

Town of Central

CENTRAL, S. C.

October 24, 1972

A regular meeting of the Mayor and Town Council was held Tuesday night, October 24, 1972, 7:p.m, with the following attending: Mayor H.R. Holladay, Councilmen F.W. Hopkins, Jack Kennemore, Alton Cumbie Jr.; Herbert Thompson, Jr., George Folwer, Glen O'Dell, also representatives from the Anderson Independent and Messenger papers.

Mayor Holladay presided over the meeting. The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved, and minutes of two call meetings, read and approved with the exception of correction of property to be annexed near Central Wesleyan College.

Mayor Holladay commended the councilmen for their work and reputation in the past and encouraged them to continue.

A discussion was held on the Pickens County Municipal Ladies Night Banquet to be held at the Southerner, November 27th.. It was decided that a total of 24 would attend.

Mayor Holladay reported that work was ready to begin on the 88 Water District, which will be completed sometime early in 1973.

Councilman Fowler stated the Town would be losing two water customers, who will be connected to the 88 Water District, and thought the two should be reimbursed for taps made earlier. The customers being S.C. Carson and R.T. Martin. Councilman O'Dell made a motion that the two be given a refund. Councilman Thompson seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

It was reported that the private road for the south sewer plant and Mrs. Rampey, was being used by the public and a chain would probably be needed to keep the public from using it.

Mayor Holladay called for a report from the following committees: Water and sewerage committee reported approximately 65 feet of sewerage line should be extended on Greene Street. The council agreed for the committee to have this work done. Street and Police committee, stated a check had been made for dark areas and found several lights were needed. Councilman O'Dell made a motion that the committee study the lighting further and have lights installed where needed. Councilman Cumbie seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous. Parks, Recreation & Finance Committee: Councilman O'Dell presented the proposed budget for the fiscal year. Mayor Holladay ask that the budget be studied and adopted at the next meeting. Councilman Thompson presented recommendations for replacement of town clerk. No action was taken.

A discussion was held on purchasing a 2-way radio for the police car. Councilman O'Dell made a motion that the radio be purchased. Councilman Cumbie seconded the motion. The vote was unanimous.

An open discussion was held on the possibility of having road 93 widened at the caution light. Council decided that a letter should be written to the Hwy. Dept., for information on this. No further business was transacted at this meeting.