MINUTES, OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Oconee County Council was held January 17, 1984 at 3:00 PM in Council Chambers with all members present except Mr. Brandt who came in at 3:30 PM.

Members of the press present: Dick Mangrum - WSNW Radio, Mary McKenna - Greenville News & Mark Davis-Seneca Journal.

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

The invocation was given by Mr. Butts.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 4 - 0 (Mr. Brandt absent) to adopt the minutes of the January 3, 1984 meeting as printed.

Mr. Doyle Kay of the Anderson-Oconee Alcohol & Drug Abuse Commission presented the attached summary of activities for 1983 to Council. In his report he noted that in 1978 the age group with problems was 45 years of age and up, in 1983 the age group is 18-24. The problem is more alcohol than drugs.

Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 4 - 0 (Mr. Brandt absent) to adopt the attached Arts & Historical Contract.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 4 - 0 (Mr. Brandt absent) that County Roadway TU 5 be abandoned with the understanding that a portion of the roadway shall be improved and the remainder of the roadway shall be rerouted and construction shall be in accordance with County Ordinance 82-14 and dedicated to public use.

 $\,$ Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 to sell the old Walhalla Library through the sealed bid process with Oconee County reserving the right to refuse any and all bids.

Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 5 - 0 to assign the Election Commission the old office of Registration Board upstairs in the courthouse for the storing of records.

Press

Minutes

Summary of Alcohol & Drug for 1983

Arts Comm. Contract

Abandon TU 5

Sell old Walhalla Library

Office space for Election Commission

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Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 that \$50.00 be taken from contingency and placed in line item 49 98 00 1 to refund Mr. Olin Morgan six months on his license to haul refuse to the landfill.

Refund on landfill license

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Brandt, approved 5 - 0 that \$100.00 be taken from contingency for postage for bulk mailing the agricultural forms for the Assessor's Office.

Postage for Assessor's Office

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 that the attached transfers (no new monies) be made.

Transfers

Dr. Earle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - O that Mr. Robert Gaillard & Dr. A. A. Martin be reappointed to represent Oconee County on the Board of the Council of Governments. It is two (2) year terms.

COG Appts.

Mr. Hunnicutt announced there would be a Proposed Use Hearing to receive public comments and suggestions on the use of \$736,381 Revenue Sharing Funds February 7, 1984 at 7:00 PM.

Revenue Sharing Hearing

Mr. Crain informed Council that Johnson Controls was in need of a building for a period of four to six months with 4,000 square feet and twelve foot ceilings to train personnel for a new industry. He referred this matter to the Building & Grounds Committee.

Bldg. for Johnson Controls

Mr. Crain asked the Personnel & Intergovernmental Committee to look into the possibility of having someone move into a mobile home at South Cove Park to be available when the manager is on vacation, etc. with the salary being paid back to the county as rent.

Parks employed

Mr. Crain announced that some time ago the Sewer Commission received a request that an individual be allowed to tear down an old house that is not useable. However, this will have to be advertised and bids accepted for this old building with the stipulation that all debris will be cleared away and Oconee County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids for Bldg. owned b Sewer Comm.

Some time ago the City of Seneca requested that Oconee County collect their delinquent taxes. Council agreed that it should remain as it is at the present time with this to be reconsidered at a later time.

Delinquent tax collectio

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Council agreed to meet with the mayors of the cities February 7, 1984 at 5:30 PM to discuss the housing of the city prisoners.

Adjourn 4:10 PM

Meeting with Mayors

Norman D. Crain Supervisor-Chairman Oconee County Council