Walterboro City Council Special Called Meeting January 3, 2008

MINUTES

Having been duly advertised as required by law, a Special Called Meeting of Walterboro City Council was held at City Hall on Thursday, January 3, 2008 at 12:00 noon to discuss personnel matters and a legal matter. Mayor Pro-Tem Bill Young presided.

PRESENT WERE: Mayor Pro-Tem Bill Young, Council Members: Randy Peters, Charles Lucas, Ted Parker, Franklin Smalls and Mary Anne Cannady. Acting City Manager Charlie Chewning, City Clerk Betty Hudson and City Attorney George Cone were also present. Mayor Charlie Sweat was absent.

There being a quorum present, Mayor Pro-Tem Young called the meeting to order and called on Council Member Smalls for the invocation and Council Member Parker to lead the Pledge of Allegiance to our flag.

Mayor Pro-Tem Young then asked for a motion to enter an executive session for personnel matters and a legal matter. Said motion was made by Council Member Peters, seconded by Council Member Lucas and passed unanimously. Mayor Sweat was absent and did not vote.

The meeting returned to Open Session and a motion was made by Council Member Cannady, seconded by Council Member Smalls, to appoint Charlie C. Chewning as Interim City Manager until a time that Council names a permanent City Manager. The motion passed with all members voting in favor. Mayor Sweat was absent and did not vote on the motion.

Next, on a motion by Council Member Parker, Council approved First Reading by Title Only, An Ordinance to Amend Section 5.103 of the Walterboro City Code to Provide that City Council Shall Determine the Number of Associate Municipal Judges, to Provide for the Appointment of and Contracting for the Services of Associate Judges by City Council, and Related Matters. Council Member Lucas seconded the motion that passed unanimously. Mayor Sweat was absent and did not vote.

No public comments were made.

There being no further business to consider a motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Smalls, seconded by Council Member Cannady and passed unanimously. The Mayor Pro-Tem adjourned the meeting at 12:50 P.M. Notice of this meeting was distributed to all local media and posted on the City Hall bulletin board at least twenty-four hours prior to meeting time.

Respectfully,

Betty J. Hudson City Clerk