

**City of Camden**  
South Carolina

**MINUTES**  
**CAMDEN CITY COUNCIL MEETING**

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Tuesday, October 9, 2012

6:30 P.M.

Council Chambers-City Hall

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Mayor Jeffrey R. Graham; Councilmember Patrick D. Partin; Councilmember Walter M. Long, Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem Alfred Mae Drakeford, and X. Willard Polk; City Manager W. Kevin Bronson (absent); City Clerk Brenda Davis; Assistant City Manager Mel Pearson; Chronicle-Independent Reporter Martin Cahn and interested citizens.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**INVOCATION**

Councilmember Alfred Mae Drakeford gave the invocation.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Jeffrey R. Graham called the Camden City Council Meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

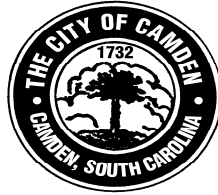
Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Partin, voted unanimously to adopt the September 20, 2012, Special Meeting Minutes, the September 25, 2012, Work Session Meeting Minutes and the September 25, 2012, City Council Regular Meeting Minutes.

**PROCLAMATION**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Polk, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to proclaim the week of October 7<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> as Public Power Week. City Electric, Technical & Safety Superintendent, Jerry Marthers were present to receive the proclamation.

**PROCLAMATION**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Polk, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to proclaim the week of October 7<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> as Fire Prevention Week. Chief John Bowers and Assistant Chief Eddie Gardner were in attendance to receive the proclamation.



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**PROCLAMATION**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Partin, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to proclaim the week of October 15<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> as Antiques Week. Hope Cooper of the Steeple Chase Foundation was in attendance to receive the proclamation.

**PROCLAMATION**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Partin, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to proclaim the month of October as Crime Prevention Month. Chief Joseph Floyd was in attendance to receive the proclamation.

**PROCLAMATION**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to proclaim the month of October as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Dr. Shawn Conwell, Wanda Millinski and Joan Flynn were in attendance to receive the proclamation.

**PUBLIC FORUM**

**Paddy Bell**, 2 Pinetop Road, spoke during the public forum regarding her concerns on the proposed sports complex and the wording of the referendum question to be placed on the ballot in November.

**RESOLUTION #12-022**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Long, followed by discussion from Council, voted unanimously to approve a Resolution approving the execution and delivery of an agreement regarding certain encroachments onto the property of Moultrie B. Burns; and other matters relating thereto.

**ADJOURN**

There being no further business, Council on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Long, voted unanimously to adjourn the Council Meeting at 6:56 p.m.

Attest:

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Jeffrey R. Graham, Mayor

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Brenda Davis, City Clerk