



Special Called Town Council Meeting
Tuesday July 1, 2025
Council Chambers, Great Falls, SC

Councilmembers Present: Mayor Pro Tempore Willie Gonzalez, Councilmember Steve McManus, Councilmember David Dutton. A quorum was present.

Councilmembers Absent: Mayor Keevi Worthy, Councilmember Tiffany Craig, Brian Grier, Municipal Attorney

Staff Present: Joshua Glenn, City Manager; Interim Chief Wood, Police Department

The public and media were duly notified of the date, time, and place of the meeting.

Mayor Pro Tempore Willie Gonzalez called the Special Called Council meeting to order at 6:00 P.M., led the Pledge of Allegiance and Prayer.

Mayor Pro Tempore Willie Gonzalez made a statement to have the meeting proceed with order and in a respectful fashion.

ITEM 1

OLD BUSINESS

a. 2nd reading of 2025-2026 Budget

Town administrator, Josh Glenn, announced the postponement of the second reading of the 2025-26 budget. A resolution was proposed to authorize payroll and expenses until a public hearing and second reading can occur by July 18, 2025.

Motion

Councilmember McManus made a motion to approve the resolution with Councilmember Dutton seconded the motion.

Vote

3/1 councilmember Eagle opposed. Motion passed.

ITEM 2

NEW BUSINESS

a. Consideration of approving of hiring a town clerk/ treasurer

Councilmember Monica Eagle stated that after the resolution, that was drawn up by the attorney giving the Town Administrator the authority to hire/fire personnel, passed that the Town Administrator could hire the town clerk/treasurer. She apologized on everyone's behalf.

Motion

Councilmember Monica Eagle made a motion to appoint Madison Wright as the town clerk/ treasurer for the town of Great Falls with Councilmember McManus seconded the motion.

Vote

Vote passed unanimously.

b. Consideration of Accepting Resignation of Police Chief Kim Benenhaley

Councilmember McManus presented the council with the resignation of Police Chief Kim Benenhaley.

Motion

Councilmember McManus made a motion to accept the resignation. Councilmember Dutton seconded the motion.

Vote

3/1 with Councilmember Eagle opposing. Motion Carried.

ITEM 3 ADJOURNMENT
MOTION

There will be no further business, Mayor Pro Tempore Willie Gonzalez motioned to adjourn, seconded by Councilmember Eagle.

Vote

Passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:07 P.M.