

**ELGIN TOWN COUNCIL
TOWN OF ELGIN, SC.
Mayor Melissa Emmons
Councilman Brad Hanley
Councilwoman Dana Sloan
Councilwoman Cristy Bradley
Councilman Paul Rizzo**



**ELGIN TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
MINUTES FOR NOVEMBER 5, 2024**

CALL TO ORDER

The monthly meeting of the Elgin Town Council was held Tuesday, November 5, 2024, at 6:01 pm with Mayor Melissa Emmons presiding.

ROLL CALL

Present were Councilman Brad Hanley, Councilman Paul Rizzo, Mayor Melissa Emmons, Councilwoman Cristy Bradley, Councilwoman Dana Sloan, Chief Alan Anders, Lt. Chris DeLong, Officer Bradley Branham, Jamie Parker, Elgin Town Clerk, and John Wells, Town Attorney

INVOCATION

Mayor Melissa Emmons gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilman Brad Hanley led those attending the meeting in the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF OCTOBER 1, 2024, MEETING MINUTES

A motion to approve the minutes from the meeting held on Tuesday, October 1, 2024, was made by Councilwoman Cristy Bradley, 2nd by Councilman Brad Hanley, with a unanimous vote from Council.

PUBLIC FORUM

Joel Nettles expressed concerns about future drainage issues for the driveway/entrance into the community center's parking lot off of Wooten Court.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

A motion to adopt the agenda was made by Councilman Paul Rizzo, 2nd by Councilwoman Dana Sloan, with a unanimous vote from Council.

NEW BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATIONS-OCTOBER 2024

Dee's Cones (Gifts)
The Cornbread Café (Restaurant)
MW Branham (Roofing)
JB Nealy Fencing, LLC (Fencing)
Midlands Roofing and Exteriors (Roofing and Siding)
Cheezy Steakz & Hoagiez (Food Truck)
Metro Concessions (Food Truck)
Food Dude Kuisine, LLC (Food Truck)
Jones-Zee Concession/Catering (Food Table)
Nettie's Angels (Home Care)

CHARITY EVENT REQUEST APPLICATIONS FOR OCTOBER 2024

COMPLAINTS-OCTOBER 2024

PUBLIC HEARING

OLD BUSINESS

In Old Business, Councilman Brad Hanley provided an update on the Elgin Community Center Construction Project that included the following information: 1) The trusses are on-site, 2) expecting to receive an updated construction schedule that will include the sewer

line replacement, 3) met with Johnny Watson to finalize discussions for audio/video and lighting and lighting controls that included inside facility, outside facility, and the museum, 4) the French drain issue has been resolved.

NEW BUSINESS

In New Business, Chief Anders introduced The Swamp Fox Punisher Motorcycle Club, who donated \$4,074.00, and the American Legion Post 195, who donated \$3,000.00 to the Elgin Police Department Toys Roundup and Caring Hands Foundation. The Foundation services all of Kershaw County during the Christmas Holiday.

Also in New Business, a motion to authorize Mayor Emmons to sign an engagement letter with BCS Accounting & Tax, LLC, to assist in preparing financial statements for the 2024 Audit was made by Councilman Brad Hanley and 2nd by Councilman Paul Rizzo, with a unanimous vote from Council.

COUNCIL BRIEFING

Councilman Paul Rizzo informed Council that a representative with the Fireflies reached out about having an “Elgin Night” at an upcoming game and he recommended that it could be used as some sort of incentive for employee recognition.

Councilwoman Cristy Bradley had no report.

Councilwoman Dana Sloan informed everyone that the next Kershaw County Council meeting was going to be dedicated to Jeannie Potter for her years of service at the local and state level. She stated that if anyone could attend to show their support, it would be very much appreciated.

Councilman Brad Hanley had no report.

Mayor Melissa Emmons had no report.

Attorney John Wells had no report.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

ADJOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Councilman Brad Hanley at 6:42 pm, 2nd by Councilwoman Dana Sloan, with a unanimous vote from Council. Our next regular meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 3, 2024, at 6:00 pm.

Minutes submitted by Jamie Parker/Mayor Melissa Emmons.