

**JOURNAL OF THE COUNCIL  
CITY OF SOUTH CHARLESTON**

The council met in its chambers in City Hall on February 21, 2008 at 7:30 p.m., EDT for the second meeting and was called to order by Mayor Mullens.

Margie Spence, City Clerk, called the roll and the following members were present:

Ben Paul	Dayton Griffith
Kent Rymer	Sonny Holstine
Jef Stevens	Geri Jude
	Mayor Mullens

Absent was: Jeff Means and Paul Neal

It was moved by Mr. Paul; seconded by Mr. Griffith to approve the minutes of the February 7, 2008 meeting. This passed by a unanimous voice vote.

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**PRAYER**

Offered by Dayton Griffith.

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**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Led by Margie Spence.

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**ALSO IN ATTENDANCE:**

Margie Spence, City Clerk  
 Jim Wood Chief, Fire Department  
 Brad Rinehart, Chief, Police Department  
 Danny Smith, Director, SCCC  
 Carlton Lee, City Manager  
 Tony Withrow, City Treasurer  
 Susan Riggs, Attorney  
 Steve DeBarr, Director, Sanitary Board

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**MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

Mr. Paul moved to approve the minutes of the Regular Council meeting of February 7, 2008; seconded by Mr. Griffith and passed by a unanimous voice vote.

## **FINANCIAL REPORT**

It was moved by Mr. Griffith; seconded by Mr. Paul to approve the financial report. This passed by a unanimous voice vote.

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## **PETITIONS, COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC HEARINGS**

### **RECOGNIZE HAROLD SUMMERS – MAGISTRATE CANDIDATE (GRIFFITH)**

Mr. Griffith recognized Mr. Summers who spoke to council and asked for their support for candidate for magistrate in the upcoming election.

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH CHARESTON TO APPROVE THE LEASE OF REAL PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF SOUTH CHARLESTON TO CELLCO PARTNERSHIP d/b/a VERIZON WIRELESS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER AND THE AUTHORIZATION OF MAYOR FRANK MULLENS TO EXECUTE SAID LEASE (MAYOR)**

It was moved by Mr. Griffith; seconded by Mr. Paul to approve the resolution. This passed by a unanimous voice vote.

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## **BIDS**

None.

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**REPORT OF CITY ATTORNEY** – No written report.

**REPORT OF PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR** – No written report.

**REPORT OF POLICE CHIEF** – No written report. Chief Rinehart reported four new police vehicles had recently been purchased with up to date equipment. The Chief thanked council for the purchase of the vehicles.

**REPORT OF FIRE CHIEF** – Submitted a written report.

**REPORT OF RECREATION COMMITTEE** – No written report.

**REPORT OF CITY TREASURER** – No written report.

**REPORT OF SANITARY BOARD MANAGER** – No written report.

**REPORT OF CITY MANAGER** – No written report. Mr. Lee gave an update on residential delinquent municipal service fees. He stated 776 residents were past due and to date 103 have been received. The city will continue to pursue the remainder.

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**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

None.

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**OLD BUSINESS**

None.

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**NEW BUSINESS**

None.

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**MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS**

None.

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**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Paul moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Ms. Jude and passed by a unanimous voice vote.

Mayor Mullens adjourned the meeting at 8:00 p.m.

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**APPROVAL**

Approved this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2008.

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Frank A. Mullens, Jr. Mayor

ATTEST:

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Margie Spence, City Clerk

