MINUTES, OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING, AUGUST 4, 1981

The regular Oconee County Council Meeting was held Tuesday, August 4, 1981 at 7:00 P.M. in Council Chambers. All members of the Council were present.

Members of the press present were: Jim Lucas - Seneca Journal & Ashton Hester - Keowee Courier.

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

The invocation was given by Mr. Butts.

Mr. Williams made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 to approve the minutes of the July 28, 1981 meeting.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Dr. Earle, approved 5 - 0 to approve the minutes of the special meetings held June 19, 1981 and July 10, 1981.

Mr. Williams presented Ordinance 81 - 10, Industrial Revenue Bond for Steel Heddle Mfg. Co. He then made a motion this ordinance be adopted on first reading, seconded by Mr. Harper, approved 5 - 0.

Mr. Crain announced there would be a special meeting of the Council August 7, 1981 at 9:00 A.M. for the second reading of Ordinance 81 - 10.

Mr. Glenn Hammett of Smith Data Processing gave a presentation to Council on computer service within the county. In his presentation he stated the tax center and Supervisor's Office could use the computer at the same time and it could save the County as much as \$20,000 to \$25,000 per year in computer costs. The County would be able to do administrative checks on the computer and have a record of current expenditures.

Mr. Thomas R. McLeod of Smith Data gave a brief demonstation of the payroll system.

Mr. Crain welcomed Mr. George Hunnicutt as Comptroller for Oconee County.

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Mr. Brandt presented to Council Resolution 81 - 6, Oconee County Emergency Siren Warning System and made a motion this resolution be adopted on first and final reading. This motion was seconded by Mr. Butts, approved 5 - 0.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 4 - 0 that Oconee County buy a roller from Van Lott at a cost of \$17,319.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Brandt, approved 4 - 0 that Mr. Joe McCall be selected as CPA for the county for fiscal year 1981-82.

Mr. Butts read a letter written to Mr. Robert J. Hayden, Chairman, Volunteer of the Year Award Committee - SCIDA recognizing Mr. Robert Gaillard as Number I Industrial Recruiter of the year and made a motion that Mr. Crain as Supervisor-Chairman be allowed to sign this letter. This motion was seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 4 - 0.

Mr. Butts made a motion, seconded by Mr. Williams, approved 3 - 0 with Mr. Harper abstaining that the county furnish 5,872 tons of gravel for the Westminster-Oakway High School

Adjourn 8:30 P.M.

Norman D. Crain, Supervisor-Chairman