

The Town of James Island held a Special Meeting on Wednesday, October 1, 2025, 5:00 p.m. in person at the Town Hall, 1122 Dills Bluff Rd., James Island, SC. This meeting was also live streamed on the Town's website: [www.jamesislandsc.us/livestream-townmeetings](http://www.jamesislandsc.us/livestream-townmeetings) and was held in accordance with the SC Freedom of Information Act and the requirements of the Town of James Island.

The following members of Council were present: Councilman Darren "Troy" Mullinax, Councilman Lewis Dodson (via conference call), and Mayor Brook Lyon, who presided. Absent: Councilman Dan Boles and Councilwoman Cynthia Mignano. A quorum was established. Also: Frances Simmons, Town Clerk.

Call to Order/Opening Exercises: Mayor Lyon called the special meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. She opened in prayer and followed with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Proclamation to Lift State of Emergency: Mayor Lyon stated the purpose of this meeting is to lift the state of emergency issued on September 27 for the pending storm (Invest 94L) that did not come. It was a busy two days to prepare for it and she is grateful that the storm went to sea. We are prepared if another heads this way.

Mayor Lyon read the executive proclamation to terminate the state of emergency and called for a motion.

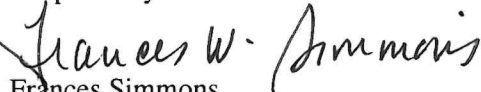
Motion was made by Councilman Mullinax, seconded by Councilman Dodson.

Vote

Councilman Mullinax	Aye
Councilman Dodson	Aye
Mayor Lyon	Aye
Unanimous	

Adjournment: There being no further business to come before the body, the meeting adjourned at 5:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

  
Frances Simmons  
Town Clerk

## **Executive Proclamation of Termination**

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor of the Town of James Island, SC pursuant to the powers and duties vested by the Constitution and laws of the State of South Carolina and Section 30.02 of the Town of James Island Code of Ordinances, did declare a local State of Emergency on Saturday, September 27, 2025 in response to 94 L; and

**WHEREAS**, this declaration of emergency was deemed necessary to activate Town resources, coordinate with state and federal partners, and take precautionary actions to protect the public health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the Town of James Island; and

**WHEREAS**, emergency response efforts have been successfully executed, and the Town of James Island has weathered the effects of Invest 94L with minimal to no further anticipated risks; and

**WHEREAS**, the conditions prompting the original declaration no longer pose an imminent threat, and the continued extraordinary measures are no longer required;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brook Lyon**, Mayor of the Town of James Island, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby declare that the local State of Emergency for the Town of James Island, issued on September 27, 2025, is officially **TERMINATED** effective immediately on October 1, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.

All extraordinary measures implemented under the authority of the original proclamation are hereby rescinded. However, local agencies and departments shall continue to monitor any remaining effects of the event and proceed with recovery operations as necessary.


**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Town of James Island to be affixed.

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Brook Lyon

Mayor

ATTEST

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Frances Simmons

Town Clerk