

**Minutes of the
Simpsonville City Council
Business Meeting
July 11, 2017
6:30 p.m.**

City Council Chambers – 118 N.E. Main Street

CALL TO ORDER – Mayor Curtis

COUNCIL PRESENT – Councilmember Gooch, Councilmember Graham (arrived at 6:35am) Councilmember Hulehan, Councilmember Braswell, Councilmember Cummings, Councilmember Lockaby, and Mayor Curtis

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Scout Troop 158

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- Mayor Curtis asked if there were any corrections to the minutes of June 12, 2017. None were noted therefore the minutes will stand as approved.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

- Lisa Forrester – Relay for Life

BUSINESS

a. *Items Referred by the Committee of the Whole*

1. 1st Reading of Ordinance #2017-03, Habitat for Humanity Land Donation

Motion by Councilmember Cummings with a 2nd by Councilmember Gooch that the City Council approve the 1st Reading of Ordinance #2017-03, Habitat for Humanity Land Donation.
Motion carried unanimously.

2. City Park Playground Bid Award to Bliss

Motion by Councilmember Gooch with a 2nd by Councilmember Graham that the City Council approve the bid award to Bliss for the playground at City Park. Motion carried unanimously.

3. Promotion/Appointment of Mike Hanshaw to Police Chief

Motion by Councilmember Gooch with a 2nd by Councilmember Cummings that City Council appoint Mike Hanshaw to the position of Police Chief. Motion carried. Yes=5, No=2. Councilmember Braswell and Councilmember Lockaby voting No.

POINT OF PRIVILEGE – Councilmember Graham. Provided information to city of persons posing as fire staff scamming citizens in the area.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- Motion by Councilmember Graham with a 2nd by Councilmember Hulehan to go into executive session for the receipt of legal advice relating to pending litigation and a threatened or potential claim concerning the Public Works department. Motion carried unanimously.
There were no votes taken and no action taken during Executive Session.

ADJOURNMENT

- Council adjourned during Executive Session.