

ANDERSON COUNTY COUNCIL
ANDERSON, SOUTH CAROLINA

Regular Meeting - August 19, 1980 - 7:00 p.m.

Linda N. Gilstrap, Clerk

M I N U T E S

PRESENT:

Chairman - C. Edward Poore
Members - Joseph G. Wright, III
Robert L. Wiles
Samuel S. Gerrard
David L. Hooper
Daniel A. Rhodes

Mr. Poore called the meeting to order and Councilman Gerrard gave the invocation.

On the motion of Mr. Wright, seconded by Mr. Hooper, Council voted unanimously to approve the minutes of the August 5, 1980 meeting as mailed.

Mr. James R. Thorton with the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers, asked Council once again to sign a contract which involved certain road and bridge considerations for the operation of the Richard B. Russell Dam Project. Attorney Tom Erwin, representing the Starr-Iva residents, asked Council to consider a public hearing for concerned citizens to express their views on the matter. On the motion of Mr. Wiles, seconded by Mr. Wright, Council voted unanimously to hold a public hearing in the Starr-Iva area, at a time most convenient with Mr. Erwin and Mr. Wiles, to allow the citizens of the area to express themselves.

Mr. David Watson presented sealed bids for 5 ambulances for EMS. On the motion of Mr. Rhodes, seconded by Mr. Wright, Council voted unanimously to go with the low bid of \$19,545.00 each and a total of \$101,634.00 from Southland Safety Supply from Spartanburg.

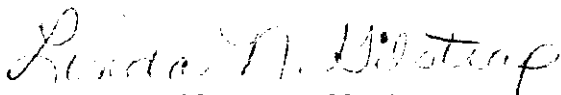
Mr. Watson discussed sealed bids received for a new boiler in the Courthouse. On the motion of Mr. Wiles, seconded by Mr. Hooper, Council voted unanimously to go with the low bid for \$13,426.00 from D & M Services from Anderson. Mr. Watson also recommended the purchase of a new natural gas & fuel oil combination boiler as a replacement for the existing boiler in the County Jail at \$13,440.00 from D & M Services. This action necessary to comply with insurance requirements. He also, recommended the purchase of a new natural gas & fuel oil combination burner system for installation on the existing heating system boiler at \$4,964.00 to upgrade the system and reduce operating cost. On the motion of Mr. Wright, seconded by Mr. Hooper, Council voted unanimously to go with the purchasing agent's recommendations and purchase from the low bidder (D & M Services).

Mr. Watson presented sealed bids on bituminous treatment for 10-20 miles. He stated the low bid from Guss Carpenter was 75¢ per sq. yard. On the motion of Mr. Wright, seconded by Mr. Wiles, Council voted unanimously to go with the low bid once again.

Mr. Poore recognized Mr. Heyward Crider, Mr. Tom King and Mr. Parker Norman concerning the termination of Mr. Norman. No one had any comments. Mr. Poore read a letter concerning his thoughts about the matter and what seemed to be contradictions on both sides and therefore he found neither party at fault. Mr. Poore then requested that Mr. Norman be placed in position as appraiser with a two week suspended salary and that Mr. Norman drop any charges against Anderson County that he may have. He stated that he plans to present a Personnel Policy and Procedures Manual for all County employees so the situation will not occur again. On the motion of Mr. Hooper, seconded by Mr. Wright, Council voted unanimously to accept Mr. Poore's recommendations.

On the motion of Mr. Hooper, seconded by Mr. Wiles, Council voted unanimously to adjourn at 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



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