

MINUTES OF A BUDGET WORK SESSION  
SALUDA COUNTY COUNCIL  
TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 2018  
IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CALLED MEETING  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF SALUDA COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
400 WEST HIGHLAND STREET, SALUDA, SOUTH CAROLINA 29138

A. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Derrick W. Jones called the Budget Work Session to order at 7:13 P.M.

Present were:                      Chm. Derrick W. Jones  
    Coun. Jones P. Butler  
    Coun. J. Frank Daniel, Sr.  
    Coun. D. J. Miller  
    Coun. Gwendolyn C. Shealy

Also present were:                County Director, Sandra G. Padget  
    Clerk to Council, Karen T. Whittle

B. PUBLIC INFORMATION

It is noted by the Clerk herein, that in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act, notice of the budget work session was given to the local news media and properly posted, to include the county website.

C. BUDGET WORK SESSION

Roads and Bridges

Roads and Bridges Superintendent, Billie Corley reviewed the leases on two new motorgraders from the two companies on the state contract, Blanchard and Flint.

General consensus of Council agreed on the lease agreement of two motorgraders from Blanchard.

Coroner

General consensus of Council to change the following budget line items to:

- #15    \$0 (did not approve Coroner's conference since training hours could be obtained in Greenwood and at the monthly Coroner Association meetings.)
- #18    \$1,102
- #26    \$370 (delete law books \$250 and Mobile Cot maintenance \$677 due to transport service; see #26 excel sheet for maintenance contracts)
- #41    \$0
- #64    \$330 (delete registration for Coroner's conference \$300)

**Coroner (cont.)**

#71 \$845

#65 \$21,250 (see #65 excel sheet for list of services and amounts). General consensus of Council for the following: 1) deceased will no longer be transported in county vehicles due to using transport services; and 2) toxicology reports must go to SLED since there are no costs to the county if sent to SLED. General consensus of Council to keep the Coroner's truck and the van that a Deputy Coroner is driving while the Coroner is out on Workers Comp, and once the Coroner is off of workers comp, then decide which one of the two vehicles to keep; and the spare van that is not being used put in the first Enterprise rotation but not to be replaced.

**Treasurer**

General consensus of Council to change the following budget line item to:

#15 \$1,460

General consensus of Council for the Treasurer to attend the Fall and Spring SCATT conference.

**Delinquent Tax Collector**

General consensus of Council for the Delinquent Tax Collector to attend the Fall and Spring SCATT conference.

**Public Buildings**

General consensus of Council to change the following budget line items to:

#20 \$103,738

#62 \$481,968

**IT**

General consensus of Council to change the following budget line item to:

#05 \$10,683

and leave line items #72 and #88 as previously discussed.

**Sheriff**

General consensus of Council to change the following budget line item to:

#18 \$12,745

General consensus of Council for the Sheriff's Office to purchase a 2014 Chevrolet Impala PPV for the Part-time Process Server in the amount of \$7,200.00 plus outfitting the vehicle to be paid from the Sheriff's 4D funds, with the County paying for insurance, fuel, and major repairs to include bodywork, and the Sheriff paying for oil changes and replacement of tires from 4D funds.

**Detention Center**

General consensus of Council to change the following budget line item to:

#18 \$1,977

**Building Codes**

Council staff informed Council increasing building code permit fees would require amending the building code ordinance. Council directed staff for first reading to be in the July 9<sup>th</sup> Council meeting.

**Solid Waste**

General consensus of Council to change the following budget line item to:

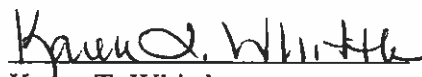
#18 \$391

**Cost for Copies**

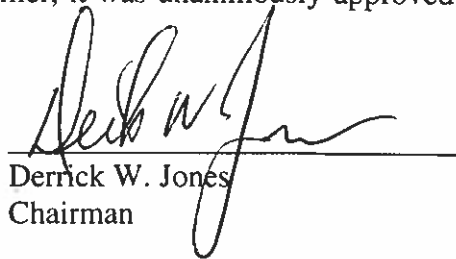
General consensus of Council to increase the cost of copies provided by county offices, excluding the Library, to .50. FOIA copy cost would remain at .25.

D. **ADJOURNMENT**

On motion of Coun. Butler, seconded by Coun. Miller, it was unanimously approved to adjourn the budget work session at 8:31 P.M.



Karen T. Whittle  
Clerk to Council



Derrick W. Jones  
Chairman

June 25, 2018  
Date Approved