerk Batliner had nothing at this time.

Commissioner McDowell made the motion to adjourn. Commissioner Vowels seconded. Motion carried unanimously. The meeting concluded approximately 7:15 pm.

Debbie Batliner/City Clerk

Steve Eden/ Mayor