SPECIAL CALLED MEETING OF THE FLORENCE COUNTY COUNCIL THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2011, AT 4:00 P. M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, ROOM 803, OF THE CITY-COUNTY COMPLEX, 180 N. IRBY ST., FLORENCE, SOUTH CAROLINA

PRESENT:

Waymon Mumford, Vice Chairman
H. Morris Anderson, Secretary-Chaplain
Russell W. Culberson, Council Member
James T. Schofield, Council Member
Roger M. Poston, Council Member
Suzanne S. King, Acting County Administrator
D. Malloy McEachin, County Attorney
Connie Y. Haselden, Clerk to Council

ABSENT:

K. G. Rusty Smith, Jr., Chairman Mitchell Kirby, Council Member Johnnie D. Rodgers, Jr., Council Member Alphonso Bradley, Council Member

OTHERS PRESENT:

Kevin V. Yokim, Finance Director John Sweeney, Morning News Staff Writer

Copies of the agenda were faxed to members of the media and posted in the lobby of the City-County Complex, the Doctors Bruce and Lee Foundation Public Library and all branch libraries, and on the County's website (www.florenceco.org). Notice was previously given pursuant to and in conformity with Chapter 4, Title 30 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina 1976, as amended (the "Freedom of Information Act"). In addition, the local news media and all persons requesting notification of meetings of County Council were notified of the time, date, and place of said meeting, and were provided with a copy of the agenda therefor at least twenty-four hours in advance of said meeting.

Vice Chairman Mumford called the meeting to order. Secretary-Chaplain Anderson provided the invocation and Councilman Culberson led the pledge of allegiance to the American flag. Vice Chairman Mumford welcomed everyone attending the meeting and stated the item on the agenda was Committee Reports: Ad Hoc Search Committee.

Councilman Anderson made a motion Council enter executive session pursuant to Section 30-4-70 of the South Carolina Code of Laws 1976, as amended, for A Personnel/Contractual Matter In Reference To The County Administrator. Councilman Culberson seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously. Council entered executive session at 4:02 p.m.

The Committee reconvened at 4:37 p.m.

Councilman Poston made a motion Council Authorize Vice Chairman Mumford And The County Attorney To Negotiate A Contract Of Employment For The County Administrator Position With Mr. Thomas B. Robinson And Report Back To The Committee For Approval Of The Contract Of Employment. Councilman Culberson seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously.

There being no further business to come before Council, Councilman Anderson made a motion to adjourn. Councilman Schofield seconded the motion, which was approved unanimously.

THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 4:38 P.M.