



Southwest Ranches Town Council

REGULAR MEETING
Agenda of October 26, 2023

Southwest Ranches Council Chambers
7:00 PM Thursday

13400 Griffin Road
Southwest Ranches, FL 33330

<u>Mayor</u> Steve Breitkreuz	<u>Town Council</u> Bob Hartmann Gary Jablonski	<u>Town Administrator</u> Andrew D. Berns, MPA	<u>Town Attorney</u> Keith M. Poliakoff, J.D.
<u>Vice Mayor</u> Jim Allbritton	David Kuczenski, Esq.	<u>Town Financial Administrator</u> Emil C. Lopez, CPM	<u>Assistant Town Administrator/Town Clerk</u> Russell C. Muniz, MPA

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- 1. Call to Order/Roll Call**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance**

Presentations

- 3. Proclamation - Diwali - October 2023**
- 4. Public Comment**

- All Speakers are limited to 3 minutes.
- Public Comment will last for 30 minutes.
- All comments must be on non-agenda items.
- All Speakers must fill out a request card prior to speaking.
- All Speakers must state first name, last name, and mailing address.
- Speakers will be called in the order the request cards were received.
- Request cards will only be received until the first five minutes of public comment have concluded.

- 5. Board Reports**
- 6. Council Member Comments**
- 7. Legal Comments**
- 8. Administration Comments**

Ordinance - 2nd Reading

- 9. AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, RELATING TO THE INSTALLATION OF WATER AND SEWER LINES WITHIN THE TOWN'S RIGHTS OF WAY; REQUIRING UTILITY PROVIDERS TO SEEK TOWN CONSENT BEFORE WORKING IN THE TOWN'S RIGHT OF WAY; REQUIRING UTILITY PROVIDERS TO ABIDE BY THE TOWN'S CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL PRIOR TO INITIATING ANY WORK; ESTABLISHING BASELINE REQUIREMENTS FOR APPROVAL; REQUIRING A PROPERTY OWNER TO OBTAIN A**

PERMIT FROM THE TOWN IF THEY ARE BRINGING WATER AND/OR SEWER TO THEIR PROPERTY; REQUIRING A PROPERTY OWNER TO SPECIFICALLY ACKNOWLEDGE AS PART OF THE PERMIT THAT THE PUBLIC UTILITY CANNOT BE ACTIVATED UNLESS THE TOWN'S PERMIT HAS BEEN APPROVED AND FINALED; REQUIRING ANY CONTRACTOR TO CERTIFY THAT THE PUBLIC UTILITY CANNOT BE ACTIVATED UNTIL THE TOWN'S PERMIT HAS BEEN APPROVED AND FINALED; ENABLING PROPERTY OWNERS TO RECUPERATE THEIR INVESTMENT FOR THE EXTENSION OF WATER AND/OR SEWER LINES; PROVIDING FOR PENALTY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION IN THE TOWN'S CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. {Approved on First Reading October 12, 2023}

Ordinance - 1st Reading

10. AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, AMENDING SECTION 085-070 OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES UNIFIED LAND DEVELOPMENT CODE OF ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE FILL ELEVATIONS AND THE REMOVAL OF ILLEGAL FILL; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE TOWN'S CODE; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Resolutions

11. A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BROWARD COUNTY SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS SERVICES; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, AND TOWN ATTORNEY, TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Discussion

12. Discussion - Barbara Herrera - WM
13. Approval of Minutes
 - a. September 14, 2023 1st Budget Hearing Minutes
 - b. September 28, 2023 2nd Budget Hearing Minutes
14. Adjournment

PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTES 286.0105, THE TOWN HEREBY ADVISES THE PUBLIC THAT IF A PERSON DECIDES TO APPEAL ANY DECISION MADE BY THIS COUNCIL WITH RESPECT TO ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT ITS MEETING OR HEARING, HE OR SHE WILL NEED A RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS, AND THAT FOR SUCH PURPOSE, THE AFFECTED PERSON MAY NEED TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD OF THE PROCEEDING IS MADE, WHICH RECORD INCLUDES THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS TO BE BASED. THIS NOTICE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE CONSENT BY THE TOWN FOR THE INTRODUCTION OR ADMISSION OF OTHERWISE INADMISSIBLE OR IRRELEVANT EVIDENCE, NOR DOES IT AUTHORIZE CHALLENGES OR APPEALS NOT OTHERWISE ALLOWED BY LAW.