

**Town Council
Work Session
March 1, 2004
7:00 PM**

After due notice to the press Town Council met in Council Chambers of the Town Hall, Mayor and all Council members were present.

1) Council Updates:

Mayor Burdette read from a portion of a document put out by Colleges and Universities, recognizing Studio South, which is a group of Clemson University students, who demolished the Keese Barn and built a monument from materials from Keese Barn. An article in this document stated that Designs by these Clemson Students will be featured in a continuing exhibit of the top 100 designs from the home house for the Southeastern Center for contemporary art International Design Competition. Also in the article Clemson Student Ben Thompson, was Recognized for having found the Old "Jim Crowe" 1913 Ordinance which was brought to Mayor Burdette's attention. Mayor Burdette and Town Council repealed the Ordinance in November 2003.

Unanimously by the Pendleton Town Council in November 2003.

Mayor Burdette stated that in Columbia at the State Museum a traveling exhibit would be there until April that talks about the entire Jim Crowe era. As a part of the town's Cultural Diversity movement, on March 27 the Town will offer the use of the Town van to travel to Columbia to view this exhibit. This will be on a first come first serve basis. A Carpool could also be arranged if needed. This announcement will be in the Next Newsletter.

Also those interested in taking the trip to Scotland should contact the Administrator at Town Hall.

Mayor Burdette gave an update on the Heritage Corridor Discovery Center. The meetings have been very favorable for Pendleton but a decision has not yet been made.

After a brief overview of items on the Agenda for Regular Session, the Work Session was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted _____

Mayor _____

Council:

Ward 1 _____

Ward 2 _____

Ward 3 _____

Ward 4 _____

**Pendleton Town Council
Regular Session
March 1, 2004
7:30 PM
Council Chambers Town Hall**

After Due notice to the Press Pendleton Town Council Met in Council Chamber of Town Hall. Mayor and All Council were present.

1) Welcome to Leadership Pendleton 2004 Class

Mayor Burdette welcomed members of the Leadership Pendleton Leadership Class of 2004.

2) Minutes of Prior Meetings:

February 2, 2004 Work Session
February 2, 2004 Regular Session

After reviewing the above minutes a correction was made in Item #5 that being the cost of Clemson Area Transit Service. It should have read \$20,000 annually. Frank Crenshaw made a motion to accept the minutes. Leroy Galloway seconded. Vote Unanimous.

3) Public Comments:

There were no public comments.

Sandra Gantt thanked everyone for their thoughts and prayers during A trying time in the death of her father, Mr. Albert Gantt.

4) Police Chief Update:

Before Chief Sloan gave an update on the Police department Mayor Burdette commended him for the work he has been doing in the Police Department to make it more professional.

Chief Sloan gave an update for the month of February, stating that there was a lot to do but the goal of the Police Department is to make Pendleton a safer place to live and work.

Mayor Burdette recognized all the Boy Scouts and their Scoutmaster Who were in attendance.

- 5) Resolution-Approving Application of Central to become a member of The Anderson County Joint Municipal Water System**
After the reading of the Resolution by Mayor Burdette. Sandra Gantt Made a motion to give Mayor Burdette the authority to sign the Resolution. Seconded by Leroy Galloway. Vote Unanimous.
- 6) Proclamation To Recognize Milliken for being Ranked 16th in Fortune Magazine's 100 Best Companies to work for.**
Mayor Burdette expressed to Council and citizens the many accomplishments Milliken has made and done for the Pendleton Community. After reading the Proclamation, and congratulating Millikin for their accomplishment, Mayor Burdette asked Council to give her the authority to sign the Proclamation. Sandra Gantt made a motion to do so. This was seconded by James Allen. Vote was unanimous. Anthony Worthington and John Hall from the local Millikin Plants were present and came forward to receive the Proclamation.
- 7) Appointment of a Municipal Records Officer**
Mayor Burdette gave Council an overview of the duties of the Records Officer per State Law. Motion was made by James Allen to appoint Administrator, Teri Perry to serve as the Records Officer. Leroy Galloway seconded. Vote was unanimous.
- 8) Resolution to Request Funds from ACTC.**
A Request for funded assistance from the Anderson County Transportation Committee to repair the Bridge on Jackson St. at a cost of \$84,000.00. This ACTC form is to be accompanied by a Resolution requesting these funds. Motion was made by Frank Crenshaw for Mayor Burdette and Council to sign this Resolution. Seconded by Leroy Galloway. Vote was unanimous
- 9) Phil and Becky Lewis' Request to remove and replace trees on Depot Street to move a house.**
Mr. Lewis asked permission to take down 3 trees on North Depot St. To move house through along this route. Mr. Lewis stated that he would replace the trees with Crepe Myrtle trees. Recommendations from the Mayor was that she and Council look at this request a little more closely and get back with Mr. Lewis.
Mayor Burdette thanked everyone for attending the Council Meeting.
- 10) Executive Session-Contractual Matter**
Frank Crenshaw made a Motion to enter into Executive Session to discuss a Contractual Matter. James Allen Seconded. Vote unanimous.

Sandra Gantt made a motion to go out of executive session and back into regular session. Frank Crenshaw seconded. Vote was unanimous.

Motion to sell .916 acres abutting Mr. Scott Ward on Micasa Dr. in the amount of \$10992.00 was made by Frank Crenshaw. James Allen seconded. Vote unanimous.

Frank Crenshaw made a motion to lease Veterans Park to the Alliance of Churches for July 4th Celebration. James Allen Seconded. Vote unanimous.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted_____

Mayor_____

Council:

Ward 1_____

Ward 2_____

Ward 3_____

Ward 4_____