

# **TOWN OF WILLIAMSTON**

## **Regular Meeting**

**January 8, 2018**

### **Meeting Minutes**

(All newspapers were informed of this meeting in compliance with the guidelines set forth in the Freedom of Information Act)

1. Call to Order

Mayor Durham called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. All members of Council were present.

2. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance

Pastor Johnson led the invocation and Mayor Durham led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Councilman Harvell to accept the December 4, 2017 minutes as presented. The motion was seconded by Councilman Alexander. Everyone voted in favor.

4. Public Comments

Public comments were heard from Terry Fagen about the new water meters. Public Comments were heard from Bonnie McCullough and Mabel Slade about the crime on East Carolina Street.

5. Presentations

Debbie Chapman and Sonya Crandall presented awards to the winners of the "Deck the Hall's" and the Christmas Park displays. Chief Taylor gave an update on the police department. Sonya Crandall updated the Council on the Envision Williamston program. Community Liaison, Debbie Chapman, gave a report to Council on Code Enforcement for the year.

6. Resolution Recognizing the Palmetto Mustang Cheerleaders for their Accomplishments

Mayor Durham made a motion to pass the resolution. The motion was seconded by Councilman Burgess. All voted in favor.

7. Second Reading on an Ordinance Establishing Temporary Business Licenses

A motion was made by Councilman Burgess to pass the Ordinance on second reading.

The motion was seconded by Councilman Hagood. Everyone voted in favor.

8. Second Reading on an Ordinance Amending the Garbage Collection Fee  
Councilman Alexander made a motion to pass the Ordinance on second reading.  
The motion was seconded by Councilman Hagood. Everyone voted in favor.
9. Executive Session – Contractual Agreement  
Mayor Durham made a motion to enter into executive session. The motion was seconded by Councilman Burgess. Everyone voted in favor. A motion was made by Mayor Durham to re-enter into public session. The motion was seconded by Councilman Burgess. Everyone voted in favor.
10. Adjourn  
Mayor Durham made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman Burgess. Everyone voted in favor.

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DR. R. MACK DURHAM, MAYOR

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MICHELLE STARNES, CLERK / TREASURER