



**Work Session Minutes
Landrum City Council
Tuesday, March 9, 2021**

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS, SECTION 30-4-80, THE TIME, DATE, AND LOCATION OF THE MEETING WAS POSTED AT CITY HALL, ON THE CITY WEBSITE AND THE CITY FACEBOOK PAGE. THE MEDIA WAS DULY NOTIFIED

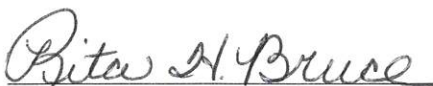
Meeting started at 5:28pm

Members present, Mayor Bob Briggs, Council Members, Johnny Carruth, Billy Inman, Joyce Whiteside and Tammy Cox

Members absent, Shannon Dotson and Daniel Prince

1. A continued discussion of Railcar History Museum platform alternatives with John Walters AIA. Architect John Walters gave a power point presentation of the alternative platform designs for the Railcar Museum for the Mayor and Council to view and determine which design would best suit the City's needs and budget.
2. A discussion regarding enacting an Ordinance establishing local historic property designation. This is in response to the City Council's interest in considering "significant historic and cultural sites" in the pending Flexible Review District Zoning Ordinance. An important and initial step in the historic designation process is to have an official committee to develop the criteria, conduct an inventory and then recommend buildings or sites that will be worthy of such a designation by the City. The City does not currently have a Historical society, which is commonly used. The City Administrator suggests the city's Architectural Design Review Board could be requested to fill this role. The first step would be to call a meeting of the Architectural Design Review Board to determine their willingness to undertake such a role. The Council showed their support and interest in developing such a committee and will assign the City Administrator to work out the details.
3. LABA request regarding October 2, 2021 N. Trade Ave Road closure for the Dark Corner Classic Car Show. After a brief discussion, the Mayor and Council decided there would be no issues to closing the road and will approve the closing of N. Trade Ave for the Car Show as they have done in the past.
4. Discussion of possible animal abatement program. In the last month the city has received numerous complaints regarding skunks and foxes loose around the city. Spartanburg County Animal Control has been contacted on several occasions but were not responsive to these requests for assistance. These nuisances have created concerns from certain residents. The City of Landrum does not have an animal control officer and relies on the county to address these types of complaints and concerns. City resident Beverly Gray addressed the council with her issues with skunks, she hired a private wildlife control firm to trap. They have trapped seven skunks on her property. She was requesting help and assistance in offsetting the out of pocket costs she has incurred by trapping these animals. The Council made no decision for an animal abatement program and did not offer Mrs. Gray and monetary assistance at this time.

Adjourned to Regular Meeting at 6:36pm.



Attest: Rita H. Bruce

City Clerk/ Treasurer

Approval Date: April 13, 2021