

Town of Lake View @ the Lake View Town Hall - 201 N. Main St. Lake View, SC 29563
Thursday June 18th, 2026 @ 7pm - - Public Council Meeting Minutes

1. Welcome – Call meeting to order by Mayor Suggs
2. Pledge of Allegiance with everyone and a Prayer from Mayor Suggs
3. Meeting Minutes – Request for motion to approve meeting minutes from May 19th, 2026, 1st motion Councilmember Church, 2nd motion Councilmember Price all in favor.
4. **PUBLIC HEARING** At this time, Mayor Suggs requested motion to open Public Hearing, 1st motion Councilmember Church, 2nd motion Councilmember King. Mayor Suggs declared the Public Hearing open to discuss only the proposed Fiscal Year 26-27 Budge. Council welcomes public comments and will consider all comments received; however, is not required to respond during the public hearing. After waiting a few minutes with no public presence Mayor Suggs requested this Public Hearing closed by motion; 1st motion Councilmember King 2nd motion Councilmember Price and th Public Hearing on Budget for Fiscal Year 26-27 is now closed and we will enter back into regular council meeting.
5. Citizen Concerns: (3 minutes per person)
*****Ordinance Chapter 30.032(F) “Must notify the Clerk-Treasurer in writing prior to the agenda deadline. The notice shall state the subject on which the citizen wishes to address the council with particulars.” Agenda deadline is 5pm on the Friday before the scheduled meeting. *****
 - a. Sterling Lee – Requested to speak only about dangerous car speeds on the Hilltop, as well as updates on the progress of the Hilltop park (ants, mulch, court pressure-washed and striped) but unfortunately was unable to attend.
6. Committee Reports: The events schedule is underway but Clerk Garris stated and Council agreed to postpone the Fishing Tournament till later in the summer after the holiday and to cancel the Farmers Market due to lack of vendor participation.
7. Financial Reports from Clerk Garris: Balance Sheet, Budget vs. Actual, Grant Discussion
There was no public presence until this point when Reverend Lenué walked in and took a seat in the audience.

OLD BUSINESS – Mayor Suggs

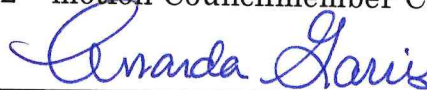
8. Ordinance 7126 Mayor Suggs request for motion to ADOPT on 2nd reading an Ordinance to raise revenue and approve a budget for the Town of Lake View, South Carolina for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2026 and ending June 30th, 2027 with a budget total of \$1,143,366.50 and a millage rate of 156. Request for motion to ADOPT 1st motion Councilmember Price and 2nd motion Councilmember Church.

NEW BUSINESS – Mayor Suggs

9. Financial Audit Contract for FY25-26 – request for approval by motion to have Kenneth Cobb and Company perform the FY25-26 Financial Audit at the contract cost of \$18k, 1st motion Councilmember Church 2nd motion Councilmember King all in favor.
10. Executive Session NOT NEEDED
11. Mayor Report & Council Concerns – Mayor Suggs stated the stage and steps on Town Square will be completed next week. Hilltop park will be cleaned and Raymond Foxworth will assist in doing the lines on the court, the dump trailer was down for maintenance and should be fixed in the next week in order to handle the mulch. Mayor Suggs asked Rev. Lenué if he had any questions and a short discussion was made about ditch cleaning where Mayor and Council stated and Clerk agreed that the Office of Resiliency is continuously working to finalize the flooding issues and this will be addressed in the coming months.
12. Meeting Adjourned - With no other discussions needed, motion to adjourn from Councilmember King 1st motion from Councilmember King 2nd motion Councilmember Church all in favor.



Mayor David Suggs



Clerk/Treasurer Amanda Garris

7/16/26

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