

**City of Camden**  
South Carolina

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

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Tuesday, January 8, 2013

6:30 P.M.

Council Chambers-City Hall

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Mayor Anthony P. Scully; Mayor Pro-Tem X. Willard Polk; Councilmember Walter M. Long, Jr., Councilmember Alfred Mae Drakeford and Councilmember Laurel M. Parks; City Clerk Brenda Davis; Assistant City Manager Mel Pearson; Chronicle-Independent Reporter Denise Schnese and interested citizens.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**INVOCATION**

Mayor Anthony P. Scully gave the invocation.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Anthony P. Scully called the Camden City Council Meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Parks, seconded by Councilmember Polk, voted unanimously to adopt the December 11, 2012, City Council Work Session Meeting Minutes and the December 11, 2012, City Council Regular Meeting Minutes.

**SPECIAL PRESENTATION**

Ms. Laura Thiel Shull, Chairman of the SC Equine Promotion Foundation presented a brief presentation to Council of the history of the foundation activities within the past year(s). In addition, seeking funds to support the SC Equine Promotion Foundation's upcoming capital projects.

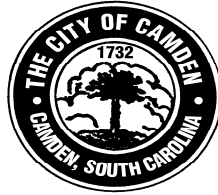
There was general discussion from Council regarding this matter. Councilmember Long suggested Council discuss the requested funds at an upcoming work session.

**PUBLIC FORUM**

There were no public comments.

**ORDINANCE #12-029 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, followed by comment from Interim City Attorney Lawrence Flynn, voted unanimously to approve second reading of an Ordinance authorizing the Termination of a Right of Way permit described in the aforesaid Deed Book EX, at Page 138 in exchange for the acquisition of an alternate utility easement from the present property owner, Family Dollar Stores of South Carolina, Inc.



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**ORDINANCE #12-028 1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

Council on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Long, followed by general discussion from Council, voted unanimously to approve first reading of an Ordinance amending and restating the City of Camden's Purchasing Policies and Procedures.

**ORDINANCE: #13-001 1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, voted unanimously to approve the first reading of an Ordinance assigning a final zoning classification to property located at 120 Welsh Street.

**ORDINANCE: #13-002 1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, voted unanimously to approve the first reading of an Ordinance assigning a final zoning classification to property located at 203 Welsh Street.

**ORDINANCE: #13-003 1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, voted unanimously to approve the first reading of an Ordinance assigning a final zoning classification to property located at 206 Welsh Street.

**RESOLUTION #13-001**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to approve a Resolution to support the Municipal Association's 2013 legislative agenda to direct more local decision making to the local elected officials that govern the state's 270 cities and towns.

**RESOLUTION #13-002**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Parks, voted unanimously to approve a Resolution to provide a work environment free of recognized hazards through the establishment and implementation of loss control policies and procedures, and their subsequent amendments and additions, designed to provide protection to City employees, public and private property, and members of the public.

**RESOLUTION #13-003**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to pass a Resolution approving an amendment to a Wastewater Treatment agreement in principle between South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC), Central Midlands Council of Governments, Santee-Lynches Regional Council of Governments, Palmetto Utilities, Richland County, City of Camden, and Kershaw County.



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**FAÇADE GRANT**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Long, voted unanimously to approve the façade grants application in the amount of \$4,200.00 with a city match of \$2,100.00 – for 1020 Broad Street (front entrance), The Venue on Broad.

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Council, on motion by Councilmember Polk, seconded by Councilmember Long, voted unanimously to approve the façade grants application in the amount of \$4,000.00 with a city match of \$2,000.00 – for 1020 Broad Street (rear entrance), The Venue on Broad.

**ADJOURN**

There being no further business, Council on motion by Councilmember Long, seconded by Councilmember Polk, voted unanimously adjourned the Council meeting at 7:00 p.m.

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Mayor Anthony P. Scully, Mayor

Attest:

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Brenda Davis, City Clerk