

MINUTES

ORDINANCE AND RULES COMMITTEE MEETING

5:30 P. M., MAY 27, 2021

*IN RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC, THE MEETING OF THE ORDINANCE AND RULES COMMITTEE WAS CONDUCTED ELECTRONICALLY. THE MEETING WAS MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC AS A LIVE STREAM VIA ZOOM (PER THE AGENDA).

Jeanine Faegre, Chairperson, called the meeting of the Charleston City Council Committee on Ordinance and Rules to order at 5:30p.m., MAY 27, 2021.

Committee Members Present:

Jeanine Faegre, Chair
Bobby Reishman, Vice Chair
Robert Sheets
Keeley Steele

Absent:

Courtney Persinger
John Kennedy Bailey
Bobby Haas

Councilmembers also Present:

None

1. Approval of Previous Minutes – Councilmember Reishman moved to approve the minutes of the previous meeting on 4-26-2021. Councilmember Sheets seconded. There was no objection, and the minutes were approved.

2. Bill No. 7907 – A BILL to amend the Municipal Code of the City of Charleston relating to updating the Charleston Human Rights Ordinance to include protections against discrimination because based on hair textures and protective hairstyles and defining terms.

Councilmember Faegre added that Councilmember Wesley-Plear sponsored the bill, and that it was important to support.

With no further discussion, Councilmember Reishman made a motion to approve the bill. Councilmember Sheets seconded. With the yeas being unanimous, Bill No. 7907 was approved.

Councilmember Reishman motioned to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Steele

seconded. Meeting adjourned.