



## BAMBERG COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

Monday, January 7, 2019 - 6:30 P.M.

Bamberg County Courthouse Annex (*Council Chamber – Room 113*)

1234 North Street

Bamberg, South Carolina 29003

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### **PRESIDING - COUNCIL CHAIRMAN CLINT CARTER**

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**(Anyone wishing to address the council during the public portion of this meeting, in order to be recognized, please be certain to sign the appropriate roster that will be provided for you prior the beginning of this meeting.)**

#### **A. CALL TO ORDER**

#### **B. INVOCATION** - Reverend Isaiah Odom - *District #5*

#### **C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** - Councilman Joe Guess, Jr. - *District #4*

#### **D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. December 3, 2018
2. December 17, 2018 (*Special Called Meeting*)

#### **E. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

#### **F. PUBLIC PRESENTATION**

1. CONSIDERATION RE: Swearing In of Re-Elected County Council Members:  
**Hon. Councilwoman Sharon Hammond - Dist. #2**  
**Hon. Councilman Larry Haynes - Dist. #3**  
**Hon. Councilman Evert Comer, Jr. - Dist. #6**  
(Sworn in by the Honorable Probate Judge Sarah Guess Noel)

2. CONSIDERATION RE: Changing of Gavel from Past Chairman Clint Carter to New Chairman for the Year 2019 Councilman Kerry Trent Kinard - Council District #1.

3. CONSIDERATION RE: Selection of Vice Chairman by District Rotation as Set Forth by Bamberg County Council Policy.  
Councilwoman Sharon Hammond - Council District #2.



4. CONSIDERATION RE: Update and Report on Denmark Technical College.  
**(DR. CHRISTOPHER J. HALL, INTERIM PRESIDENT, DENMARK TECHNICAL COLLEGE)**
5. CONSIDERATION RE: Bamberg County First Steps Receives National Recognition as a Blue Ribbon Affiliate.  
**(MS. PAULETTA PLOWDEN, EXEC. DIRECTOR)**

## **G. PUBLIC HEARING**

1. CONSIDERATION RE:

## **H. COMMITTEE AND STAFF REPORTS**

1. Update from the SCRDA.  
**(SOUTHERNCAROLINA REPRESENTATIVE)**
2. Update from the Bamberg County Chamber of Commerce.  
**(MR. JERRY BELL, BAMBERG COUNTY CHAMBER DIRECTOR)**
3. Update of Bamberg County's Treasurer Report.  
**(TREASURER ALICE JOHNSON)**
4. Update of Bamberg County's Financial Report.  
**(FINANCE DIRECTOR T. M. THOMAS)**  
**(CONTROLLER GINA SMITH)**
5. Overview of Bamberg County Operations.  
**(ADMINISTRATOR JOEY PRESTON)**

## **I. REPORTS FROM THE BAMBERG COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBERS**

1. SCA - **(HAYNES, COMER & ODOM)**
2. Lower Savannah COG - **(CARTER, HAMMOND & HAYNES)**
3. Lower Savannah COG (TAC) - **(KINARD)**
4. LSCOG Housing Consortium - **(GUESS)**

## **J. ORDINANCE**

1. CONSIDERATION RE:

## **K. RESOLUTION**

1. CONSIDERATION RE: Proposed Resolution Establishing Written Public Notice Of Bamberg County Council Meeting Schedule For Calendar Year 2019.



**L. CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**M. OTHER ITEMS**

1. CONSIDERATION RE: Reappointment of Mr. Jerry Halmon to the Thoroughbred Country Tourism Advisory Committee With Term Expiring January 2022.
2. CONSIDERATION RE: Reappointment of Ms. Rena Riddle to the Thoroughbred Country Tourism Advisory Committee With Term Expiring January 2023.
3. CONSIDERATION RE: Discussion and Possible Date for 2019 Bamberg County Council's Planning Retreat.

**N. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

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**Time limit for each individual is 3 minutes.**

**O. COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS**

**P. COMMENTS FROM NEWS MEDIA**

**Q. VOTE FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**R. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

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| 1. Economic Development<br><i>(None at this time)</i> | 3. Personnel Matter<br><i>(None at this time)</i> |
| 2. Contractual Matter<br><i>(None at this time)</i>   | 4. Legal Matter<br><i>(None at this time)</i>     |

**S. VOTE TO RECONVENE IN PUBLIC SESSION AND TO ACT ON EXECUTIVE SESSION MATTER(S)**

**T. VOTE FOR ADJOURNMENT**

**U. ADJOURNMENT**