

AGENDA Orangeburg City Council 933 Middleton Street September 2, 2025 6:00 PM

- 1. Consideration of June 23, 2025, DPU Budget Workshop Minutes
- 2. Consideration of August 15, 2025, Special Meeting Minutes
- 3. Consideration of August 19, 2025, City Council Minutes

RECOGNITION OF SEPTEMBER COMMUNITY OF CHARACTER TRAIT

Determined is having made a firm decision and being resolved not to change it

PRESENTATION

Recognition of City of Orangeburg Parks and Recreation Baseball Champions

APPEARANCES

Dr. Shawn Foster, Orangeburg County School District Superintendent

Mrs. Brenda Jamerson, the Samaritan House

OLD BUSINESS

- 4. Third reading of an ordinance amending the budget for the City of Orangeburg, SC for the Fiscal Year October 1, 2024, through September 30, 2025
- 5. Third reading of an ordinance to adopt a budget for the City of Orangeburg, SC for the Fiscal Year October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2026
- 6. Second reading of an ordinance amending Chapter 5 (Police Regulations) of the City Code, by adding Section 5-31 (Hate Intimidation)

NEW BUSINESS

7. Review and approval of Accommodations Tax Advisory Committee recommendations

MATTERS PERTAINING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

- 8. Third reading of an ordinance to amend the budget for the operation of the Department of Public Utilities of the City of Orangeburg for the Fiscal Year October 1, 2024, through September 30, 2025
- 9. Third reading of an ordinance to adopt a budget for the operation of the Department of Public Utilities of the City of Orangeburg for the Fiscal Year October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2026, (2) adopt amended Electric rates effective October 1, 2025, (3) adopt amended Natural Gas rates effective October 1, 2025, (4) adopt amended Water rates effective October 1, 2025, and (5) adopt amended Wastewater rates effective October 1, 2025

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MATTERS PERTAINING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

- 10. A resolution authorizing and approving the acceptance of certain loan assistance monies from the South Carolina Water Quality Revolving Fund Authority; authorizing the Mayor to Execute that Certain Loan Assistance Agreement
- 11. Announcement DPU Electric Division awarded grant for upgrades through the Grid Resilience Grant Program

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- 12. Discussion of negotiations incident to proposed contractual arrangements and/or receipt of legal advice S.C. Code Sec. 30-4-70(a)(2)
 - a) Rowe Street Park
 - b) Livingston House Lease
 - c) Orangeburg Municipal Airport Hangars
 - d) Audit Bid
 - e) Duke Energy of South Carolina
- 13. Discussion of employment, appointment, compensation, promotion, demotion, discipline or release of an employee, a student or a person regulated by a public body, or the appointment of a person to a public body S.C. Code Sec. 30-4-70(a)(1) Municipal Court

RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

14. Authorizing the DPU Manager to Sign an Implementation Agreement with Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC

Sidney Evering, II City Administrator

COUNCIL MAY ENTER EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS ANY ITEM(S) PERMITTED BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT TO BE DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

<u>COUNCIL MAY ELECT TO RETURN TO OPEN SESSION AND VOTE ON ANY MATTERS DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION.</u>

Meeting will be available for live public viewing on the City's Facebook account at https://www.facebook.com/cityoforangeburg. Public comments and/or questions can be made by emailing publiccomment@orangeburg.sc.us.

Community of Character Trait - September "Determined"