

CITY OF SUMPTER

WORKSHOP

AUGUST 07, 2025

CALL TO ORDER: 9:35 AM

IN ATTENDANCE: Mayor Wise, Councilors Charlie Briscoe, Marsha Demaris, Sherry Brandt, Darrold Smith

VISITOR: Matt Armstrong

- I. Hook-up to Lagoon Inquiry: Council reviewed the information concerning a citizen who would like to hook up to the city sewer lagoon and the contract from the property sale that said they would be allowed to do this in 2002. The original agreement dates to the 1980's. Buyers contacted the city again in 2014 concerning this and is now ready to build and place the hook up. The council discussed the concerns and plans to investigate further with other property owners and DEQ.
- II. Winter Plowing at The Event Grounds: The city council needs to get with Gaslin about the portion the city had to put into having the Event Grounds cleared for winter events. The council discussed the possibility of the other clubs in town contributing to the plowing costs.
- III. Baker Chamber Market Update: The numbers are low for vendors at The Event Grounds as of right now. The council needs to check in with John Young to see how many vendors are listed for downtown area to get a count of port-a-potties to order. The council discussed ideas to bring in new events to the city.
- IV. Discussion of Employee Advertisement: Tim Jacobson is retiring in February 2026. Council discussed wording for employee advertisement for assistant utility maintenance position. The council will review and discuss it further at the next council meeting.
- V. Cemetery Fees: Matt Armstrong presented pricing lists to the council for review. Council will review the information presented and will discuss it further at the next council meeting.
- VI. City Fees: Tabled for a future Workshop

Approved by the City Council this 12 day of August, 2025.

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