

MINUTES, OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Oconee County Council was held Tuesday, June 2, 1987 at 7:00 PM in Council Chambers with all Council Members and the County Attorney present.

Members of the press notified (by mail): Seneca Journal, Keowee Courier, Greenville News, The Oconee Leader, Anderson Independent, WGOG Radio, WSNW Radio, WCCP Radio, WYFF TV & WLOS TV.

Press

Members of the press present: Cindy Landrum - The Oconee Leader, Dave Partenheimer - WSNW Radio, Sue Nolan - Seneca Journal, Randall Holcombe - Greenville News & Dede Noringolo - Seneca Journal.

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

The invocation was given by Dr. Earle.

Invocation

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Dyar, approved 5 - 0 that the minutes of the May 19, 1987 meeting be adopted as printed.

Minutes

Mr. Howard Adams and Mr. Bob Winchester presented the proposed 1987-88 Sewer Commission Budget to Council. Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 that the proposed budget be adopted. (See attached budget)

Sewer Budget

At the request of Mr. Winchester, Mr. Dyar made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 that the attached contract for an Industrial Waste Pre-Treatment Program be adopted for Seneca, Walhalla, Westminster & West Union.

Ind. Waste
Pre-Treatment

Dr. Earle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 that a JTPA Worker be approved for Veterans Affairs.

JTPA Worker
For V/A

Mr. Dyar made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle that Ordinance 87-7, "1987-88 Oconee County Budget Ordinance" be adopted on third and final reading.

Ord. 87-7

Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 that the revenue and expenditures in Ordinance 87-7 be amended \$8,432. (See attachment)

Amendments To
Ord. 87-7

Ordinance 87-7, "1987-88 Oconee County Budget Ordinance" as amended was adopted by a vote of 4 - 1 with Mr. Butts voting against on third and final reading.

Adoption of
Ord. 87-7

Mr. Bob Busch of the Carlton Company presented the Sun Life of Canada Dental Insurance Proposal to Council. He stated the coverage is basically the same as we are presently receiving from Blue Cross/Blue Shield, the cost is basically the same, although family coverage rates are some lower and the cost is guaranteed for two (2) years.

Dental
Proposal

Mr. Crain read the attached statement from the Ethics Commission stating that no public office holder shall participate in votes, deliberations or hearings in any matter that will substantially affect his financial interest. Dr. Earle then gave Mr. Crain the attached statement: "In view of the fact that I am a stockholder in Patient's Choice HMO, I will not vote in any action concerning or involving this HMO."

Ethics
Report

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 4 - 0 (Dr. Earle out of room) that Oconee County accept Patient's Choice's proposal for the same health insurance as we currently have for fiscal year 1987-88 with a 10% increase in rates over last year.

Health Ins.

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 that Oconee County accept Sun Life of Canada's proposal for dental insurance for fiscal year 1987-88.

Dental Ins.

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

Transfers

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Dyar, approved 5 - 0 that a new tractor be purchased for PRT from Powell Brothers at a cost of \$5,779.20 with a trade in of a 1972 tractor.

PRT Tractor

Dr. Earle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 5 - 0 that a John Deere mower be purchased for PRT from Hughes Equipment at a cost of \$9,228.45.

PRT Mower

(See attached bid sheets)

Mr. Harper made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 that Dr. Robert Dendy be reappointed to the Alcohol & Drug Abuse Commission with his term commencing immediately and expiring June 30, 1989.

Alcohol &
Drug Appt.

Mr. Dyar made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 that in the future when a department has a transfer of funds in excess of \$200 that transfer be signed by the sub-committee chairman prior to presentation to Council.

Transfers

Mr. Dyar made a motion, seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0 that Resolution 87-6, "A Resolution Honoring the Seneca "Bobcat" Baseball Team on Becoming State AAA Champions" be adopted on first and final reading.

Res. 87-6

Dr. Earle informed Council he had been approached by a Waste Management Firm who would like to make a presentation to Council. It was the consensus of Council for Dr. Earle to invite them to make this presentation.

Waste
Management

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Mr. Dyar, approved 5 - 0 that the old library building be put out for bids to sell as is or receive proposals to tear down.

Old Library

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 that signs be posted at all green boxes stating the boxes are for household garbage only. (See attached example)

Green Box
Signs

Dr. Earle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 5 - 0 that a pay phone be installed in the LEC Building.

Pay Phone At
LEC

Dr. Earle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Dyar, approved 4 - 1 (Mr. Butts voting against) that effective July 1, 1987 the following gravel prices go into effect:

Gravel Prices

#1 Crusher Run	\$4.50 per ton
#2 Crusher Run	\$4.00 per ton
#4 Clean Stone	\$5.25 per ton
Surge Stone	\$4.50 per ton
Rip Rap	\$4.50 per ton
Dust	\$3.65 per ton

Red Dirt - Service Charge for Loading:

a) Single Axle Load	\$5.00
b) Tandem Load	\$8.00
c) Tractor Trailer Load	\$10.00

At this time Council recessed long enough to look at the impound lot where a proposed building is to be placed.

Portable Bldg.

When Council resumed open session, Mr. Williams made motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 that a portable building be built in the impound lot and the 22' X 60' floor plan submitted by Mr. Bill Richardson be accepted.

Adjourn: 9:30 PM

Norman D. Crain
Supervisor-Chairman
Oconee County Council