

Town of Central

Central, S. C. 29630

Councilmen

Mr. Al Cumbie
Mr. George Fowler
Mr. Furman Hopkins
Mr. Jack Kennemore
Mr. Glen O'Dell
Mr. Herbert Thompson, Jr.

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Mayor

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MINUTES

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

October 16, 1973

Present: Messrs: Fowler, Thompson, Hopkins, Cumbie, O'Dell, and Kennemore.

The Humane Society presented a report on the number of animals handled by the society. Central has had 105 dogs and 67 cats from June 1, 1973, through October 15, 1973. Easley and Clemson have committed \$2000 annually for operation. A drawing and discussion of their new building was presented. Already there has been spent \$29,000 in building and equipment. Cost will run around \$35,000 because of volunteer labor. The Council will consider a donation in the budget.

Council on Aging in Central: The Council on Aging has a Telephone Reassurance Program whereby people who live alone are called once a day. They also have a Recreation Program to provide the elderly with a luncheon once a month. On Oct. 29 plan Nutrition Program--congregate in the dining room and plan the delivery of meals. They have a Health Program where aides go into the homes to help the aged. Over 9500 people to be served. Water and lights are needed in the old dining room. The proposed budget is \$35,000; they are \$6,000 short now and are asking Central for \$800. They recommended that older people be given Homestead Exemption, but Council did not approve.

Leland Brock presented a request for funding of the printing of History of Central. With the continual upcoming demand for such, it is felt that the printing should be as soon as possible. The printer has been contracted with for delivery prior to Christmas. It was requested that the Town pay for the printing and handle sales, and let the sales repay the Town. If there was any additional money, it would go to the library. The cost of printing from the Faith Printing Co. of Taylors, SC is:

1000 copies @ \$12.25 for one type & size

1000 copies @ \$11.20 for another type & size

A copyright may be obtained by sending a request and two (2) copies to the Library of Congress. A motion was made by O'Dell to underwrite the costs; motion seconded by Hopkins. Sales are to be handled by the Town office and all records of sales to be maintained by the same.

A motion was made by Thompson to buy a Dyna-Fog mosquito machine; seconded by Cumbie. One negative vote by O'Dell since frost will take care of mosquitos shortly. The cost is \$750.

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Replacement of the sewer line at the Colored Church was discussed. The cost would be approximately \$400. The Council decided to replace the sewer line at Mt. Zion rather than replace the entire sewer line to see if this would correct this problem. The cost is to be minimal. A motion to this effect was made by Cumbie and seconded by Hopkins.

A Tank Inspection Company will come in with remote television camera to show the condition of the water tower. If the Council decides to paint it, there will be no cost. Also there will be no service charge for Christmas decorations if the painting contract is let hold.

A motion to move the depot to the equipment lot was made by Cumbie; seconded by Hopkins, and passed.

November 12, 1973, is to be Ladies Night. This annual event will be held at the Southerner Restaurant.

A motion was made by Cumbie that the Sewer Surcharge outside the City limits be set at 100% of water bill; seconded by Hopkins. The motion was approved with one negative vote by Kennemore.

Overtime: A motion was made by Cumbie to pay John Head for time over 44 hours/week, and for any employee called out for emergency work over 44 hours/week. All overtime must be approved by the Department Head. The motion was seconded by Hopkins, and the approval was unanimous..

The old fire truck is wanted by Wilds Christian Day Camp, also the old tanker. Sealed bids will be accepted on three (3) trucks as a group.

Respectfully Submitted,

Katherine P. Hughes

H. R. Holladay
MAYOR