

THE TOWN OF

DORIS W. SIMMONS
MAYOR

MICHAEL LUONGO
MAYOR PRO-TEM



ANGIE ALLEY

MELISSA WILLIAMS

TOM DAUGHERTY

COUNCIL MEMBERS

South Carolina
TOWN OF SWANSEA
COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
AUGUST 24, 2026
6:00 P.M.

Swansea Municipal Building Courtroom
320 West Third Street, Swansea, SC 29160

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
 - II. Notification and Determination of Quorum
 - III. Invocation Pastor David McElreath, Swansea United Methodist Church
 - IV. Pledge of Allegiance
 - V. Consideration to approve the minutes of the Regular Council meeting July 27, 2026.
 - VI. Motion to allow transfer of General Funds monies to the Money Market Account to earn interest.
 - VII. Ordinance to increase Sanitation Rates to Residential \$25 and Commercial \$28.00
 - VIII. Resolution to extend 2026-2027 Budget to October 31, 2026
 - IX. Margaret Harvey Business License and Hospitality Report
 - X. Accountant's Report
 - XI. Mary Dougherty of Helping Hands - Scarecrow designated area
 - XII. Karen Stidom – Christmas Parade
 - XIII. Public Comments 3 minutes
 - XIV. Council/Mayor Comments
Discussion to purchase Christmas fixture lights and
Mounting brackets for Christmas fixtures.
1. October 3, 2026 Vintage Market and Car Show on South Monmouth Avenue and Third Street: Registration required.
 2. Scheduled October 31, 2026 Fall Festival/ Trunk or Treat, South Monmouth Avenue, starting at 6:00 P.M. Please register at Town Hall
 3. Scheduled Budget Workshop 9/14/2026 @ 6:00 P.M.

4. Scheduled Public Hearing for First Reading of Budget 2026-2027 @ 5:30 P.M on 9/28/2026.
 5. Scheduled October 5, 2026 Public Hearing; Special Call Meeting: Second Reading 2026-2027 Budget; Municipal Millage Rate Increase; and public notification of the increase in Sanitation rates.
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- XV. Adjourn to Executive Session
Pursuant to SC Code Section 30-470(a)
 1. Discussion of Employee Compensation
 - XVI. Adjourn from Executive Session: Potential action on items discussed In Executive Session
 - XVII. Adjournment

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