

MINUTES, OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Oconee County Council was held November 16, 1982 at 3:00 P.M. in Council Chambers with all members present except Dr. Earle.

Members of the press present: Dick Mangrum - WSNW Radio, Sharon Lucas - Anderson Independent, Dave Givens - Greenville News & Glen Gannaway - Seneca Journal.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor-Chairman Crain who welcomed the guests and media.

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) to approve the minutes of the November 1, 1982 meeting as printed.

Upon recommendation from Mr. Ken Williams, County Auditor, Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) to set the millage for tax year 1982-83 at 124 mills. This is 39 mills for county operation and 85 mills for school operation.

Also upon recommendation from Mr. Williams, Mr. Brandt made a motion, seconded by Mr. Harper, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) to send out all notices except real estate notices by December 1, 1982 and set a target date of December 15, 1982 to send out the real estate notices. The notices are later this year due to the reassessment.

Mr. Williams also recommended that the penalty dates be extended due to the lateness of the notices going out.

Mr. Brandt made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) that for the 1982-83 tax year only the penalty date be extended to March 15, 1983 and the execution date be extended to April 15, 1983 with the 1% penalty being foregone.

Mr. Doyle Kay of the Anderson-Oconee Alcohol & Drug Abuse Commission presented the attached quarterly report to Council.

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Since Bonding Council for J & J Display Co. has not supplied Oconee County with proper documents the second reading of Ordinance 82-12, "Industrial Revenue Bonds for J & J Display Co." was postponed.

Mr. Brandt made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) to adopt Ordinance 82-13, "Industrial Revenue Bonds for Duke Power Co." up to \$130,000,000 on second reading.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Brandt, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) to adopt in title only on first reading Ordinance 82-14, "Repealing Ordinance 82-6, Acceptance of Roads in Subdivisions".

Mr. Butts said Council welcomed any input the public might have regarding this ordinance.

Mr. Brandt made a motion, seconded by Mr. Harper, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) that Harris Marine & RV, Inc. be awarded the bid for the pontoon boat, motor & trailer in the amount of \$7860 plus sales tax plus \$39.00 registration fee as they were the only bidder. This is for Emergency Preparedness and is to be paid for from line item 53 99 00 3.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) that Oconee County secure an easement from the Corp of Engineers on behalf of Foxwood Hills for Foxwood Hills to build and maintain at no cost to the county a convenience dock, launching facilities and storage for dry docking and for Foxwood Hills to enter into a contract with Oconee County to cause the above mentioned to be insured at no cost to the county and to post signs stating this is a public park.

Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) that the Planning Commission sell a sign that has been up for a number of years and is no longer visible from the highway for 100.00. This sign is on I-85. Mr. Fedder, County Attorney advised this was the proper way to handle the matter.

Mr. Brandt announced there would be a sediment control plan in the near future.

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Mr. Crain announced there would be a public auction in the near future to sell the attached list of surplus equipment. Mr. Butts made a motion this list of equipment be sold by bid process and that Oconee County reserve the right to refuse any and all bids. This motion was seconded by Mr. Harper, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent).

Mr. Crain also announced there would be bids to secure an auctioneer for this and one price would cover the bidding of all items.

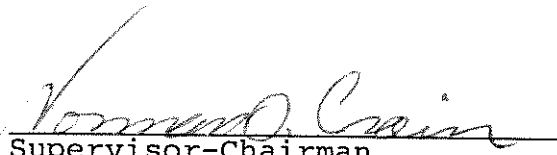
Mr. Crain gave the enclosed road work report.

Mr. Williams said his committee was still studying the cannery situation.

Mr. Crain asked the Council Members to make vacant commission appointments as soon as possible.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Harper, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle absent) that the county accept the recommendation of \$8648 as starting salary for an executive secretary. This is based on a study by COG.

Adjourn 4:00 P.M.

  
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Supervisor-Chairman  
Oconee County