

CITY OF CONWAY  
CONWAY CITY COUNCIL EMERGENCY MEETING  
CITY HALL CONFERENCE ROOM  
CONWAY, SOUTH CAROLINA  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 29, 2023 – 4:00 P.M.

**PRESENT:** Mayor Barbara Blain-Bellamy, Justin Jordan, Mayor Pro Tem  
Council Members: Autry Benton, Amanda Butler, William Goldfinch, Beth Helms, Larry White

**STAFF:** Adam Emrick, City Administrator; John Rogers, Deputy City Administrator; Mary Catherine Hyman, Deputy City Administrator; Jeff Leveille, Technology Services Director; Le Hendrick, Fire Chief/Emergency Manager; June Wood, Public Information Officer; Dale Long, Chief of Police; Jasmin Waites Parker, City Attorney; and Alicia Shelley, City Clerk

**OTHERS:** None

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Blain-Bellamy called the meeting to order.

The requirements for posting notice of this meeting under South Carolina's Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) were met.

Hendrick stated that staff has talked to the National Weather Service, and local and state authorities. Hendrick gave an update on Hurricane Idalia and its prediction for our area.

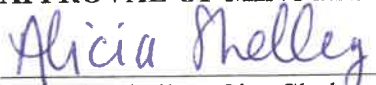
Emrick stated that State of Emergencies have been issued for the State of South Carolina and Horry County. Emrick then explained what a State of Emergency Declaration is used for.

**CONSIDERATION OF EMERGENCY ORDINANCE: Ordinance #2023-08-29 An Emergency Ordinance declaring that a localized State of Emergency exists within the City of Conway and authorizing the appropriate action to be taken in connection therewith.**

**Motion:** Goldfinch made a motion, seconded by Jordan, to approve Ordinance #2023-08-29, the Declaration of a State of Emergency. **Vote:** Unanimous. Motion carried.

**ADJOURNMENT: Motion:** White made a motion, seconded by Helms, to adjourn the meeting. **Vote:** Unanimous. Motion carried.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Minutes approved by City Council this 18 day of September, 2023.

  
Alicia Shelley, City Clerk