



COUNCIL PRESENT:

Cindy Campbell, Mayor
Kitty Spires, Mayor Pro Tem
Debbie McIver
Dwayne Prosser

COUNCIL ABSENT:

Brian Jackson

STAFF AND OTHERS PRESENT:

Crystal Bouknight, Town Administrator
Susan Battles, Deputy Town Clerk
CJ Quinlan, Police Chief
Ty McComas, Corporal, Police Department
Christopher Roche, Sargent SRO, Police Department
Kadence York, Victims' Advocate, Police Department
Dennard Small, Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd Law Firm
Pastor Terrie Cutter, Safe Harbor Worship Center

MEDIA NOTIFICATION:

The agenda was posted at Town Hall, and The State, Free Times, Lexington County Chronicle, Cayce-West Columbia News, The Columbia Star, COLADaily.com, as well as radio and television stations, were notified by email on March 13, 2026.

I. Call to Order

Mayor Campbell called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM. A quorum was present.
Mayor Campbell led in the Pledge of Allegiance. Pastor Terrie Cutter with Safe Harbor Worship Center led the invocation.

II. Announcements and Communications by the Mayor

Mayor Campbell announced that the South Congaree Bull Bash would be held on March 20–21, 2026. Gates would open at 5:00 PM, with events beginning at 7:30 PM. She also announced that the Congaree Elementary Theater would present The Jungle Book on April 2, 2026, at 6:00 PM. Admission would be \$2.00 per person. Additionally, the Mayor reminded attendees that the South Congaree/Pine Ridge Public Library would host a retirement reception for longtime Branch Librarian Carol Clark on March 27, 2026, from 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM.

III. Presentations

Mayor Campbell recognized Police Chief CJ Quinlan. Chief Quinlan introduced the new part-time Victims' Advocate, Kadence York. Ms. York attended the University of South Carolina and was scheduled to graduate with a degree in Criminal Justice in December 2026. She was experienced and certified in assisting victims with trauma following a crime and had been mentored and trained by Chandra Gibbs, Assistant Chief of the Orangeburg County Sheriff's Department.

Police Chief Quinlan also presented two Police Department Officers with awards and/or promotions. Officer Christopher Roche was promoted to Sergeant of SRO due to his attention to orders, community service efforts, and work with Congaree Elementary School. Officer Ty McComas was promoted to Corporal of Patrol, a supervisory role. Corporal McComas demonstrated integrity on the job and showed attention to orders. Chief Quinlan congratulated both officers, pinned them, and presented them with certificates. Mayor Campbell thanked the Chief and congratulated both Officers.

IV. Approval of Minutes

Mayor Campbell entertained a motion to approve the minutes from the February 17, 2026, Regular Council Meeting. Mayor Pro Tem Spires made a motion, and Council Member McIver seconded the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

V. New Business

Mayor Campbell entertained a motion for second reading consideration to amend Ordinance 2019-09 of the Town of South Congaree Code of Ordinances Chapter 152, Mobile Homes and Mobile Home Park. Council Member Prosser made a motion, and Mayor Pro Tem Spires seconded the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Campbell entertained a motion to adopt the Town of South Congaree Stormwater Enforcement Response Plan. Council Member McIver made a motion, and Council Member Prosser seconded the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

Mayor Campbell entertained a motion to approve Clark Berry Professional Photography for landscape and landmark images for marketing and promotional use. Mayor Pro Tem Spires made a motion, and Council Member Prosser seconded the motion. Mayor Campbell stated that she reached out to the Chamber and two other municipalities, which believed the \$495-per-location cost was high. Additional discussion was held regarding cost. Ms. Ricard was using Clark Berry because of his work with Council and Staff headshots. She stated he was a well-known and trusted photographer. Council requested additional quotes.

The motion failed three votes to one, with Mayor Campbell and Council Members McIver and Prosser voting in opposition.

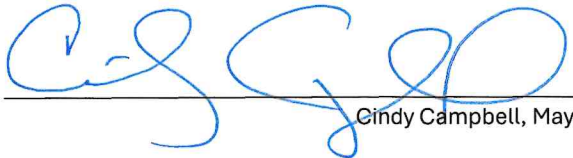
VI. Adjournment

Mayor Campbell made a motion to adjourn, and Mayor Pro Tem Spires seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 6:37 PM.

The motion passed unanimously.



Kelli Ricard, Town Clerk



Cindy Campbell, Mayor

Date Approved: April 14, 2026