

**HAMPTON COUNTY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY; JUNE 19, 2023; 5:00 PM
HAMPTON COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CENTER
200 JACKSON AVENUE, EAST, HAMPTON, SOUTH CAROLINA**

Hampton County Council held a special meeting on Monday, June 19, 2023, 5:00 p. m. Council Member(s) present: Noah O. Alexander, Chairman; Darin Williams, Vice Chairman and Camille M. Welch. Council Member(s) absent: Roy Hollingsworth and Jordan J. “JJ” Jinks. Staff present: Heather Simmons Jones, Interim County Administrator, Aline Newton, Clerk to Council and A. G. Solomons, Jr., County Attorney. Staff absent: None. Wilson Holland, Hampton County IT was present. The meeting was advertised as prescribed by law.

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman Alexander called the meeting to order at 5:01 p. m.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION:

Council Member Jinks gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Vice Chairman Williams.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

ADOPTION OF THE JUNE 19, 2023 HAMPTON COUNTY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA:

Chairman Alexander asked for the approval of the agenda. **Moved** by Council Member Jinks, seconded by Council Member Welch, to approve the June 19, 2023 Hampton County Council Special Meeting Agenda. Council Member Jinks inquired if it was legal to move the executive session matter, Legal Advice Related to the Arts Discussion, to the next meeting at 5:30 p. m so that council can have all the discussion at one time. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Council Member Jinks, seconded by Council Member Welch, to move the Legal Advice Related to the Arts Discussion (executive session) to the next meeting and discuss all at once. Motion carried.

Moved by Council Member Jinks, seconded by Council Member Welch, to rescind the approval of the agenda and executive session matters and discuss the matters from the 4:00 p. m. retreat. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Council Member Jinks, to remove items 4.1 and 5.1 and add to the 5:00 p. m. agenda and under Council Briefings items from the 4:00 p. m. retreat. County Attorney Solomons provided some guidance. There was no second.

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

LEGAL ADVICE REGARDING THE ARTS DISCUSSION:

Item moved to 5:30 p. m. meeting

REPORT OUT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION

LEGAL ADVICE REGARDING THE ARTS DISCUSSION:

Item moved to 5:30 p. m. meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Vice Council Member Jinks, seconded by Council Member Welch, to adjourn.
Motion carried unanimously. Chairman Alexander adjourned the meeting.