

SPECIAL MEETING

Town of Central

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At a Special meeting July 24, 1953 at 7 P. M. the following were present: G. M. Perry, Mayor; G. T. Newton, C. B. Bryan, C. F. James, Grady Berry, Doyle Elrod and J. W. Wallace, Jr.

The meeting was called to order by the Mayor and the first thing before the Council was a petition signed by a majority of the free holders calling for an election to extend water lines and put in fire hydrants. The ordinance for calling this election was discussed and Mr. Perry let the council read a proposed ordinance that was made up according to the laws of S. C. The members read the ordinance and J. W. Wallace, Jr. made motion that ordinance be passes as is. C. F. James 2nd the motion. The Mayor then asked if there was any discussion. G. T. Newton asked if all the money will be spent on lines, if the people should elect to extend lines. Mr. Perry then stated that the Engineer will blueprint the extension, then put all these lines and tie on to the old system. Then bids will be let on this. It will be given to low bidder if the council thinks it is proper and right. Whatever the bid is the amount that will be issued in bonds. The amount cannot be over what is specified but can be under that amount. G. T. Newton asked if the filter plant would be enlarged. Mr. Perry said there was nothing about the filter plant just enlargement of the lines and tying onto old system. G. T. Newton says he is in favor of the water but not in going into debt like that, when we can get it for less. Mr. Perry then got out the estimated from the Engineer. It estimated that the work can be done for \$72,000 but the bond issue was set up for \$75,000.00. Mr. Perry hopes we can come under that figure. The above motion was put to a vote. J. W. Wallace, Jr. C. B. Bryan, C. F. James, Grady Berry and Doyle Elrod were in favor of letting the people vote on this issue. G. T. Newton did not vote.

The managers of the boxes were disucees and the Council voted on J. G. Duckett, Helen Griffin and T. P. Kelley for managers of the Town box and Ruth Bolick, Reece McAlister, and Marvin Barrett for the Mill Box.

C. F. James made a motion that the bills be okayed at this meeting and not have a meeting the 1st of August.

The meeting then adjourned.

G. M. Perry, Mayor

Attest:


Sara S. James