

MINUTES
Budget Workshop Meeting
Sumter County Council
Thursday, March 22, 2007 – 5:00 p.m.
Sumter County Council Chambers
County Administration Building – 13 E. Canal Street – Sumter, SC 29150

PRESENT: Vivian Fleming-McGhaney, Chairwoman, Eugene Baten, Artie Baker, Jimmy Byrd, Larry Blanding, Charles T. Edens, and Roland Robinson.

STAFF: Mary W. Blanding, Pam Craven, Angie Graham, William T. Noonan, and The Honorable Carolina B. Richardson.

Call to Order: The Chairwoman, Vivian Fleming-McGhaney, called the meeting to order.

Invocation – The Chairwoman gave the invocation.

Discussion Items:

- Report and Recommendation From Public Safety Committee (3/22/07)**

The Chairman of the Public Works Committee, Councilman Baker, presented the following recommendations for approval:

Intersection Streetlights.

A. Hugh Ryan and Catchall Road – Close to Highway 261
B. Ramsey Road and Paige Drive (School Bus Stop)
C. Capetown Road and Stamey Livestock Road
D. Fountain Court and Sargent Road

ACTION: MOTION and second received from the Committee, and unanimously carried by Council to approve the intersection streetlights as presented. The Clerk was asked to follow-up on this matter.

Discussion On The Need To Adopt A Policy Concerning Safety On County Roadways After An Animal Has Been Killed On The County’s Roadway Or Easement.

This matter was discussed and referred to the Administrator and the County Attorney to develop a policy and bring it before Council for approval.

Request For Traffic Stop Sign At Plowden Mill Road and Highway 378

This matter was received as information and referred to the Clerk to follow-up with a letter to SCDOT concerning a traffic stop sign at the intersection of Plowden Mill Road and Highway 763 and not 378.

- Sumter County Government's Budget for 2007-2008, and Other Matters Relating Thereto.**

The County Administrator and the Financial staff presented information concerning the budget as follows:

1. Millage Limitation – Fiscal Year 2007-2008
2. Other Revenue Considerations
3. Projected Debt Limit
4. Capital Projects – Priorities
5. Input

The Administrator and the Financial staff will continue to work on the budget and present Council members with their budget notebooks on April 10, 2007.

- It May Be Necessary To Hold An Executive Session to Discuss A Legal, Personnel, or Contractual Matter.

No executive session was held.

- IV. Additional Concerns: None
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- V. Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at approximately 5:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary W. Blanding
Mary W. Blanding, Clerk to County Council

cc: Sumter County Council
Mr. William T. Noonan
Mrs. Mary W. Blanding
Mr. Johnathan Bryan
Mrs. Angie Graham
Mrs. Pam Craven
Sumter County Department Heads

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