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The council met in its chambers in City Hall on December 17, 2009 at 7:30 p.m., SDT 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 Sonny Holstine
Linda Anderson Kent Rymer
Dayton Griffith Paul Neal
Sonny Holstine Jeff Means
Mayor Mullens

PRAYER

Offered by Dayton Griffith.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Margie Spence.

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

Margie Spence, City Clerk
Danny Smith, Recreation Director
James Wood, Fire Chief
Brad Rinehart, Police Chief
Steve DeBarr, Sanitary Board Manager/Engineer
Carlton Lee, City Manager
Mark Clark, City Attorney
Hanna Pettit, City Treasurer

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Mr. Neal moved to approve the minutes of the Regular Council meeting of December 3, 2009; seconded by Mr. Paul and passed by a unanimous voice vote.

FINANCIAL REPORT

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

PETITIONS, COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC HEARINGS

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND RE-ADOPT SECTION 733.36 ARTICLE 733 REGARDING PAWNBROKERS RECORDKEEPING AND REPORTING OF TRANSACTIONS (SECOND READING) (MAYOR)

It was moved by Mr. Paul; seconded by Mr. Means to adopt the ordinance.

Mayor Mullens recognized attorney Mark Clark who stated minor verbiages changes were made in the ordinance.

Jef Stevens was recognized and stated he opposed the ordinance as he felt it ordained search without reason or justification.

After discussion, the ordinance passed with an 8-1 roll call vote with Mr. Stevens voting in the negative.

<u>APPROVE POLLWORKERS FOR SOUTH CHARLESTON 2010 LEVY ELECTION</u> (MAYOR)

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

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND READOPT SECTION 167.33 ARTICLE 167 REGARDING RETURN TO WORK POLICY (FIRST READING) (MAYOR)

It was moved by Mr. Paul; seconded by Mr. Means to pass the ordinance to a second reading. This passed by a unanimous voice vote.

AN ORDINANCE TO REZONE PROPERTY LOCAGTED AT THE INTERSECTION OF ROCKLAKE DRIVE AND INDIANA STREET FROM AN R-8 RESIDENTIAL TO A C-4 COMMERCIAL (FIRST READING) (MAYOR)

It was moved by Mr. Paul; seconded by Mr. Means to pass the ordinance to a second reading. This passed by a unanimous voice vote.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND READOPT 1329.01 ARTICLE 1329 TO REQUIRE A SPECIAL PERMIT TO OPERATE STORAGE FACILITIES IN A C-4 AND C-6 COMMERCIAL ZONES (FIRST READING) (MAYOR)

It was moved by Mr. Means; seconded by Mr. Paul to pass the ordinance to a second reading. This passed by a unanimous voice vote.

ADJOURNMENT

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

Mayor Mullens adjourned the meeting at 8:05 p.m.

	APPROVAL	
Approved this day of	, 2009.	
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		Frank A. Mullens, Jr. Mayor
ATTEST:		
Margie Spence, City Clerk		