

# Town of Central

Central, S. C. 29630

H. Merritt Holladay  
Mayor

## Councilmen

Mr. Billy Joe Busha

Mr. George Fowler

Mr. Harman Hopkins

Mr. Jack Kennemore

Mr. Craig Porter

Mr. Herbert Thompson, Jr.

Catherine H. Hughes  
Town Clerk  
Treasurer

## CALLED COUNCIL MEETING MAY 25, 1976 MINUTES

Those present: Councilmen Thompson, Kennemore, Busha, Porter, Hopkins, & Fowler. Town administrator John Bethea, Clerk Catherine Hughes. Citizen of the Town Jr. Mann.

George Fowler Mayor Pro-Tem presided in the absence of Mayor Holladay for the meeting. Fowler called the meeting to order and the minutes of the last meeting was read and approved as read.

Fowler reconized Jr. Mann at the beginning of the meeting and gave the floor to Mr. Mann. Junior's request to the council was changing the present business license from Calvin Mann Automotive Research into his name (Jr. Mann). This being zoned in a R-6 residential area where no business are to be established after the adopting of the Zoning Ordinance as of Sept. 18, 1973 in which was already in operation at the adopting of this ordinance Calvin Mann's name. Kennemore ask the question to Junior if council saw fit to grant license to him would he agree to set hours to operate? Junior stated if work goes on he would see that it was kept quiet but could not agree to set hours. After much discussion a motion was made by Porter and 2nd by Busha for Bethea to get in touch with the Town Attorney and see if this could be changed into another name without being rezoned and present at the next council meeting. Council agreed.

Trailer located on the lot of Calvin Mann's must meet specification of the zoning ordinance before a permit is granted.

Motion by Thompson to grant the request from the Planning Commission for the change of zoning of the Grover Littlejohn property from R-6 to GC. Motion 2nd by Hopkins. Council approved.

John Bethea read Ordinance pertaining to the Home rule as follows:

- 1) An Ordinance to Provide for a Mayor Pro Tempore for the Town of Central
- 2) An Ordinance providing for the salary of Mayor and Councilmen and repayment of their expense.
- 3) An Ordinance providing for the filing of nominating petitions, holding primaries or conventions, the entry of candidates for nominations in Municipal party primaries or conventions and closing of entries.
- 4) An Ordinance adopting Non-Partisan election procedures.
- 5) An Ordinance providing for the terms of Mayor and Council for the Town of Central.
- 6) An Ordinance providing for boundaries of wards and precincts.
- 7) An Ordinance providing for the time of taking and leaving office.
- 8) An ordinance providing for the Method of election of Mayor and Councilmen for the Town of Central.
- 9) An ordinance to create the municipal election commission for the Town of Central.

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Motion by Hopkins 2nd by Busha to adopt the Ordinance as were read.  
Council approved.

Request by Bethea to purchase an answering service for the Police  
Dept., with a 90 day warranty . Price \$100.00. Motion by Porter  
2nd by Kennemore. Council approved.

Bethea stated to the Council that work sheet, and daily logs have been  
printed.

Fowler ask Porter if the police committee had met with chief Porter  
stated the meeting had been met.

Question from Hopkins concerning dogs. Bethea stated a man came in  
today for this job but he hadn't checked him out.

Meeting adjourned.

May 26,

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Motion by Thompson 2nd by Busha to approve election committee  
Mrs. Norman Lawrence, Mrs. Catherine Carson & Mrs. E.L. Bolick.  
Council approved by phone.

Attest:

Catherine Hughes  
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