

**CITY OF NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SOUTH CAROLINA
NORTH MYRTLE BEACH CITY HALL
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, October 16, 2023, 7:00 PM**

Minutes

1. ROLL CALL:

Mayor Hatley called the meeting to order and asked the Clerk to call the roll.

Marilyn Hatley
JO Baldwin
Bubba Collins
Fred Coyne
Nicole Fontana
Trey Skidmore
Hank Thomas

A quorum was established.

1B. CONTINUATION OF CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Hatley asked Manager Mahaney to deliver the invocation.

Mayor Hatley led the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. MINUTES:

The motion to approve the minutes for the City Council Meeting of Monday, October 2, 2023, as presented, was made by Councilman Collins and seconded by Councilwoman Fontana. The motion to approve passed 7-0.

3. COMMUNICATIONS:

Mayor Hatley presented a Proclamation to the North Myrtle Beach Woman’s Club noting the outstanding job they did taking care of the community and children. She noted the money they raise goes back into the North Myrtle Beach community. She invited everyone to attend the “Walk in Her Shoes” event at the Sports Complex on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at 10:00 AM to raise funds for domestic violence victims.

Mayor Hatley presented a Proclamation to Henry C. “Dick” Hester honoring him for his years of service to the City of North Myrtle Beach and many civic clubs. She congratulated him on his retirement from the North Myrtle Beach Historical Museum which he was instrumental in starting.

Mayor Hatley stated the Departmental Reports for September 2023 were available online.

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL:

Mayor Hatley reiterated for everyone to attend “Walk in Her Shoes” on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at 10:00 AM at the Sports Complex. She explained the event was to bring awareness to domestic violence and raise money for victims.

Mayor Hatley asked everyone to remember the people of Israel and those in Gaza in prayer. She announced that a prayer vigil was tentatively planned for October 27, 2023, at the Sports Complex and encouraged everyone to attend.

Councilman Collins stated that a good time was had at Pickleball with the Stars. Councilman Thomas shared the Long Bay Symphony concert was spectacular. Mayor Pro Tempore Baldwin added there was a great turnout and the concert was enjoyed by all.

5. CONSENT AGENDA:

- A. RESOLUTION: 15th Judicial Circuit Traffic Enforcement Mutual Aid Agreement
- B. MOTION TO APPROVE: Fun in the Sun on October 28, 2023
- C. MOTION TO APPROVE: ShamROCK-N-Run NMB on March 23, 2024

Mayor Hatley asked the Council to consider Items 5A-5C together and read the Items by title. Mayor Hatley called for a motion. The motion to approve was made by Mayor Pro Tempore Baldwin and seconded by Councilman Thomas. Mayor Hatley added the Mutual Aid Agreement was done annually between all law enforcement agencies in the area and added if they need us, we go. If we need them, they come.

Having no further comment from Council or public, Mayor Hatley called for a vote. The motion to approve passed 7-0.

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

ORDINANCE/SECOND READING: Petition for Annexation and Zoning Designation for ± 0.59 acres on Cenith Drive. Mayor Hatley read the ordinance by title and called for a motion. The motion to approve was made by Councilman Collins and seconded by Councilwoman Fontana.

Having no comment from the Council or public, Mayor Hatley called for a vote. The motion to approve passed 7-0.

7. NEW BUSINESS:

ORDINANCE/FIRST READING: Amend Chapter 7, Business License, Taxes, and Regulations, of the Code of Ordinances for North Myrtle Beach, South Carolina to update the Class Schedule as required by Act 176 of 2020. Mayor Hatley read the ordinance by title and called for a motion. The motion to approve was made by Mayor Pro Tempore Baldwin and seconded by Councilwoman Fontana. Mayor Hatley stated Act 176 required every municipality to update their class schedule.

Having no further comment from the Council or public, Mayor Hatley called for a vote. The motion to approve passed 7-0.

8. PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Mayor Hatley thanked everyone for attending and called for a motion to adjourn. The motion was made by Mayor Pro Tempore Baldwin and seconded by Councilwoman Fontana. The motion passed 7-0. The meeting adjourned at 7:24 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Allison K. Galbreath, City Clerk

MARILYN HATLEY, MAYOR

Minutes approved and adopted this 6th day of November 2023