MINUTES OF A BUDGET WORK SESSION SALUDA COUNTY COUNCIL

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2019 at 5:30 P.M.

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 5:39 P.M.

Present were:

Chm. Derrick W. Jones

Coun. Jones P. Butler (in @ 6:22)

Coun. J. Frank Daniel, Sr.

Coun. D. J. Miller

Also present were:

County Director, Sandra G. Padget

Clerk to Council, Karen T. Whittle

Absent was:

Coun. Justin Anderson

B. INVOCATION

Coun. Daniel delivered the invocation.

C. 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.

D. BUDGET WORK SESSION

Detention Center

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

#17 - \$2,600

#21 - \$6,300

#26 - \$42,865

#28 - \$12,000

#41 - \$6,980

#43 - \$4,000

#45 - \$65,000

revisit closer to end of fiscal year

#64 - \$2,000

#83 - \$1,525

cost for five chairs

Detention Center (cont.)

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

#02 - \$2,500

#15 - \$6,000

#20 - \$58,000

#65 - \$110,000

SHP contract \$107,714.76; General consensus of Council agreed for \$2,285.24 for miscellaneous medical expenses, to include cost of prescriptions over the \$8,100 cap of the SHP contract.

Left all other budget line items at department request.

<u>Airport</u>

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

#20 - \$2,800

#21 - \$2,050

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

#23 - \$50,000

#79 - \$0

General consensus of Council agreed that if a FAA project was awarded in FY19-20, Council would consider funding the county's match from contingency.

Left all other budget line items at department request.

Building Codes

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line item:

#10 - \$1,000

Set of new adopted code books to be available in the county office for public review.

Line item #72 to be revisited after Safe Built and the County Attorney submit the new contract.

Roads and Bridges

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

#10 - \$150

#17 - \$46,500

#21 - \$3,700

Roads and Bridges (cont.)

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#26 - $3,800
#79 - $1,925
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General consensus of Council changed the following budget line items to:

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#02 - $1,000
#27 - $20,000
#33 - $120,000
#34 - $500
#35 - $0
#72 - $8,000
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#85 - \$0

Requested Roads and Bridges Superintendent to obtain different manufacturers lease prices on requested dump truck and backhoe.

Left all other budget line items at department request.

Vehicle Maintenance

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

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#10 - $100
#17 - $3,000
#21 - $325
#31 - $500
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General consensus of Council changed the following budget line item to:

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#27 - $700
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Left all other budget line items at department request.

Solid Waste

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

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#17 - $500
#21 - $5,600
#44 - $400
#71 - $300
#79 - $2,200
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General consensus of Council for staff to obtain quotes on monitors for convenience center attendants to wear.

Left all other budget line items at department request.

Risk Management

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

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#10 - $150
#14 - $40
#15 - $300
#17 - $1,000
#21 - $540
#79 - $200
```

Left all other budget line items at department request.

Recreation

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

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#14 - $650
#15 - $825
#17 - $700
#20 - $11,000
#21 - $1,140
#62 - $2,310
#79 - $16,025
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Left all other budget line items at department request.

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***Coun. Butler entered work session.***
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<u>Library</u>

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

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#10 - $300
#20 - $7,410
#26 - $1,900
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General consensus of Council changed the following budget line item to:

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#79 - $4,506
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General consensus of Council agreed for the total library budget to be \$127,528.00, which was the total for Fiscal Year 2018-2019.

Left all other budget line items at department request.

Library State-Aid

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation for all budget line items for a total of \$75,000.00 provided by state-aid.

Insurance

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation, but to revisit closer to end of fiscal year.

Annual Leave

General consensus of Council to leave budget as requested.

Unemployment Compensation

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

#03 - \$2,000

Piedmont Technical College Appropriation

Piedmont Technical College requested appropriations in the amount of \$225,178.00 for Fiscal Year 2019-2020. Piedmont Tech receives funding for appropriations according to revenue collected from three (3) mills.

General consensus of Council to fund Piedmont Tech appropriations according to the revenue collected from three (3) mills.

Piedmont Technical College Bond

Bond amount for Fiscal Year 2019-2020 is \$126,250.50. Bond millage is set in accordance to state law by the Auditor and Treasurer.

Clerk of Court

General consensus of Council agreed for the Document Management System for the Clerk of Court's office. The Clerk of Court to pay for the scanner in the amount of \$4,994.00, ½ from remaining FY18-19 court costs and ½ from Clerk of Court DSS funds. The Clerk of Court to pay for The Document Management System, software and services out of 4D funds in the amount of \$42,745.00.

This system has the capability to be expanded for other county departments.

Information Technology (IT)

General consensus of Council accepted the administrative recommendation of the following budget line items:

#17 - \$1,000

#21 - \$1,070

#26 - \$34,207

#31 - \$75

#88 - \$83,054

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

#72 - \$6,000

Deleted emergency IT Support Services due to two employees in department.

Left all other budget line items at department request.

E. ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Chm. Jones, seconded by Coun. Miller, it was unanimously approved to adjourn the budget work session at 7:05 P.M.

Karen T. Whittle Clerk to Council

Chairman Chairman

Date Approved