

TOWN OF LAMAR COUNCIL MEETING
OCTOBER 12, 2020
6:15 PM
AGENDA

1. Call to order – Mayor Darnell McPherson

2. Invocation – Deacon Tim Dargan

3. Roll Call – Mayor McPherson

4. Approval of Agenda

5. Approval of Minutes

6. Jannie Lathan (Jannie Lathan Consulting) Report

- Close out Commerce Grant
- Consent Order
- Ria Grant

7. Public Works Report

Councilman Lang Howell & Councilwoman Lee

- Process for issuing work orders
- Identify citizens with delinquent water bills over \$200 – action needed
- Implement cut off procedures – no exceptions
- Upgrade to trash trailer – painting, replacing slats
- Property on Railroad Avenue [Councilwoman Bradley]

8. Police Department Report

Chief Carl Scott

- Increase law enforcement visibility
- New addition to the Police Department
- Neighborhood Watch update
- Anonymous tip line

Mayor Darnell Byrd McPherson

Words to Lamar Citizens on recent criminal activity

9. Doug Poston - Financial Report

10. Councilwoman Mary Ann Mack:

Recommended Increase to Business License Fees.

11. Mayor Darnell Byrd McPherson:

- Darlington County Council Voted to take over code enforcement for the Town of Lamar
- Darlington County ordinances addressing dilapidated buildings
- Main Street property improvements
- Unauthorized use of town property (grey metal building, etc.)

12. Councilwoman Inez Lee:

- Beautification Commission – “Pick -up-the-Bucket” Event
- Christmas on Main

13. Recent Community Events:

- Day of Prayer (Youth - Virtual Prayer service / LMA - Day of Prayer Service)
- Save the Children Food Giveaway
- David Beasley’s Organization wins Nobel Peace Prize

14. Upcoming Events:

- CareSouth Moby October 2020 Schedule
- Men to Men Health Symposium (Thursday, October 22 @ 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM)
- Children & Youth Initiative Flu Clinic
- Pacemaker Event
- Bike Trail
- Telamon
- Leadership Development Series - TBD
- November 3, 2020 Election
- Census Count

15. Questions / Comments

16. Adjourn