

**CITY OF PALMETTO  
CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
March 2, 2015  
7:00 PM**

*PLEDGE OF PUBLIC CONDUCT  
We may disagree, but we will be respectful to one another.  
We will direct all comments to issues.  
We will avoid personal attacks.*

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**Shirley Groover Bryant, Mayor**

**Commission Members**

**Brian Williams, Vice Mayor, Commissioner, Ward 3  
Tamara Cornwell, Commissioner-at-Large 2  
Jonathan Davis, Commissioner-at-Large 1  
Harold Smith, Commissioner, Ward 1  
Tambra Varnadore, Commissioner, Ward 2**

*Anyone wishing to speak before the City Commission or the CRA Board must complete the Speakers Card prior to the meeting, stating name, address and topic to be addressed. Speakers making public comment will be sworn-in. All comments will be limited to two minutes.*

Call to order, followed by a moment of silence and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Swearing-in of all persons intending to address City Commission.

RECOGNITION: Rick Wells will recognize Popi's Place for their donations and contributions to the City and the Police Department.

**1. CITY COMMISSION AGENDA APPROVAL**

**Action Request: Motion to approve the March 2, 2015 Agenda.**

**2. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Public Comment: Comments shall be limited to two minutes. Commission does not generally take action on any matter raised during these public comments, but may direct the matter to be placed on the agenda of a future meeting, if appropriate.

**3. APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY CHIEF SCOTT TYLER AS CHIEF OF POLICE**

Chief Richard Wells has resigned from the Palmetto Police Department effective March 1, 2015. Mayor Bryant has selected to appoint Deputy Chief Scott Tyler to serve as the City of Palmetto's Police Chief for a term to run concurrent with her office.

**Action Request: Motion to approve the appointment of Deputy Chief Scott Tyler as Chief of Police for the City of Palmetto at a Grade 122S Step 5, for a term running concurrent with Mayor Bryant.**

Mayor Bryant will swear Scott Tyler in as Chief of Police for the City of Palmetto. *(Time Certain 7:30 p.m.)*

**4. CONSENT AGENDA APPROVAL**

**A. Clerk's Office**

1. Minutes: February 9, 2015 (TAB 1)
2. Special Function Permits
  - a. Amended Love of Christ 5K Permit, New Date 4/4/2015 (TAB 2)
  - b. SPBC Spring Classic 4/19/2015 (TAB 3)

- c. Historical Park Yearly Permits (TAB 4)
  - 1. Heritage Festival 3/14/2015
  - 2. Family Fun Day 4/3/2015
  - 3. Bug Social 8/1/2015
  - 4. Halloween Social 10/17/2015
  - 5. Christmas in the Park 12/4 & 12/5/2015
  - 6. Community Yard Sale 2/20/2016
- 3. Blalock Walters Legal Bills (TAB 5)

**Action Request: Motion to approve the February 9, 2015 Consent Agenda.**

5. PUBLIC HEARING ORDINANCE 2015-02 ALLEYWAY VACATION (D. Woithe) (TAB 6)  
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF PALMETTO, FLORIDA; VACATING A PORTION OF A PLATTED EAST –WEST ORIENTED ALLEYWAY OF APPROXIMATELY 244.66 FEET IN LENGTH AND LOCATED NORTH OF 9<sup>TH</sup> STREET DRIVE WEST, LYING WEST OF 3<sup>RD</sup> AVENUE WEST AND SOUTH OF THE CSX RAILROAD RIGHT OF WAY, AS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN SECTION 2 OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**Action Request: Motion to adopt Ordinance 2015-02.**

6. PUBLIC HEARING ORDINANCE 2015-01 SOLICITATION (M. Barnebey) (TAB 7)  
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF PALMETTO, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE PALMETTO CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION OF SOLICITATION AND PANHANDLING; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

**Action Request: Motion to adopt Ordinance 2015-01**

7. PUBLIC HEARING ORDINANCE 2014-14 COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENT (D. Woithe) (TAB 8)  
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PALMETTO, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE 2030 PALMETTO COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, ORDINANCE 2010-01, AS AMENDED; AMENDING AND ADDING DEFINITIONS; AMENDING THE FUTURE LAND USE ELEMENT, THE TRANSPORTATION ELEMENT, THE COASTAL MANAGEMENT ELEMENT, THE CONSERVATION ELEMENT, THE PARKLAND, OPEN SPACE, AND RECREATION ELEMENT, THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION ELEMENT, THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT ELEMENT AND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES ELEMENT; PROVIDING FOR AMENDMENTS RELATED TO THE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AREA; PROVIDING FOR UPDATES; PROVIDING FOR A CODIFIED COMPREHENSIVE PLAN; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Open the public hearing. Close the public hearing after public comment.

**Action Request: Motion to adopt Ordinance 2014-14.**

8. SOLID WASTE SERVICE RFP RECOMMENDATION (A. Tusing) (TAB 9)

**Action Request: Motion to approve the RFP Committee's recommendation to authorize the Mayor to negotiate with the number one ranked service provider, Waste Management, and if a reasonable negotiation is not obtained, to authorize the Mayor to negotiate with the number two ranked, Progressive Waste Solutions.**

9. ASR WELL UPDATE

10. TRAFFIC UPDATE

11. DEPARTMENT HEADS' COMMENTS

12. MAYOR'S REPORT

13. COMMISSIONERS' COMMENTS

14. ADJOURNMENT

If any person desires to appeal any decision of the City Commission, CRA Board, or of any other Board of the City, that person will need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based (FS §286.0105).

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