



**City of Camden**  
South Carolina

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

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Tuesday, August 13, 2013

6:30 P.M.

Council Chambers-City Hall

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Mayor Anthony P. Scully (absent); Mayor Pro-Tem X. Willard Polk; Councilmember Walter M. Long, Jr., (absent); Councilmember Alfred Mae Drakeford and Councilmember Laurel M. Parks; City Clerk Brenda Davis; City Manager Mel Pearson; Chronicle-Independent Editor Martin Cahn and interested citizens.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**INVOCATION**

Councilmember Alfred Mae Drakeford gave the invocation.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Pro-Tem X. Willard Polk 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 Drakeford, voted unanimously to adopt the July 23, 2013, City Council Work Session Meeting Minutes and the July 23, 2013, City Council Regular Meeting Minutes.

**PROCLAMATION**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Parks, voted unanimously to proclaim the month of August 2013 as Farmers Market Month.

**PUBLIC FORUM**

There were no public comments.

**ORDINANCE #13-016 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Parks, voted unanimously to approve second reading of an Ordinance amending and restating Chapter 100 of the City of Camden Code of Ordinances the provisions of which regulate public trees within the city.

**ORDINANCE #13-017 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Parks, followed by comments from City Planner Shawn Putman to amend the Ordinance - adding the language "including all abutting SCDOT right-of-way", voted unanimously to approve second reading of an Ordinance annexing property located at 2175 West DeKalb Street, and assigning an Interim Zoning Classification of GD.



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**RESOLUTION #13-027**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Parks, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, followed by discussion, voted unanimously to approve a Resolution authorizing consumption of beer and wine at the 24 Hours LeMons Parade.

**RESOLUTION #13-028**

Council, on motion by Councilmember Parks, seconded by Councilmember Drakeford, followed by comments from Kristen Cobb and discussion from Council, voted unanimously to approve a Resolution appropriating the expenditure of Hospitality Tax Funds in the amount of \$5,000 for the Fine Arts Center-Kershaw County Blues Festival.

**ADJOURN**

There being no further business, Council, on motion by Councilmember Drakeford, seconded by Councilmember Parks, voted unanimously to adjourn the Council meeting at 6:55 p.m.

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Mayor Pro Tem X. Willard Polk

Attest:

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Brenda Davis, City Clerk