

ANDERSON COUNTY COUNCIL
ANDERSON, SOUTH CAROLINA

CALLED MEETING - AUGUST 8, 1983 - 6:00 p.m.
CALLED MEETING & WORKSHOP - ELECTION PROCESS - AUGUST 8, 1983 - 7:00 p.m.

Linda N. Gilstrap, Clerk

M I N U T E S

PRESENT:

Fred G. Alexander, District #1
Prue L. Gilreath, District #2, Chairman
Robert L. Wiles, District #3
Daniel A. Rhodes, District #4
A.M. "Al" Lynch, District #5
Billy D. O'Neal, Administrator
Joseph G. Wright, County Attorney

Mr. Gilreath called the meeting to order and Mr. Alexander gave the invocation. Everyone stood and pledged allegiance to the flag.

Mr. O'Neal gave an update on the renovations of the magistrate's office. He explained that the job was \$1,524 over the \$12,000 previously allocated. On the motion of Mr. Rhodes, seconded by Mr. Lynch, Council voted unanimously to allow the administrator to take from the Bailes Building Fund (if available) the additional \$1,524 needed.

Mr. O'Neal explained an additional \$2,300 needed to fund the security position for Family Court to cover fringe benefits. On the motion of Mr. Rhodes, seconded by Mr. Lynch, Council voted unanimously to take the \$2,300 from the Contingency Fund for the request.

On the motion of Mr. Wiles, seconded by Mr. Lynch, Council voted unanimously to put the above procedure on hold until Mr. O'Neal can talk with all the Family Court Judges and then proceed with the request after he gets their wishes.

Mr. Watson discussed bid proposals for road paving. He informed the Council of the low bid for district #1 was from Thrift Brothers for \$103,100. The low bid for district #2 - \$152,245.17, district #3 - 134,471.56, district #4 - \$125,820.24, and district #5 - \$141,057.72 all from Sloan Construction Company. The total of all low bids for the five districts would be \$656,694.69. On the motion of Mr. Lynch, seconded by Mr. Rhodes, Council voted unanimously to accept the low bids as recommended with the completion date of November 15, 1983.

On the motion of Mr. Alexander, seconded by Mr. Wiles, Council voted unanimously to approve the budget transfers as requested by the Administrator.

To: 820.04 (police retirement)	\$14,526.74
Transfer From: Acct.840.04 (state retirement)	10,098.99
Transfer From: Acct.830.05 (social security)	4,427.75
	<u>\$14,526.74</u>
Transfer From Acct. 210.01 (Jail-Salaries) to:	
Acct. 210.17 (Fuel & Oil)	8,051.71
Acct. 210.29 (repairs to equipment)	403.03
	<u>\$8,454.74</u>

Mr. O'Neal recommended that the Council distribute the \$13,693 in emergency food fund to the following agencies:

Council on Aging	\$5,000
Meals on Wheels	4,693
Salvation Army	1,000
Haven of Rest	1,000
Soup Kitchen	1,000
Food Bank	1,000
	<u>\$13,693</u>

On the motion of Mr. Wiles, seconded by Mr. Lynch, Council voted unanimously to approve the request to distribute the \$13,693 emergency food money appropriated in the 1982-83 fy budget.

Mr. Bolt asked Council to consider him once again for leasing of 89 acres of County pastureland. On the motion of Mr. Wiles, seconded by Mr. Alexander, Council voted three in favor and 2 opposed to allow Mr. Bolt to lease the 89 acres for the remainder of the 1983 calendar year at the bid price. Mr. Rhodes and Mr. Lynch voted against the motion.

Concerned citizens spoke at this time.

On the motion of Mr. Alexander, seconded by Mr. Wiles, Council voted unanimously to adjourn at 6:55 p.m.

Representative Tom Ervin, at this time, called a workshop meeting to order with the Planning & Development Board, Voter Registration, County Council, and the Election Commission present to discuss the election process in Anderson County. After two hours of discussion, County Council went back into formal session. On the motion of Mr. Lynch, seconded by Mr. Wiles, Council voted unanimously to accept the Airmac Voting System and directed the County Administrator to sign the contract.

Council adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda N. Gilstrap, Clerk
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