



RICHLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

DEVELOPMENT AND SERVICES COMMITTEE

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District 11

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District 2

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District 9

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District 1

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District 10

Tuesday, May 24, 2011
5:00 PM

Report of Actions

CALL TO ORDER

Valerie Hutchinson called the meeting to order.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Regular Session: April 26, 2011 – The minutes of the April 26, 2011 committee were approved as amended. The committee directed staff to change the minutes to reflect that the Animal Care Ordinance Revisions and the To adopt an ordinance banning texting while operating a motor vehicle items were deferred to the May committee meeting.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The agenda was adopted as published.

ITEMS FOR ACTION

2. Animal Care Ordinance Revisions – The committee deferred this in order for Council members Hutchinson and Kennedy to meet and discuss this item. The vote in favor was unanimous.
3. Right of Way Abandonment for Old Clarkson Road – The committee recommended that Council approve this item after staff determines past ownership of this property and provide this information, as well as a larger map, to Council. The vote was in favor.
4. Smoking Ban Ordinance Amendment “Reasonable Distance” – The committee deferred this to the June committee meeting pending clarification from Councilmember Manning as to his intent regarding this item. The vote in favor was unanimous.
5. Summit Parkway Sidewalk Project – The committee voted to send this item to Council without a recommendation. The vote was in favor.

6. To adopt an ordinance banning texting while operating a motor vehicle – The committee voted to send this item to Council without a recommendation. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Consent

7. Change in Procedures for Collection of Yard Waste - The committee recommended that Council direct staff to explore a higher level of service for each solid waste collection area as the existing contract for each area comes up for renewal, renegotiation or rebid. The vote in favor was unanimous.
8. Amending the “Heir’s Subdivision of Property Ordinance” - The committee directed that staff remove the hold harmless agreement and restrictive covenants from the ordinance as well as reduce the right of way width from 66 to 50 feet. The committee then recommended that Council send this item to the Planning Commission. The vote was in favor.
9. Proposed Commission for the Aging - The committee deferred this item to its June committee meeting.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION/INFORMATION

10. Weekend Directional Signs - The committee did not discuss this item.

Staffed by Randy Cherry