

**BARNWELL COUNTY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING  
MINUTES  
January 3, 2014**

Barnwell County Council met in a special called meeting on January 3, 2014 at 10:00 AM in Council Chambers. Those in attendance were Chairman Freddie Houston, Vice Chairman David Kenner, Councilman Lowell Jowers, Councilman Jerry Creech, Councilman Keith Sloan, Councilman Joe Smith, Councilman Harold Buckmon, County Administrator Pickens Williams, Jr. and County Attorney JD Mosteller. David Purtell with the People Sentinel was also in attendance.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Houston, the invocation was given by Councilman Creech, a quorum was declared and the agenda was approved.

A motion was made by Councilman Sloan to enter into Executive session to discuss pre-litigation matters regarding donated properties. It was seconded by Councilman Jowers and passed.

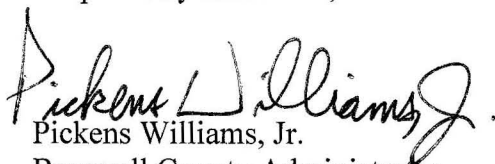
There was no action taken in Executive Session.

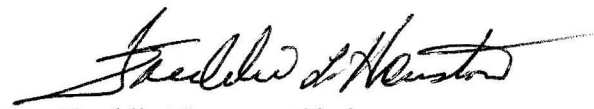
**Open Session**

A motion was made and seconded to approve a resolution related to assets of the EDC being retained by Barnwell County for the exclusive benefit of the citizens of Barnwell County and related to the restructuring of the EDC. A roll call vote was requested. All voted to approve the resolution.

The meeting adjourned at 11:35 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Pickens Williams, Jr.  
Barnwell County Administrator  
Chairman

  
Freddie Houston, Chairman  
Barnwell County Council