

CITY OF BARNWELL, SOUTH CAROLINA

**MINUTES of the SPECIAL CALLED MEETING of BARNWELL CITY COUNCIL
November 12, 2020 – 5:30 pm**

MEETING LOCATION:
130 Main Street, Barnwell, SC 29812

Barnwell City Council met in a Special Called Meeting with Mayor Rivera presiding.

Council Members Present: Mayor Marcus Rivera, Mayor Pro Tem Pickens Williams Sr.,
Council Members James Moody, Peggy Kinlaw and Alicia Davis

Council Members Absent: Robert Pattillo, William Dozier

Others Present: City Administrator Lynn McEwen, City Attorney Thomas
Boulware

The news media was notified. Jonathan Vickery from the People Sentinel was present.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Rivera called the meeting to order and Mayor Pro-Tem Williams led in prayer.

STATEMENT BY ATTORNEY TOM BOULWARE

City Attorney Thomas Boulware requested that it be recorded in the minutes of this meeting that he objects to the procedural format of tonight's agenda.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Mayor made a motion to go into Executive Session. Council Member Moody seconded the motion. The motion passed with yes votes from Mayor Rivera, Council Member Moody, Council Member Davis, and Council Member Kinlaw. Mayor Pro-Tem Williams opposed the motion.

Council returned to regular session.

Mayor Rivera made a motion to continue with the original approved motion at the November 2nd meeting to release Subject B, effective immediately November 13th. The motion was seconded by Council Member Moody. During discussion, Mayor Pro-Tem Williams stated that, if

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approved, this is a terrible mistake. The motion passed with Mayor Rivera, and Council Members Moody and Davis voting for the motion. Mayor Pro-Tem Williams and Council Member Kinlaw voted against the motion.

ADJOURN

There was no further business and the meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by:



Lynn S. McEwen, Administrator