

TOWN OF CENTRAL  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
MONDAY MAY 14, 2001 – 7:00 P. M.  
Central Town Hall – 105 Werner St.  
Central, S. C. 29630

Present: Mayor Stan Thompson; Council persons: Keith Martin; Joe Head; Harry Holladay; Bobby Busha; Edward Reynolds. Mollie Ferrigan, Messenger; Catherine Hunter Dechaco, Clemson-Central Community Observer. Herbert Thompson; Administrator. Clerk Grace Towe.

Mayor Stan Thompson called the regular Town Council meeting to order at 7:00 p. m.

Invocation by Harry Holladay.

Minutes of the Special Called Council meeting of April 2, 2001 were presented as corrected in work session. Joe Head made a motion to dispense with the full reading of the minutes and adopt. The motion was seconded by Bobby Busha. The vote was unanimous.

Minutes of the Regular Council meeting of April 9, 2001 were presented as corrected in work session. Motion by Bobby Busha to dispense with the full reading and adopt. The motion was seconded by Joe Head. The vote was unanimous.

Public Session: No input.

Report From Council Committees:

Joe Head – Water and Sewer – No report.

Harry Holladay – Planning – No report.

Bobby Busha – Streets and Sanitation – Mr. Busha reported potholes at Central Elementary School needs to be repaired. Mayor Thompson stated that this would be in the upcoming patching for the Town. He also stated that some of the street lights were burning in the daytime. This to be investigated and reported to Duke Power.

Keith Martin – Recreation – Mr. Martin reported that baseball is underway and the activity at the Central-Clemson Recreation Center is running well. They are seeking bids on the cleaning of facility.

Consideration of Ordinances and or Resolutions in Possession of Council:

First reading of Ordinance #6-01 B and 6-01 RB Budget for F.Y.E. 6-30-2002. Mayor Thompson presented the ordinances and Keith Martin made a motion on #6-01B to dispense with the full reading and adopt on first reading. This motion was seconded by Joe Head and the vote was unanimous.

Bobby Busha made a motion to dispense with the full reading of Ordinance 6-01 RB and adopt on first reading. The motion was seconded by Keith Martin and the vote was unanimous.

Resolution to fund second phase of the Central-Clemson Recreation Center was presented by Mayor Thompson. Motion by Keith Martin and seconded by Joe Head to accept as presented. The vote was unanimous.

Resolution #5-2 to fund various equipment for the new town hall through a lease- purchase agreement was presented by Mayor Thompson. Motion by Bobby Busha and seconded by Keith Martin to adopt as presented. The vote was unanimous.

Report from Mayor and Administrator:

Administrator's Report:

Mayor Thompson reported that the Little League World Series players and officers will be housed at S.W.U. from August 2, through August 11<sup>th</sup> and that our Police Department will be providing necessary security for this event.

Mayor Thompson reported that the Police Department has transferred a pickup truck to the Recreation Department.

A proposed agreement with Clemson, Clemson University and Pendleton to lease- purchase a brush tub grinder was discussed by Mayor Thompson. No action taken.

Mayor' Report:

Mayor Thompson reminded Council that the Pickens County Municipal Association Picnic will be held on Monday May 28, 2001 at 6:00 P. M. and that a head count would be needed.

Mayor Thompson reported that the County Council will charge the Town for a building permit for the new town hall.

Mayor Thompson had asked for Council's approval to have a brief executive session at the end of the meeting and a motion was made by Bobby Busha and seconded by Keith Martin to enter into executive session to give the Administrator his annual performance review. The vote was unanimous.

After executive session Mayor Thompson recalled regular session and announced that no action or votes was taken in executive session. Mayor Thompson called for a motion to authorize the Town Clerk to increase the Administrator's pay by the maximum that is allotted in the budget. This is based on an outstanding evaluation. Motion by Edward Reynolds and seconded by Keith Martin to award this pay. The vote was unanimous.

There being no further business, Mayor Thompson called for a motion to adjourn. Motion by Edward Reynolds and seconded by Bobby Busha to adjourn. The vote was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted;

Grace S. Towe

Clerk

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