Town of Central

CENTRAL, S. C.

The Town Council met Monday night, May 9,1966, with the following attending: Mayor W.C. Kelley, W.J. Wilson, R.A. Busha, J.L. Martin, J.R. Herd, G.D. O'Dell, Jerry Lesley. Mrs. Maude Chapman, representing the Messenger Paper, Reb. Hipp & T.P. Earle were also present.

Mayor Kelley presided, The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Rev. Hipp, was present to discuss the possibility of a Human Relation Program, for needy areas, sponsored by the Government. Rev. Hipp, stated that he would like the approval of the Town Council for this program. Councilman O'Dell, made a motion that the Council approve this program based on Rev. Hipp's recommendation. Councilman Wilson, seconded the motion. The Council voted favorable.

Mr. Earle, stated that he would like for the Town to run the water and sewerage line half-way between his property, as he intended to sell part of this property at the corner of Eaton and Johnson Road. Councilman Martin, made a motion that these lines be run at the expense of the Town. Councilman Lesley, seconded the motion. The Council agreed.

Councilman O'Dell, reported that the committee composed of Garland Morrison, Civil Defense Director, John Head, Fire Chief, Councilman Busha and himself had checked the old Elementray School Bldg. for the possiblility of housing Town vehicles, but at the present time decided that it would not be wise to do any repairs since the building was in poor condition and the cost would be a great expense for the Town.

A discussion was held on having Mr. Ted Yarborough, Architect, to complete plans for a new Town Hall & Fire Dept. and have at least two contractors to give an estimate as to cost of the building with free labor from the Fire Dept. and Rescue Squad. Councilman O'Dell made a motion that the possiblilty of a new bldg. be studied rather than repairs on the old bldg. Councilman Martin, 2nd the motion. Councilman Busha also voted favorable of this motion. Councilman Lesley, Herd and Wilson did not agree with this motion. Mayor Kelley, broke the tie by not agreeing with the motion.

Councilman Lesley made a motion that the Town accept the Fire Truck from the Wesleyan College as a gift with the understanding that the Town give protection to the College and Faculty. Councilman Martin seconded the motion. All Council members agreed.

Councilman Wilson, stated that the Health Dept. should be contacted about waterrunning from washing machine into yard at Glenn Cole's house also stream behind Ramsey Rollins house needed attention. Mr. Kelley said that he would contact the Health Dept. about these.

Councilman O'Dell, made a motion that an extra truck be hired at the rate of $5.00 per hour to help load dirt to fill in at cemetery

Councilman Busha seconded the motion. All council members agreed.

A discussion was held on R.B. Smith, W.C. Martin and Lem Merck being allowed to runxxxwx approximately 700 to 1000 ft. of 2in. water line down Shirley Road connecting to the Town Main line and deeding the line to the Town with one tap on at free of charge each. Councilman O'Dell made a motion that the three be allowed to run this line and a tap on each at free of charge and that the property owners deed the line to the Town. Councilman Busha, seconded the motion. All members agreed, that these tapons be installed at any time needed and convenient for the property owners.

Being no futher business the meeting adjourned.

Mayor

Attest:

Clerk & Treasurer