

**TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR SESSION
JUNE 5, 2006**

MINUTES:

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

Mayor Burdette welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked the American Legion for their work on the Memorial Day Service. Mayor Burdette reviewed agenda items.

Vote and Motion to Add the Following Items to the Agenda:

- a) Contract with the Town of Pendleton and the Anderson County Sheriff's Department.
- b) Presentation by Chuck Joye of Design South Professionals.
- c) Executive Session – Contractual Matter.

Bruce Kalley made a motion to add the above items to the agenda. Frank Crenshaw seconded. Unanimous.

1) Approval of Minutes:

Bruce Kalley made a motion to accept the minutes as read. Sandra Gantt seconded. Unanimous.

2) Public Comments:

There were no public comments at this time.

3) Farmers Market – Eddie Nail, Pendleton Area Council:

Eddie Nail made a request on behalf of the Pendleton Area Council, to hold the Farmers Market and to block off the same seven parking spaces every Thursday beginning June 22, 2006. The Farmers Market will begin at 4pm every Thursday through September 2006. Bruce Kalley made a motion to grant this request. Frank Crenshaw seconded. Unanimous.

4) Anderson County Economic Development – Burriss Nelson:

Burriss Nelson gave a report to Mayor and Town Council on the Economic Development study provided for the town. This study provides specific information to developers who may be interested in bringing retail business to Pendleton and the surrounding area.

5) First Reading of the Following Ordinances:

a) *"An Ordinance to Amend the Town of Pendleton's Budget FY 2005/2006":*

Town Administrator gave an overview of the amendments to the Town of Pendleton's Budget FY 2005/2006. Denise Jackson made a motion to accept Ordinance No. 06-07 for first reading. Frank Crenshaw seconded. Unanimous.

b) *"An Ordinance to Adopt the Town of Pendleton's Budget FY 2006/2007":*

Town Administrator gave an overview of the proposed Town of Pendleton's Budget FY 2006/2007. Sandra Gantt made a motion to accept Ordinance No. 06-06 for first reading. Bruce Kalley seconded. Unanimous. Mayor Burdette stated that a Work Session will be held on June 20, 2006, 6:00pm and the Public Hearing will be the same night at 7:00pm.

6) Second and Final Reading of "An Ordinance to Amend the Town of Pendleton's Comprehensive Land Use Plan and Amend Ordinance No. 99-04":

Mayor Burdette stated that no changes were made from the last meeting. Frank Crenshaw made a motion to accept Ordinance No. 06-05 for second and final reading with an effective date of October 1, 2006. Denise Jackson seconded. Unanimous.

7) Contract with the Town of Pendleton and the Anderson County Sheriff's Department:

Mayor Burdette made a presentation to citizens on the process of the decision to contract law enforcement services with Anderson County Sheriff's Department. Tim Busha, Anderson County Sheriff's Department Chief Deputy, also commented on the process and answered questions. Frank Crenshaw stated he has thought for the past 10 to 12 years that this would be a very efficient way to provide law enforcement and a more efficient use of Town funds. Mr. Crenshaw stated he knew the turnover has been a problem for years and if the town can save taxpayers money, that is the real plus, after all everyone in Pendleton pays Anderson County taxes also. Mayor Burdette stated this decision is nothing negative about the Police Department; it is just a way to provide the most economical service. Frank Crenshaw also thanked Scott Dyar and stated no other Police Chief has done such a good job. Frank Crenshaw made a motion to allow the Mayor to proceed with the agreement with the Anderson County Sheriff's Department. Denise Jackson seconded. Bruce Kalley abstained from voting due to being an employee of the Anderson County Sheriff's Department. This contract will take effect July 1, 2006. Mayor

Burdette stated that a Public Meeting with Sheriff Crenshaw will be held June 13, 2006, 7pm.

8) Presentation by Chuck Joye – Design South Professionals:

Chuck Joye, Design South Professionals made a presentation to Mayor, Town Council and citizens on a proposed water/sewer rate increase. Mayor Burdette stated that on June 20, 2006, 7pm a Public Hearing will be held.

9) Executive Session – Contractual Matter:

Bruce Kalley made a motion to enter into Executive Session to discuss a Contractual Matter. Denise Jackson seconded. Unanimous.

Denise Jackson made a motion to enter out of Executive Session. Bruce Kalley seconded. No decision was made while in Executive Session.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted: _____

MAYOR: _____

COUNCIL:

WARD 1: _____

WARD 2: _____

WARD 3: _____

WARD 4: _____