

Newberry County Council Public Safety and Courts Committee

January 14, 2013

The regular quarterly meeting for the Newberry County Council Public Safety and Courts Committee was held on January 14, 2013, 6:00 p.m. in the Courthouse Annex Conference Room.

PRESENT: John Caldwell, Chairman
Kirksey Koon, Councilmen
Bill Waldrop, Councilmen

OTHERS PRESENT: Danny Gilliam, Barbara Kemp, Joe Frick, Justin Washburn, Lee Foster,
Wayne Adams, Laurie Renwick, Scott Cain, Larry Dehart, Ervin West,
Todd Johnson, Wesley Boland

MEDIA: None Present

1. Call to Order and Invocation

Chairman Caldwell called the meeting to order followed by invocation.

2. Election of Chairman for 2013- Wayne Adams, County Administrator

Bill Waldrop was elected Chairman

3. Approval of November 26, 2012 Minutes

November 26, 2012 Minutes passed with all in favor.

4. Recommendation to Purchase Protective Clothing for Fire Departments-Laurie Renwick, Clerk to Council

Recommendation was approved with all members in favor.

5. Update on New Sheriff's Office Building-Sheriff Lee Foster, Barbara Kemp, and Ervin West, Carter Goble Lee.

- Mr. Adams stated the Sheriff will choose an evaluation committee. This committee is to make sure they choose a contractor that is qualified to do a project this size.

Ervin West:

- Over 90% of the specs are done.
- Issued RFQ for the contractors; should be in on January 31, 2013.

- Drawing and specs are public information.
- This project should take 7 month to do.
- Moving the EOC to the front right corner will meet all city zoning requirements.
- The tower will be moved to the front right side of the building.
- The budget is not over or under that means it could go either way.

6. Update on Whitmire EMS/Rescue Squad Building- Ervin West, Carter Goble Lee.

Ervin West:

- Pickens Roof from Greenville, SC won the bid for the roof.
- Roof work will start on January 21st or 22nd.
- Architect will be finished with the drawings next week.

7. Executive Session (if needed)

Not needed

8. Public Comments

Chairman Waldrop asked if there were any public comments.

There were no public comments at that time.

9. Adjourn

Councilmen Koon made the motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman Caldwell.

Chairman Waldrop declared the meeting adjourned at 6:29 p.m.

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APPROVED:

Bill Waldrop, Chairman

Zenda McClurkin, Recorder