

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

January 4, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held January 4, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held December 21, 1954 read and approved.

" AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE AS ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG ON DECEMBER 13, 1935, TO PROHIBIT THE SALE OR POSSESSION OF INTOXICATING BEVERAGES EXCEPT WHEN THE SALE OR POSSESSION IS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, SO THAT THE AMENDED ORDINANCE SHALL ALSO INCLUDE TRANSPORT" passed third reading and was enacted into law by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

" AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE USING, SHOOTING, DISCHARGING, SELLING, OFFERING FOR SALE, STORING, EXCHANGING, GIVING AWAY OR POSSESSING FIREWORKS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, AND TO PROVIDE A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF" passed second reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of December:

Number of Arrests	181
Days on Public Works	251
Fines and Forfeitures	\$2401.00
Transferred to Higher Court	8

received as information.

No one having appeared before Council to offer objections to the petitions for annexation of certain territory lying adjacent to ~~and~~ north of the existing city limits of the City of Orangeburg, a Resolution certifying to the County Commission of Elections for Orangeburg County that the petitions contained the names of the majority of the free holders and praying that an election be ordered to see if the said territory shall be included within the city was passed by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution to petition the Federal Power Commission that the City of Orangeburg be permitted to intervene or become a party with the South Carolina Electric and Gas Company protesting the proposal of the Southern Natural Gas Company to increase rates by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

The City Administrator was authorized to purchase 110 automatic coin operated parking meters by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, a petition has been submitted to the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, proposing the annexation of an adequately described territory and praying that an election be ordered to see if such territory shall be included in the City of Orangeburg, and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Orangeburg finds that the said petition has been signed by a majority of the freeholders within said territory proposed to be annexed,

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled and by authority of the same, hereby certifies to the County Commissioners of Election for Orangeburg County that it finds that the petition, praying that an election be ordered to see if said territory shall be included within the City of Orangeburg, contains the names of the majority of freeholders residing within the territory hereinbelow described:

" The territory lying adjacent to and North of the existing City Limits of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, and bounded as follows:

On the West by U.S. Highway No. 21 (Columbia Road) running from the present 1.0 mile radius City Limits to a point 1000 feet North of the present 1.5 mile City Limit.

On the North by a line from a point 1000 feet North of the 1.5 mile City Limit and running in an Easterly direction to the intersection of State Highway 94 (St. Matthews Road) and U.S. Highways 21 and 178 By-Pass, thence following said by-pass to the Southern Railroad.

On the East by the Southern Railroad from the By-Pass to the present 1.0 mile radius City Limit.

On the South by the present 1.0 mile radius City Limit. "

PASSED by the City Council this 15th day of June, A.D., 1955

[Signature]  
Mayor

[Signature]  
Councilman

[Signature]  
Councilman

CORRECT ATTEST:

[Signature]  
City Clerk and Treasurer

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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, the City of Orangeburg on Nov. 1, 1954 addressed a protest to the Federal Power Commission against the proposal of the Southern Natural Gas Company to increase rates to S.C. Electric and Gas Company which increase under the terms of the service agreement between the City and S.C. Natural Gas Company would be passed on to the City of Orangeburg, and

WHEREAS, the City, by copy of the petition, has been advised by S.C. Electric and Gas Co. of its request for permission to intervene in the proceeding in the Matter of Southern Natural Gas Company - Docket No. G - 4264, and

WHEREAS, the City of Orangeburg is vitally concerned in the matter of rates affecting its receipt and distribution of natural gas

NOW, THEREFORE be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled and by authority of the same, to petition the Federal Power Commission and request that the City of Orangeburg be authorized and permitted to intervene and become a party to the above referred to proceeding.

PASSED by the City Council this 4<sup>TH</sup> day of May, A.D., 1955.

[Signature]  
Mayor

[Signature]  
Councilmen

CORRECT ATTEST:

[Signature]  
City Clerk and Treasurer

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

January 18, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held January 18, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
James S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held January 4th, 1955, read and approved.

" AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE, USING, SHOOTING, DISCHARGING, SELLING, OFFERING FOR SALE, STORAGE, EXCHANGING, GIVING AWAY OR POSSESSING FIREWORKS IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, AND PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF" passed third reading and was enacted into law by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor, R. H. Jennings, Jr., to execute an agreement on the part of the City of Orangeburg and the Southern Railway System for traffic signal system on the Southern Railway right of way was passed by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.  
(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

Acceptance of Approval of Highway Plans and Traffic Regulations agreement on Route 178 for the widening of North Broughton street from Scoville Avenue to Middleton street was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.  
(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the sale of eighty (80) shares of First National Bank of Orangeburg, S. C., stock to W. C. Bethea for the sum of \$30.00 per share was passed by the following vote.


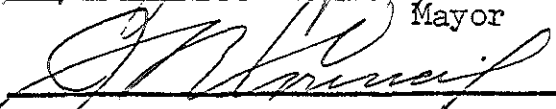
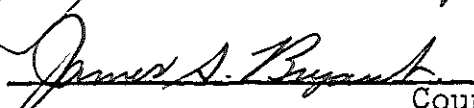
Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.  
(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

RESOLUTION.

BE IT RESOLVED By the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled and by authority of the same:

That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to execute an Agreement on the part of the City of Orangeburg between the City of Orangeburg and Southern Railway System, concerning the traffic signal system of the City of Orangeburg on the Southern Railroad right-of-way at Orangeburg, S. C., dated January 18, 1955.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this eighteenth day of January, A. D. 1955.

  
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Mayor  
  
\_\_\_\_\_  
  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk and Treasurer

APPROVAL OF HIGHWAY PLANS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_,  
PROJECT NO. \_\_\_\_\_, ROUTE NO. 178

RESOLUTION  
TOWN OF \_\_\_\_\_

WHEREAS, The South Carolina State Highway Department is making certain improvements in State Highway No. 178 through the Town of \_\_\_\_\_, and

WHEREAS, members of the Town Council have inspected with the official representative of the State Highway Department the location and grades of that section of the above named project within the Town of \_\_\_\_\_, as shown by the plans on file in the Resident Engineer's office and at the Columbia office of the State Highway Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Act No. 787 of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, approved March 31st, 1930, the Town of \_\_\_\_\_, acting through its Mayor and Council, hereby approves the alignment, grades and drainage as shown by these plans and the State Highway Department is hereby relieved of all responsibility and liability on account of property damages incident to the improvement of this highway within the corporate limits of the Town.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, That the contents of this Resolution will be spread upon and made a part of the official minutes of the Town Council of the Town of \_\_\_\_\_ and that the original copy of this Resolution be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

This Resolution is hereby adopted this 28th day of January, 1935

Orangeburg, S. C.

TOWN OF \_\_\_\_\_

BY: \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

\_\_\_\_\_ James S. Bryant

Attest:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Town Clerk

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF ~~COLUMBIA~~

DOCKET NO.

TRAFFIC REGULATION AGREEMENT

A. PROJECT NO.

ROUTE OR ROAD NO. 173

WHEREAS, The Municipality of ~~COLUMBIA~~, S. C. does hereby and herewith officially request and authorize the South Carolina State Highway Department to improve a section of the street or streets included in this agreement in accordance with the plans, specifications, and regulations of the South Carolina State Highway Department \_\_\_\_\_, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary in order to secure the benefit of the proposed improvement for the Municipality to assume certain definite obligations in connection with the regulation of traffic on and the clearing and future protection of the right of way established for the proposed improvement.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved that all laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, or traffic signals regulating the speed limits, traffic movements, or parking of vehicles on this section of highway will be established by the Municipality in cooperation with the State Highway Department and the traffic on this section of the highway will not be penalized nor made secondary to the traffic of abutting or cross streets, and no unreasonable speed limits will be established for the traffic on this street.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Municipality will legally protect the right of way as shown by the plans prepared by the State Highway Department and as established for this street from future encroachment along any or all parts of the improvement covered by this agreement, and that all municipal water and sewer pipes, manholes, or fire hydrants and all power, light, telegraph, or telephone poles will be moved or rearranged, and all necessary rights of way for drainage ditches or pipes will be secured to conform to the plans for the proposed improvement and that all of the above will be done without any expense to the State Highway Department \_\_\_\_\_ except those items shown on the plans for this street to be adjusted as items in the contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, This Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of the Municipal records this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_ and the original of this Resolution will be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

MUNICIPALITY OF

Craigeburg, S. C.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

James S. Bryant

ATTEST:

[Signature]  
Clerk

DESCRIPTION OF STREETS OR ROADS

Route 173 (North Broughton Street) from Scoville Ave. to Middleton Street).

COPY

R. H. JENNINGS, JR.,  
MAYOR

J. ROGER COUNCIL,  
JAMES S. BRYANT,  
COUNCILMEN



ALECT. BROWN,  
EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

City of Orangeburg

South Carolina

January 18, 1955

Mr. S. N. Pearman  
State Highway Engineer  
State Highway Department  
Columbia, S. C.

Re: DK \_\_\_\_\_, Rt. 178, North Broughton St.

Dear Sir:

With reference to the improvement of the above street in the City of Orangeburg, on behalf of the City of Orangeburg, I wish to verify the width of said street as follows:

Rt. 178 (N. Broughton St.) from Scoville Ave. to Middleton St. -  
33' (Thirty-three feet) from existing centerline on the East  
side.

Rt. 178 (N. Broughton St.) from Scoville Ave to Middleton St. -  
25' (Twenty-five feet) from existing centerline on the West  
side.

In the event it is ever necessary to widen this section of Broughton Street to accommodate future traffic needs such as the construction of curb and gutter, storm drainage and sidewalk, such work to be accomplished as a joint undertaking between the City of Orangeburg and the Highway Department, the City of Orangeburg will cooperate in securing any necessary additional width Right of Way and bear the expense, if any, in connection therewith.

This letter is written by authority of resolution of the City Council adopted on this date.

Yours very truly,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.  
Mayor



R E S O L U T I O N .

WHEREAS, The City of Orangeburg has been holding eighty (80) shares of stock of First National Bank in Orangeburg, Orangeburg, S. C., and

WHEREAS, they have been offered Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars per share for said stock by W. C. Bethea, and

WHEREAS, the offer of Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars a share is an excellent offer for the said shares of stock, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Orangeburg sell eighty (80) shares of First National Bank in Orangeburg stock to W. C. Bethea for the sum of Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars per share, and that L. F. Theiling, Clerk, be, and he is hereby, authorized to execute a transfer of said eighty (80) shares of stock and do all things necessary to complete the sale thereof to W. C. Bethea upon payment of the sum of Twenty-four Hundred (\$2,400.00) Dollars.

PASSED by the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of January, A. D., 1955.

ATTEST:

L. F. Theiling  
City Clerk and Treasurer

W. C. Bethea  
Mayor

James S. Bryant  
Councilmen

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

February 1, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held February 1, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held January 18, 1955, read and approved.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of January:

Number of Arrests	195
Days on Public Works	360
Fines & Forfeitures	\$2151.00
Transferred to Higher Court	8

received as information.

" AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES FOR THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1955 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1956" was read by title and passed first reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor, R. H. Jennings, Jr., and L. F. Theiling, City Clerk, to borrow \$20,000.00 from the First National Bank ; this money to be paid back within the year 1955. The proceeds to be used in connection with improvements to the Municipal Airport and said note to be paid from federal funds when received by the City of Orangeburg by reason of such improvements.

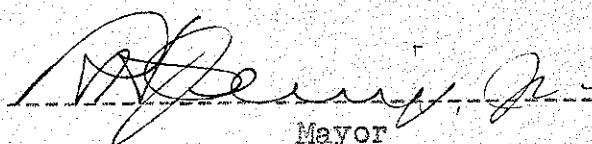
RESOLUTION

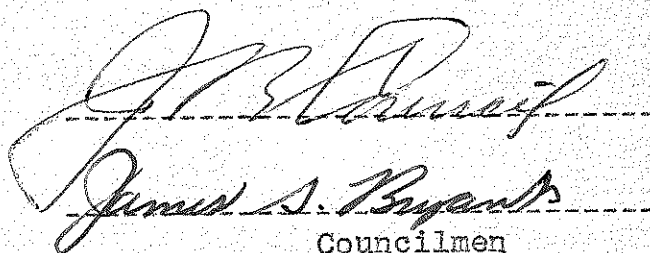
BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled, and by authority of the same:

That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be authorized and directed to borrow the sum of twenty-thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars, payable within one year, the proceeds of which are to be used in connection with the improvements at the Municipal Airport and is to be retired from Federal Aid Funds received by reason of such improvements.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to sign all papers and do all things necessary to accomplish the above.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this the first day of February, A.D. 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk and Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

February 15, 1955

Minutes of City Council held February 15, 1955. This is the Regular Bi-monthly meeting.

Present:

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. Roger Council	Councilmen
James S. Bryant	Councilmen

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of City Council held February 1, 1955, read and approved.

Mr. J. F. Pearson, Manager of the Department of Public Utilities, advised Council that the contract for the installation of gas lines in the City of Orangeburg by Dixie Construction Company had been completed and he recommended that it be accepted by Council. Council approved the recommendation by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Council approved the purchase of the Griner property on the west side of the 200 block of Doyle street, S. E., for \$12,000.00 by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A communication from the Orangeburg Kiwanis Club commending the work of Don Yongue in the Recreational Department of the City was read and the City Clerk was instructed to write them thanking them for their interest taken in this department, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that the low bid for Sanitary Sewer extension and construction of sewer pumping station was Carper and Perryclear amounting to \$54,731.14 and recommended that this bid be accepted. Council approved the same by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

The City Administrator was authorized to make necessary repairs to the Teen-Age-Canteen at a cost of approximately \$1250.00 by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

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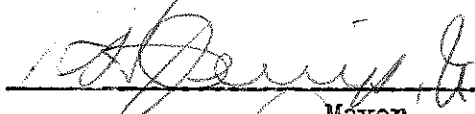
R E S O L U T I O N


BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled and by authority of the same:

That the City of Orangeburg accept the bid of Carper and Perreyclear of Orangeburg, S. C., dated February 15, 1955 for all labor and materials for Sanitary Sewer Extensions and Construction of Sewage Pumping Station, such bid being in the amount of Fifty Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty One and 14/100 ( \$ 54,731.14) dollars.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be, and he is hereby directed and authorized to enter into a contract with Carper and Perreyclear for the work as covered by their proposal dated February 15, 1955, for the sum of \$ 54,731.14; (a copy of said contract is hereto attached and made a part of this Resolution).

PASSED by the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this fifteenth day of February, A.D., 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
James S. Bayant  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk and Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

March 1, 1955.

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held March 1, 1955.

Present, J. Roger Council Acting Mayor  
James S. Bryant Councilman  
Absent, R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor (Sickness)

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held February 15, 1955, read and approved.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of February:

Number of Arrests	20 1/2
Days Served	426
Fines & Forfeitures	\$ 2351.00
Transferred to Higher Court	11

received as information.

The City Treasurer was authorized to sell \$21,000.00 U. S. Government Bonds now owned by the Orangeburg Water and Light Plant Revenue Bonds; the proceeds from the sale of these bonds to be used for the extension and improvement of the Department of Public Utilities gas lines. by the following vote.  
Yea, Acting Mayor, Council and Councilman Bryant.

" AN ORDINANCE TO EXEMPT MANUFACTORIES FROM TAXATION EXCEPT FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES FOR FIVE (5) SUCCESSIVE YEARS FROM THE TIME OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SUCH MANUFACTORIES UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS." was passed by title and passed first reading by the following vote.  
Yea, Acting Mayor, Council and Councilman Bryant.

Report of the Board of Commissioners of Elections of the City of Orangeburg for the annexation of certain arears adjoining the present northern boundary in the City of Orangeburg was as follows:

Number of votes cast in the city	125
Number in favor of annexation	120
Number opposed to the annexation	5
Number of votes cast in outside area	196
Number of votes in favor of annexation	138
Number of votes opposed to annexation	58

A majority of the voters being in favor of annexation, Council approved the annexation as of March 1, 1955 by the following vote.  
Yea, Acting Mayor, Council and Councilman Bryant.  
(See report of commissioners of elections attached to and made a part of these minutes)

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held March 1, 1955 (continued)

Council agreed that effective March 1, 1955, the annexed area would be served as follows:

- Fire Protection
- Police Protection
- Sanitation (Refuse Collection)
- Street Maintenance
- Health (Pest and Animal control)
- Building Inspection (Including Plumbing)
- City Water Rates

And as soon as practicable the following services would be extended.

- House Numbering
- Zoning

The annexed area to pay city taxes for the year 1955; said taxes being due on or about October 15, 1955.

The City Administrator advised Council that the title for the Griner property had been received and the house on this property would be demolished immediately. This property to be used for an off-street parking area.

Council commended the city police department, the sheriff's officers and the South Carolina law enforcement division for the efficient manner in which the Stroman murder case was solved by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor, Council and Councilman Bryant.

COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION  
FOR ORANGEBURG COUNTY S. C.

*City of Orangeburg*

J. B. HILDEBRAND, Chairman—Orangeburg  
W. DIBBLE COOPER—Springfield  
E. A. CROUT—Holly Hill  
WALTER H. O'CAIN, Clerk  
Orangeburg, S. C.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
County of Orangeburg

Board of Commissioners of Election.  
for Orangeburg County.

Statement and returns of Votes on Annex-  
ation of that certain Area adjoining the  
present Northern Boundary of the City of  
Orangeburg, S.C.

Number of votes cast in City	<u>125</u>
Number of votes in favor of Annexation	<u>120</u>
Number opposed to Annexation	<u>5</u>
Number of votes cast in outside Area	<u>196</u>
Annexation	
Number of votes in favor of <del>XXXXX</del>	<u>138</u>
Number opposed to Annexation	<u>58</u>

*J. B. Hildebrand*  
Election Commission J. B. Hildebrand  
Orangeburg County E. A. Crout  
E. A. Crout  
W. D. Cooper  
W. D. Cooper  
Walter H. O' Cain  
Walter H. O' Cain, Clerk

Feb. 23, 1955



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Managers of WARD I Precinct of  
Orangeburg County

Statement and returns of votes on annexation  
of that certain area adjoining the present  
Northern boundary of the City limits of the  
City of Orangeburg, S.C.

Number of votes cast 34  
Number voting in favor of annexation 33  
Number voting against annexation 1

W. G. Simpson, Manager  
F. J. Shuler, Manager  
Katherine H. Ward, Manager

Feb. 15, 1955

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Managers of WARD II Precinct of  
Orangeburg County

Statement and returns of votes on annexation  
of that certain area adjoining the present  
Northern boundary of the City limits of the  
City of Orangeburg, S.C.

Number of votes cast 18

Number voting in favor of annexation 16

Number voting against annexation 2

Ken W. Baker, Manager  
D. B. [unclear], Manager  
W. P. Lewis, Manager

Feb. 15, 1955

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Managers of WARD III Precinct of  
Orangeburg County

Statement and returns of votes on annexation  
of that certain area adjoining the present  
Northern boundary of the City limits of the  
City of Orangeburg, S.C.

Number of votes cast 44

Number voting in favor of annexation 44

Number voting against annexation 0

R. G. Grawling, Manager  
S. M. Tucker, Manager  
Hattie C. Glover, Manager

Feb. 15, 1955

State of South Carolina

Managers of -WARD IV Precinct  
of Orangeburg County

Statement and returns of votes on annexation  
of that certain area adjoining the ~~XXXXXXXXX~~  
present Northern boundary of the City limits  
of the City of Orangeburg, S.C.

Number of votes cast 17

Number voting in favor of annexation 15

Number voting against annexation 2

J. H. [Signature], Manager

C. H. [Signature], Manager

H. H. [Signature], Manager

Feb. 15, 1955

State of South Carolina

Managers of WARD V Precinct  
of Orangeburg County

Statement and returns of votes on annexation  
of that certain area adjoining the ~~MANAGER~~  
present Northern boundary of the City limits  
of the City of Orangeburg, S.C.

Number of votes cast 12

Number voting in favor of annexation 12

Number voting against annexation 0

J. J. Jeffers, Manager  
A. B. Williams, Manager  
J. P. Bennett, Manager

Feb. 15, 1955

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Managers of that area under consideration  
to be annexed.

Statement and returns of votes ~~xxx~~ on  
annexation of that certain area adjoining  
the present Northern boundry of the City  
limits of the City of Orangeburg, S.C.

Number of votes cast 197

Number voting in favor of annexation 138

Number voting against annexation 58

*one ballot thrown out*

*[Signature]*, Manager

*P. F. Miller*, Manager

*Annie Lou Inabnet*, Manager

Feb, 15, 1955

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

March 2, 1955

Minutes of a Special Meeting of City Council held March 2, 1955.

Present,

J. Roger Council  
James S. BryantActing Mayor  
Councilman

Absent,

R. H. Jennings, Jr. (sick)

Mayor

" AN ORDINANCE TO EXEMPT MANUFACTORIES FROM TAXATION EXCEPT FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES FOR FIVE(5) YEARS FROM THE TIME OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SUCH MANUFACTORIES UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS" passed second reading by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor, Council and Councilman Bryant.

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March 3, 1955

Minutes of a Special Meeting of City Council held March 3, 1955.

Present,

J. Roger Council  
James S. BryantActing Mayor  
Councilman

Absent,

R. H. Jennings, Jr. (sick)

Mayor

" AN ORDINANCE TO EXEMPT MANUFACTORIES FROM TAXATION EXCEPT FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES FOR FIVE (5) YEARS FROM THE TIME OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF SUCH MANUFACTORIES UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS" passed third reading and was enacted into law by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor, Council and Councilman Bryant.

In accordance with an ordinance passed March 3, 1955 to exempt manufactories from taxation for a period of five years, Council authorized an election to be held on March 22, 1955, for the purpose of ratifying this ordinance by a majority of qualified electors in the City of Orangeburg by the following vote.  
Yea, the Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

Council authorized a Public Hearing to be held at 7 P. M. on Tuesday April 5, 1955 in the Council Chambers at the City Hall for the purpose of amending the Zoning Ordinance to include Zoning Districts for the area annexed to the City of Orangeburg by an election held February 15, 1955, by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

The Mayor was authorized to sign a proclamation proclaiming the week of March 13 to 19, 1955 as AMERICAN LEGION BIRTHDAY WEEK by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

P R O C L A M A T I O N

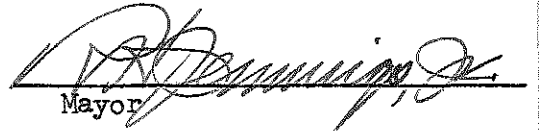
WHEREAS, The American Legion, dedicated to service "For God and Country", has become one of the great bulwarks of the American way of life through its leadership in all movements designed to preserve our free institutions and liberties; and

WHEREAS, The American Legion with millions of members who have served in three wars, has grown into the greatest veterans' organization in the world and has rendered notable and patriotic services to the community state and nation, in times of both peace and war; and


WHEREAS, The American Legion will celebrate the 36th anniversary of its birth, March 15 to 17, 1955;

NOW THEREFORE, I Robert H. Jennings, Jr., as Mayor of the City of Orangeburg do hereby proclaim the week of March 13 to 19, 1955, as AMERICAN LEGION BIRTHDAY WEEK, and do call upon all citizens and all organizations to join in paying tribute to the good works of the American Legion in its unselfish endeavors in National Defense, Americanism, Rehabilitation, Child Welfare, Law and Order, Spiritual encouragement and Good citizenship, and do urge all places of business, the schools and the churches to display the American Legion emblem as a token of appreciation of the wartime and peacetime services of the City's Legionnaires.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal of the City of Orangeburg at the City Hall in Orangeburg this 10th day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1955.

  
Mayor

Attest:

  
City Clerk



## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

March 15, 1955.

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held March 15, 1955.  
Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held March 1, and of Special Meetings held March 2nd and 3rd were read and approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Mr. J. O. Hoffman, of Southland Provision Company, met with City Council regarding the placing of a meat inspector on the payroll of the City of Orangeburg, with the understanding that Southland Provision Company would pay to the City of Orangeburg the cost of the meat inspector. Council advised Mr. Hoffman to meet with Dr. V. W. Brabham and Dr. J. W. Dantzler of the Board of Health and prepare an agreement to be presented to the Council for consideration.

Mr. Whetsell and Dr. Caughman appeared before Council requesting an appropriation from the city to assist in defraying the cost of building a new county library. Council advised them that the city would be unable to give them any financial aid by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Mr. Geo. B. Salley was appointed as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Elections of Orangeburg, S. C. to succeed Mr. H. L. Smoak (deceased) by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Clerk and Treasurer was authorized to borrow \$12,000.00 to pay for the Griner property on Doyle street and the Mayor was authorized to sign the note by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Mr. C. A. Fischer, Chief of the Fire Department, was authorized to purchase 500 feet of fire hose at a cost of approximately \$825.00 by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Resolution authorizing the approval of highway plans and traffic regulations agreement of certain street in the City of Orangeburg to the South Carolina State Highway Department for street improvements was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Agreements attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A request for the removal of the Dixie Club building from its present location on Church street, N. E. to a site in Edisto Gardens was refused by the following vote.

Nay, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that he had awarded the following bids.

Gasoline	Crown Central
Motor Oil	Gulf Refining Company
Tires	Pure Oil Company

and these were approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

## Minutes of Council Meeting held March 15, 1955 (continued)

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The City Administrator was authorized to purchase a Street Sweeper from Austin-Western Company for \$7,410.00, low bidders, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator was authorized to settle a street accident claim with Mrs. Morgan for \$325.00 by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator was authorized to join in with the county and state of South Carolina to improve and construct an airport at a cost to the city of \$3,500.00, if so much be necessary, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A request to join in a special newspaper advertisement for the Bamberg centennial was refused by the following vote.

Nay, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(Nay)

" AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING APRIL 1, 1955 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1956" passed second reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

APPROVAL OF HIGHWAY PLANS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )

COUNTY OF Orangeburg )

DOCKET NO. 38.148 )

F. A. PROJECT NO. --- )

~~ROUTE OR~~ ROAD NO. S-125, S-181, S-893,  
S-897 (Pts. 1&2), S-982 )

RESOLUTION

MUNICIPALITY OF Orangeburg

S-1003, S-1004, S-1005, S-1006, S-1007, S-1008,  
S-1009, S-1010, S-1011, S-1014 & S-1015

WHEREAS, the South Carolina State Highway Department is making certain road or street improvements in the above named Municipality, and

WHEREAS, the duly elected officials of said Municipality have inspected with the official representative of the State Highway Department the location and grades of that section of the above named project within said Municipality, as shown by the original plans on file in the Columbia office of the State Highway Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Act 329, Acts of 1951 of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, the said Municipality, acting through its duly elected officials, hereby approves the alignment, grades and drainage as shown by these plans and the State Highway Department is hereby relieved of all responsibility and liability on account of property damages incident to the improvement of this highway within the corporate limits of the said Municipality.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, That the contents of this Resolution will be made a part of the official minutes of said Municipality and that the original copy of this Resolution be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

This Resolution is hereby adopted this 12 day of March, 19 55.

MUNICIPALITY OF Orangeburg, S. C.

BY:

[Signature]  
Mayor

[Signature]

[Signature]

Attest:

[Signature]  
Town Clerk

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF Orangeburg

BOOKET NO. 38.448

TRAFFIC REGULATION AGREEMENT

A. PROJECT NO. - - -

ROUTE OR ROAD NO. S-125, S-181, S-893, S-897 (Pts. 1 & 2), S-982, S-1003, S-1004, S-1005, S-1006, S-1007, S-1008, S-1009, S-1010, S-1013, S-1014 & S-1015

WHEREAS, The Municipality of Orangeburg, S. C. does hereby and herewith officially request and authorize the South Carolina State Highway Department to improve a section of the street or streets included in this agreement in accordance with the plans, specifications, and regulations of the South Carolina State Highway Department, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary in order to secure the benefit of the proposed improvement for the Municipality to assume certain definite obligations in connection with the regulation of traffic on and the clearing and future protection of the right of way established for the proposed improvement.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved that all laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, or traffic signals regulating the speed limits, traffic movements, or parking of vehicles on this section of highway will be established by the Municipality in cooperation with the State Highway Department and the traffic on this section of the highway will not be penalized nor made secondary to the traffic of abutting or cross streets, and no unreasonable speed limits will be established for the traffic on this street.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Municipality will legally protect the right of way as shown by the plans prepared by the State Highway Department and as established for this street from future encroachment along any or all parts of the improvement covered by this agreement, and that all municipal water and sewer pipes, manholes, or fire hydrants and all power, light, telegraph, or telephone poles will be moved or rearranged, and all necessary rights of way for drainage ditches or pipes will be secured to conform to the plans for the proposed improvement and that all of the above will be done without any expense to the State Highway Department except those items shown on the plans for this street to be adjusted as items in the contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, This Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of the Municipal records this 15 day of MARCH, 19 55 and the original of this Resolution will be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

MUNICIPALITY OF

Orangeburg, S. C.

By [Signature] Mayor

ATTEST:

[Signature] Clerk

DESCRIPTION OF STREETS OR ROADS

- Road S-125: Along Riverside Street from Carolina Street to Brookside Drive (Sta. 13/80).
- Road S-181: Along Windsor Street from Broad Street to Waring Street.
- Road S-893: Along Holly Street from Berry Street to Dantzler Street.
- Road S-897 (Pt.1): Along Dantzler Street from Columbia Street to Moss Street.
- Road S-897 (Pt.2): Along Dantzler Street from Moss Street to Moss Street.
- Road S-982: Along Peasley Street from Boulevard Street to Treadwell Street.
- Road S-1003: Along Bayne Street from Boulevard Street to Arthur Street.
- Road S-1004: Along Broad Street from Broughton Street to Windsor Street.

- Road S-1005: Along Palmetto Street from Boulevard Street to Pine Street.  
Road S-1006: Along Pine Street from Palmetto Street to Whitman Street.  
Road S-1007: Along Scoville Street from Riverside Street to Broughton Street.  
Road S-1008: Along Dutton Street from Amelia Street to Peasley Street.  
Road S-1009: Along Maple Street from Russell Street to Amelia Street.  
Road S-1010: Along Stanley Street from N. Boulevard Street to McKewn Street.  
Road S-1013: Along Sawyer Street from N. Boulevard Street, northeasterly to the  
City Limits (Station )  
Road S-1014: Along Lindale Street from Broughton Street to Riggs Street.  
Road S-1015: Along Trade Street from Carolina Street to Laurel Street.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA

Orangeburg, S. C.

3-15, 1955

Mr. S. N. Pearman  
State Highway Engineer  
State Highway Department  
Columbia, South Carolina

Re: Docket 38.448 - Roads S-125, S-181, S-893,  
S-897 (Pts. 1&2), S-982, S-1003, S-1004, S-1005,  
S-1006, S-1007, S-1008, S-1009, S-1010, S-1013,  
S-1014 & S-1015 - Orangeburg County

Dear Sir:

With reference to the improvement on behalf of the City of Orangeburg, I wish to verify the widths of said streets as shown by map of the City of Orangeburg, said widths being as follows:

- Road S-125: Along Riverside Street 50 ft. from Carolina St. to Brookside Drive (Sta. 13780).
- Road S-181: Along Windsor St. 50 ft. from Broad St. to Waring Street.
- Road S-893: Along Holly St. 50 ft. from Berry St. to Dantzler St.
- Road S-897 (Pt.1): Along Dantzler St. 50 ft. from Columbia St. to Moss Street.
- Road S-897:(Pt.2): Along Dantzler St. 30 ft. from Moss St. to Moss St.
- Road S-982: Along Peasley St. 35 ft. from Boulevard St. to Treadwell St.
- Road S-1003: Along Bayne St. 60 ft. from Boulevard St. to Arthur Street.
- Road S-1004: Along Broad St. 50 ft. from Broughton St. to Windsor St.
- Road S-1005: Along Palmetto St. 50 ft. from Boulevard St. to Pine St.
- Road S-1006: Along Pine St. 38' from Palmetto St. to Whitman St.
- Road S-1007: Along Scoville St. 50 ft. from Riverside St. to Broughton St.
- Road S-1008: Along Dutton St. 35 ft. from Amelia St. to Peasley St.
- Road S-1009: Along Maple St. 50 ft. from Russell St. to Amelia St.

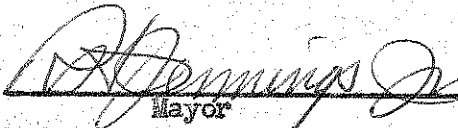
- Road S-1010: Along Stanley St. 50 ft. from N. Boulevard St. to McKewn St.
- Road S-1013: Along Sawyer St. 50 ft. from N. Boulevard St., northeasterly to the City Limits (Sta. \_\_\_\_\_).
- Road S-1014: Along Lindale St. 50 ft. from Broughton St. to Riggs St.
- Road S-1015: Along Trade St. 50 ft. from Carolina St. to Laurel Street.

This letter is written by authority of resolution of the City Council adopted on this date.

Yours very truly,

CITY OF ORANGEBURG

By

  
Mayor

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

March 24, 1955.

Minutes of a Special Meeting of City Council held March 24, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.  
J. R. Council  
J. S. Bryant

Mayor  
Councilman  
Councilman

" AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE LICENSES IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING APRIL 1, 1955, AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1956" passed third reading and was enacted into law by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Declaration results of a Special city election held in the City of Orangeburg, S. C., March 22, 1955, exempting manufacturers from taxation in accordance with special ordinance, was presented to Council showing a vote of 175 in favor and one (1) opposed. This declaration was presented by the Commissioners of Elections, P. F. Haigler, W. E. Atkinson and Geo. B. Salley. Council adopted the report by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Council appointed W. S. Fairey as Supervisor of the election to be held on May 20th, 1955, in connection with city employees voting on the Social security issue, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.



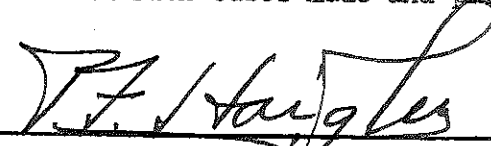
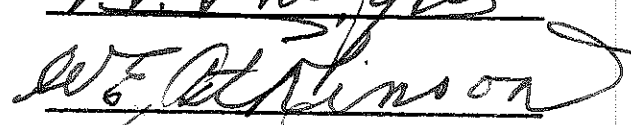
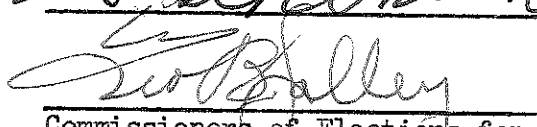
DECLARATION OF RESULT OF SPECIAL CITY ELECTION  
HELD IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA  
ON MARCH 22, 1955.

We, the duly appointed Commissioners of Elections for the City of Orangeburg, State of South Carolina, having received the report of the managers of election, who had charge of the special election held in said City of Orangeburg on March 22, 1955, for the purpose of determining whether said City of Orangeburg would exempt manufacturers from taxation, except for school purposes, for five consecutive years after the establishment thereof, and having had delivered into our charge the ballot boxes with the ballots sealed therein, together with the report of said managers, met in the City Hall on Thursday, March 24, 1955; no person appeared before your Commission with any objection, statement or request in regard to said election and the following is the question submitted to the voters and the tabulated vote as reported by the managers of said election:

"QUESTION: Are you in favor of ratifying the ordinance passed by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, S. C. on March 3, 1955, which seeks to exempt manufacturers from taxation, except for school purposes, for five successive years from the time of the establishment of such manufacturers within the City Limits of the City of Orangeburg, provided, such manufacturers qualify for exemption under the following conditions: (1) That the manufactory seeking exemption shall operate continuously, not be seasonal, (2) that the manufactory seeking exemption shall employ not less than twenty-five (25) people full time, and (3) that the manufactory shall apply for the exemption and furnish the City Council with satisfactory evidence that it has complied with the foregoing conditions?"

	IN FAVOR OF:	OPPOSED TO:
Ward I	69	1
Ward II	14	0
Ward III	44	0
Ward IV	18	0
Ward V	19	0
Suburban III	11	0
TOTAL	175	1

Said Commissioners do therefore and hereby declare that the question submitted to the voters has resulted as follows: One Hundred Seventy-five (175) votes in favor of the question, and One (1) vote opposed to the question; we further declare that said election was duly and properly conducted in accordance with the laws of the State of South Carolina as is in such cases made and provided.

  
  
  
 Commissioners of Elections for  
 the City of Orangeburg, S. C.

Sworn to before me, this 24th  
day of March, A. D., 1955.

(L.S.)   
Notary Public, S. C.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

~~March~~

April 5, 1955

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of City Council held April 5, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.  
J. R. Council  
James S. Bryant

Mayor  
Councilman  
Councilman

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of City Council held March 15, 1955, and of a Special Meeting held March 24, 1955, read and approved.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of March:

Number of Arrests	145
Days Served	488
Fines & Forfeitures	\$1822.50
Transferred to higher court	6

received as information.

" AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE ZONING IN THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG" was read by title and passed first reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Mr. Richard Rhame, President of the Orangeburg Historical Society, requested permission to place the Dixie Club Library building on the property in the rear of the U. S. Armory building on Broughton street, N. E., and Council advised Mr. Rhame that this property is not owned by the City of Orangeburg and Council would not object to the placing of this building on the property by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A letter from Mrs. Julia E. Thomas, President of the Paul Mc-Michael chapter of the U. D. C., addressed to the City Administrator, Mr. Alec T. Brown, was read, this letter stating that the chapter had no objection to the moving of the Dixie Library building to the cemetery property, was received as information.

(See letter attached to and made a part of these minutes)

Mr. Perry Metts requested a refund for the construction of a water line in the recently annexed area and this request was referred to Mr. J. F. Pearson, Manager of the Dept. of Public Utilities, for further investigation.

Messrs. Silcox, Paulling, Smith and Baughman met with Council in accordance with a public announcement regarding the zoning of the newly annexed area. After discussion of these plans they were adopted by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Resolution authorizing the mayor to enter into an agreement with the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company granting the City of Orangeburg permission to maintain conductors of electric current across the right of way of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

## Minutes of April 5, 1955, continued

(See Resolution with Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company and City of Orangeburg attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the mayor to sign Use Permit No. 4-320 dated March 25, 1955, issued by the U. S. Department of the Interior granting the City of Orangeburg a right-of-way across lands of the Orangeburg fish cultural station for an access road to the Orangeburg Municipal airport was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

The City Administrator advised Council that he had received bids on uniforms for the city employees and C. A. Renneker, Inc., being the low bidder the contract was awarded to them by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that Mrs. Blumah Moseley had offered for sale to the city her lot on Hampton street to be used for off street parking. Council took the offer under consideration and no action was taken at this time.

Mr. C. A. Fischer, Chief of the Fire Department, was authorized to receive bids on a new automobile and to submit these bids at a later meeting by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

APRIL 5, 1955  
449 AMELIA ST.  
ORANGEBURG, S. C.

MR. ALEX BROWN  
CITY ADMINISTRATOR  
ORANGEBURG, S. C.

DEAR MR. BROWN:

I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR MYSELF AND ALL THE MEMBERS OF THE U.D.C. FOR KEEPING THE GROUNDS OF THE OLD CEMETERY SO NICE. I HAVE GONE BY THERE SEVERAL TIMES AND IT IS KEPT SO NICELY AND WE ARE VERY PROUD OF THIS.

THE OLD LIBRARY HAS BEEN GIVEN TO THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY FOR THEIR USE AND SINCE THIS IS AN OLD CEMETERY, THE SOCIETY AND THE MEMBERS OF THE U.D.C. THINK THAT IT WOULD BE VERY FITTING TO HAVE THIS HOUSE PLACED ON THE LOT, IF PERMISSABLE BY THE CITY. THE HOUSE (LIBRARY) HAS HISTORY ATTACHED TO IT AS IT WAS JUDGE JAMES F. IZLAR'S LAW OFFICE AND HE WAS CONGRESSMAN IN THE EIGHTIES. SINCE ALL THE OLD GRAVES IN THIS CEMETERY ARE OF OLD SOLDIERS, THIS WOULD MAKE A NICE HISTORICAL SPOT FOR OUR CITY, OF WHICH WE ARE VERY PROUD.

HOPING THAT YOU WILL SEE YOUR WAY CLEAR TO GIVE US PERMISSION TO HAVE THIS HOUSE PLACED ON THIS OLD CEMETERY LOT AND AWAITING YOUR REPLY WITH A GREAT DEAL OF INTEREST.

YOURS, VERY TRULY,


MRS. JULIA E. THOMAS  
PRESIDENT -  
PAUL McMICHAEL CHAPTER U.D.C.

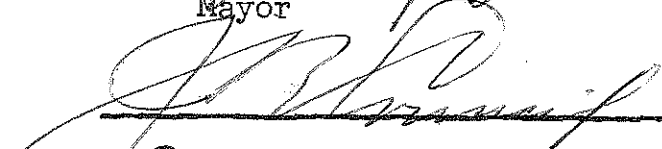
JET/c

R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular meeting assembled, that the Mayor of said City be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with the ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY, and to sign same on behalf of said City, whereby the said Railroad Company gives to the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, permission and license to maintain conductors of electric current across the right of way and over the wires and tracks of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company at or near Orangeburg, South Carolina, at a point 1033 feet southwestwardly, measured along the center line of the Railroad Company's Sumter-Robbins main track, from mile post K-375; as particularly described in said agreement, which agreement is dated March 24, 1955.

PASSED this the 5 day of APRIL, A. D., 1955.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
James S. Bryant  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk & Treasurer

R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg,  
in Council assembled, and by authority of the same:

That, His Honor, Mayor R.H. Jennings, Jr., be and is hereby  
authorized for and in behalf of the City of Orangeburg to sign Special  
Use Permit No. 4-320, dated March 25, 1955, issued by the U.S. Department  
of the Interior, Fish and Wild Life Service, granting to the City of  
Orangeburg a right-of-way across lands of Orangeburg Fish Cultural  
Station for an access road to the Orangeburg Municipal Airport.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg this  
5th day of April 1955 AD.

CORRECT ATTEST:

  
City Clerk and Treasurer.

  
Mayor

  
Councilman

  
Councilman

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

April 19, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held April 19, 1955.

Present,

J. Roger Council  
James S. Bryant

Acting Mayor  
Councilman

Absent,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.

Mayor (Out of City)

Minutes of Regular Meeting held April 5, 1955, read and approved.

J. F. Pearson, Manager, Dept. of Public Utilities, was authorized to pay to Perry Metts one-half cost of Fire Hydrant by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that he had received bids for a new automobile to be used by the Chief of the Fire Department. The low bidder being East End Motors Company on a Monterey Mercury for \$1525.00, Council approved this purchase by the following vote. Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that he had also received bids on a new automobile to be used by the Police Department. The low bidder being Horne Motor Company on a Mainline Ford for \$700.00, was approved by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman ~~xxxx~~ Bryant.

" AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE AS ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG ON THE 18TH DAY OF MAY A. D., 1954, FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING AND RESTRICTING WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF ORANGEBURG, S. C., THE HEIGHT, NUMBER OF STORIES, AND SIZE OF BUILDINGS AND OTHER STRUCTURES, THE PERCENTAGE OF LOT THAT MAY BE OCCUPIED, THE SIZE OF YARDS, COURTS, AND OTHER OPEN SPACES, THE DENSITY OF POPULATION AND THE LOCATION AND USE OF BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES, AND LAND FOR TRADE, INDUSTRY, RESIDENCE, AND OTHER PURPOSES" passed second reading by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

The City Treasurer was authorized to issue a business license to Mr. Baughman for a service station and grocery store on Summers Avenue by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement between the City of Orangeburg and E. G. Stukes changing the street line off Whaley street was approved by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement between the City of Orangeburg and W. W. Dibble changing the street line off ~~Whaley~~ street was approved by the following vote.

Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

Mr. Baughman requested that the Zoning Ordinance be changed on the 1200 block of Summers Avenue and Council refused this request by the following vote.

Nay, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.


*Adten*


R E S O L U T I O N .

BE IT RESOLVED By the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled and by authority of the same:


That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., be and he is hereby, authorized and directed to execute an agreement on the part of the City of Orangeburg between the City of Orangeburg and E. G. Stukes, whereby it is agreed that the conveyance of Stukes to the City recorded in Deed Book 179 at page 26 is bounded and measuring as is shown on subdivision plat property of E. G. Stukes by H. Frank O'Cain, dated April 9, 1955.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this nineteenth day of April, A. D. 1955.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
James S. Bryant  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk & Treasurer.





R E S O L U T I O N .

BE IT RESOLVED By the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled and by authority of the same:


That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to execute an agreement on the part of the City of Orangeburg between the City of Orangeburg and Wortham W. Dibble, whereby it is agreed that the conveyance of Dibble to the City recorded in Deed Book 173 at page 80 is bounded and measuring as is shown on plat by A. T. Brown of a "fifty-foot right of way and sight area for Adden St. between Windsor and Russell in the City of Orangeburg, S. C."

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this nineteenth day of April, A. D. 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk & Treasurer

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

April 20th, 1955.

Minutes of a Special Meeting of City Council held April 20th, 1955.

Present,

J. Roger Council  
James S. Bryant

Acting Mayor  
Councilman

Absent,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.

Mayor (Out of City)

"AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE AS ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG ON THE 18TH DAY OF MAY A. D., 1954, FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING AND RESTRICTING WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF ORANGEBURG, S. C., THE HEIGHT, NUMBER OF STORIES, AND SIZE OF BUILDINGS AND OTHER STRUCTURES, THE PERCENTAGE OF LOT THAT MAY BE OCCUPIED, THE SIZE OF YARDS, COURTS, AND OTHER OPEN SPACES, THE DENSITY OF POPULATION AND THE LOCATION AND USE OF BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES, AND LAND FOR TRADE, INDUSTRY, RESIDENCE, AND OTHER PURPOSES" passed third reading and was enacted into law by the following vote.  
Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

May 3, 1955.

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held May 3, 1955.  
Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held April 19, 1955, and a Special Meeting held April 20, 1955, read and approved.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of April:

Number of Arrests	192
Days in Jail	551
Fines & Forfeitures	\$ 1,835.00
Transferred to higher court	8

received as information.

The Manager of the Department of Public Utilities was authorized to place a street light in Bryant Court by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council, Councilman Bryant not voting.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign an agreement between the City of Orangeburg and the Southern Railway System to construct and maintain certain gas pipe lines in the right of way of the Southern Railway System was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Dr. Vance W. Brabham, Chairman of the Board of Health, was authorized to purchase vaccine for polio injections for approximately 400 children within the city limits of the City of Orangeburg who are unable to pay for the vaccine, at a cost of approximately \$640.00. These treatments to consist of 2 shots for each child, by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Resolution from the Mellichamp P. T. A. and the Ellis Avenue P. T. A. requesting the city to oppose the issuing of any business license for the sale of any product which could be hazardous to the health and safety of the school children was read and referred to the Board of Health by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Treasurer was authorized to pay Rosen, Horger and Sims attorneys fee in full settlement of the case of B. W. McCarty vs the City of Orangeburg by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The Mayor was authorized to sign a proclamation proclaiming May 8 to 14, 1955, as National Hospital Week by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

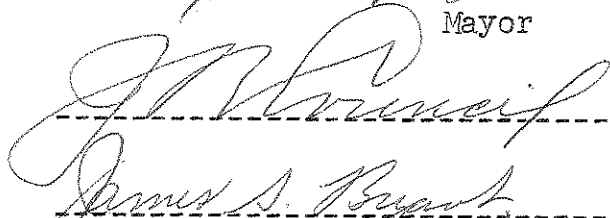
RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED By the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled and by authority of the same:

That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to execute an Agreement on the part of the City of Orangeburg between the City of Orangeburg and the Southern Railway System concerning certain gas pipe lines of the City of Orangeburg constructed and maintained upon and across the right-of-way on property and under the main tract of the Southern Railway Company, at Orangeburg, South Carolina; said Agreement being dated May 3, 1955.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this the third day of May, A.D. 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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James S. Bryant  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

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City Clerk and Treasurer.

P R O C L A M A T I O N .

WHEREAS, our Nation's hospitals are dedicated to the cause of preserving the lives and providing for the health needs of all our citizens; and

WHEREAS, our National and State hospital associations have with diligence and unceasing efforts worked to provide the highest-quality care for all Americans in the Nation's hospitals; and

WHEREAS, the American hospitals are the centers of our community's health services to its citizens; and

WHEREAS, national recognition of the importance of hospitals in the American community has been celebrated annually since 1921 on the anniversary of Florence Nightingale's birth; and

WHEREAS, the Orangeburg Regional Hospital is located in Orangeburg, South Carolina, and it is fitting that the City grant recognition and express its gratitude to the men and women who devote themselves so faithfully and unselfishly to the health, strength and happiness of their fellow-men,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor of the City of Orangeburg, do hereby proclaim that the week beginning May 8, 1955, and ending May 14, 1955, be and the same is hereby observed as National Hospital Week.

Dated:

May 9, 1955

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Mayor

Correct attest:

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City Clerk & Treasurer

CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

May 17, 1955.

Minutes of regular meeting of City Council held May 17, 1955.

Present

J. Roger Council, Acting Mayor.  
James S. Bryant, Councilman.

Absent

R. H. Jennings Jr. Mayor. out of City.

Minutes of regular meeting of City Council held May 3 1955 read and approved.

The Mayor was authorized to sign a proclamation proclaiming Saturday May 21 1955 as "ARMED FORCES DAY" by the following vote Yea, acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

A petition for the annexation of Club Acres was presented and Council referred this to City Attorney for approval.

The City Administrator was authorized to extend City Sewer lines in a portion of Hyde Park at a cost of approximately \$ 3,500.00 by the following vote. Yea, acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

The City Administrator was authorized to receive bids on a new station wagon to be used by the Park Recreational Department and present them at next regular meeting.

A traffic regulation agreement and approval of Highway Plans of the State Highway Department of certain streets to be included into the State Highway System was approved by the following vote Yea, Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

"AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR A SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYED AS A POLICE OFFICER" was passed by title for first reading by the following vote. Yea acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, The President of the United States has proclaimed Saturday, May 21st, as Armed Forces Day; and

WHEREAS, the men and women of the Armed Forces are actively engaged, at home and overseas, in upholding and defending our democratic way of life; and

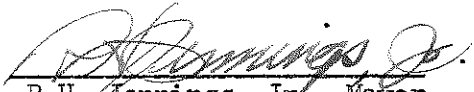
WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that all our citizens devote one day to paying special tribute to our fighting forces as the protectors and defenders of our Nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, R.H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor of the City of Orangeburg, do proclaim Saturday, May 21st, 1955 as


ARMED FORCES DAY

and call upon the people of Orangeburg to express their faith and gratitude and pay tribute to the men and women of the Armed Forces of the United States through appropriate ceremonies. And I further call upon the National Guard to emphasize the importance of this day by fitting exercises, and express the hope that the citizens of this City will take advantage of ceremonies and exercises planned by the various components of our Armed Forces and that the flag of our country will be displayed in proud reflection of our unity.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City.

  
R.H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

  
L.F. Theiling, City Clerk

Dated: May 16, 1955

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG

DOCKET NO.

TRAFFIC REGULATION AGREEMENT

P. A. PROJECT NO.

ROUTE OR ROAD NO.

WHEREAS, The Municipality of Orangenburg, S. C. does hereby and herewith officially request and authorize the South Carolina State Highway Department to improve a section of the street or streets included in this agreement in accordance with the plans, specifications, and regulations of the South Carolina State Highway Department \_\_\_\_\_, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary in order to secure the benefit of the proposed improvement for the Municipality to assume certain definite obligations in connection with the regulation of traffic on and the clearing and future protection of the right of way established for the proposed improvement.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved that all laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, or traffic signals regulating the speed limits, traffic movements, or parking of vehicles on this section of highway will be established by the Municipality in cooperation with the State Highway Department and the traffic on this section of the highway will not be penalized nor made secondary to the traffic of abutting or cross streets, and no unreasonable speed limits will be established for the traffic on this street.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Municipality will legally protect the right of way as shown by the plans prepared by the State Highway Department and as established for this street from future encroachment along any or all parts of the improvement covered by this agreement, and that all municipal water and sewer pipes, manholes, or fire hydrants and all power, light, telegraph, or telephone poles will be moved or rearranged, and all necessary rights of way for drainage ditches or pipes will be secured to conform to the plans for the proposed improvement and that all of the above will be done without any expense to the State Highway Department \_\_\_\_\_ except those items shown on the plans for this street to be adjusted as items in the contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, This Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of the Municipal records this 26 day of May, 1955 and the original of this Resolution will be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

MUNICIPALITY OF

Orangenburg, S. C.

By W. H. Berry, Jr. Mayor

James S. Bryant

ATTEST:

S. D. [Signature]  
Clerk

DESCRIPTION OF STREETS OR ROADS

- 1. Colleton Street, Northeast, from Nelson Street to Sawyer Street.



APPROVAL OF HIGHWAY PLANS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF ...
PROJECT NO. ...., ROUTE NO. ....

RESOLUTION
RESOLUTION
TOWN OF ...

WHEREAS, The South Carolina State Highway Department is making certain improvements in State Highway No. .... through the Town of ...

WHEREAS, members of the Town Council have inspected with the official representative of the State Highway Department the location and grades of that section of the above named project within the Town of ... as shown by the plans on file in the Resident Engineer's office and at the Columbia office of the State Highway Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Act No. 787 of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, approved March 31st, 1930, the Town of ... acting through its Mayor and Council, hereby approves the alignment, grades and drainage as shown by these plans and the State Highway Department is hereby relieved of all responsibility and liability on account of property damages incident to the improvement of this highway within the corporate limits of the Town.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, That the contents of this Resolution will be spread upon and made a part of the official minutes of the Town Council of the Town of ... and that the original copy of this Resolution be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

This Resolution is hereby adopted this 26 day of May, A. D. 1955.

Attest:

[Signature]
Town Clerk

TOWN OF ...
BY: [Signature]
Mayor

[Signature]
James S. Bryant

TOWN OF ORANGEBURG

Orangeburg, S. C.

May 18, 1955

Mr. S. N. Pearman  
State Highway Engineer  
State Highway Department  
Columbia, South Carolina

Re: Docket \_\_\_\_\_ - Road \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Sir:

With reference to the improvement of the above street in the Town of Orangeburg, on behalf of the Town of Orangeburg, I wish to verify the width of the said street as shown by the map of the Town of Orangeburg, said width being as follows:

(Road \_\_\_\_\_) Colleton Street, Northeast, forty (40) feet from Rutaw Street to Sawyer Street.

In the event it is ever found necessary to widen Colleton Street to accommodate future traffic needs such as construction of curb and gutters, storm drainage and sidewalks, such work to be accomplished as a joint undertaking between the Town and the Highway Department, the Town will cooperate in securing any necessary additional width of right of way and bear the expense, if any, in connection therewith.

This letter is written by authority of resolution of the Town Council adopted on this date.

Yours very truly,

TOWN OF ORANGEBURG

By: W. P. Perry  
Mayor

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

June 7th, 1955.

Minutes of regular meeting of City Council held June 7, 1955.

Present.

R.H. Jennings Jr.,	Mayor,
J. Roger Coujci,	Councilman.
James S. Bryant,	Councilman.

Minutes of regular meeting of City Council held May 17th, read and approved.

Report of Chief of Police for month of May 1955.

Number of Arrests.	148
Days served.	485
Fines and forfeitures.	\$ 1,688.00
Transferred to Higher Courts.	9
Received as information.	

"AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR A SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYED AS A POLICE OFFICER" was read and passed second reading by the following vote.  
Yea the Mayor Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that the petition for the annexation of Club Acres was in Order and he was authorized to advertise that any one interested in the annexation appear at a regular Council Meeting to be held June 21st, 1955, at a public hearing.

City Administrator was authorized to advertise that bids would be received for the leasing of the Carolina Theatre for a period of 5 years commencing January 1st, 1956 by the following vote.  
Yea the Mayor Councilman Council and Bryant.

City Administrator advised Council that he had received four bids for the purchase of a station wagon to be used by the Park Recreation department and that the low bidder was Wannamaker Motor Co. of Orangeburg S.C. for \$ 1,776.00 and Council authorized the purchase of this station wagon by the following vote,  
Yea the Mayor Councilman Council and Bryant.

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

June 21, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held June 21, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
James S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting held June 7, 1955, read and approved.

A communication from Mr. Harris A. Marshall, Supt. of the City Schools, complimenting the Fire Department and the Police Department for the fine cooperation furnished the City Schools during the school session 1954-55, was read and received as information.

A Resolution for Waterworks Improvements by the Department of Public Utilities, authorizing the Columbia Construction Company to make certain improvements in the waterworks system in the newly annexed area at a cost of \$10,979.26 was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign an agreement with the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company giving the city the right to lay and maintain a sanitary sewer line of 8 inch cast iron pipe for a distance of 738 feet from the northwest line of Amelia street, was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

In accordance with an advertisement for a public hearing on the area of Club Acres, no one appearing for or against the annexation, Council authorized an election to be held by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Council authorized certain alterations to be made at the police station at a cost of approximately \$300.00 by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

An itemized statement, signed by S. Odis Rickenbaker, outlining the expenses incurred following the death of his father, Claude J. Rickenbaker, amounting to \$1,523.00 was presented to Council. After discussion, Council agreed to pay \$675.00 to cover funeral expenses when an Executor has been duly appointed, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that ~~ix~~ bids for the leasing of the Caroline Theatre for a period of five years were to be received by July 5 and Council decided that in view of the fact that the

Minutes of Council Meeting of June 21, 1955 continued

next Regular Council Meeting would be postponed from July 5 to July 12 the receiving of bids be postponed for one week to July 12 , by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

" AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR A SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL EMPLOYED AS A POLICE OFFICER " passed third reading and was enacted into law by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, a petition has been submitted to the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, proposing the annexation of an adequately described territory and praying that an election be ordered to see if such territory shall be included in the City of Orangeburg, and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Orangeburg finds that the said petition has been signed by a majority of the freeholders within said territory proposed to be annexed,

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled and by authority of the same, hereby certified to the County Commissioners of Election for Orangeburg County that it finds that the petition, praying that an election be ordered to see if said territory shall be included within the City of Orangeburg, contains the names of the majority of free-holders residing within the territory hereinbelow described:

" Beginning at the corner of the present limits of the City of Orangeburg on Broughton Street ( U.S. Highway No. 178) and property of the Orangeburg Country Club, and extending thence in a Southwesterly direction along the present city limits, along lands of the Orangeburg Country Club to the North Edisto River; thence along the North Edisto River along lands of the Orangeburg Country Club to a corner at lands of E.G. Shuler; thence along lands of E.G. Shuler North 55 degrees 02 minutes East 3500 feet, more or less, to a corner at an iron stake; thence along lands of E.G. Shuler North 34 degrees 58 minutes west 550 feet to corner at lands of Mrs. Bobbie Gressette; thence along lands of Mrs. Bobbie Gressette North 55 degrees 02 minutes East 3360 feet to a corner at Broughton Street extension (U.S. Highway No. 178); thence in a southerly direction along the said Broughton Street extension to point of Beginning;

PASSED by the City Council this 21 day of June, A.D., 1955

[Signature]  
Mayer

[Signature]  
Councilman

James S. Bryant  
Councilman

CORRECT ATTEST:

[Signature]  
City Clerk and Treasurer

R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular meeting assembled, that the Mayor of said City be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and to sign same on behalf of said City, whereby the said Railroad Company gives and grants unto said City, the right to lay and maintain, for the purpose of a Sanitary Sewer line, a line of 8-inch cast iron pipe, across the right of way and underneath spur track No. 7 of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company at Orangeburg, South Carolina, at a point on said spur track distant 738 feet northwestwardly from the northwest line of Amelia Street; as particularly described in said agreement, which agreement is dated June 7, 1955.

Passed by the City Council, in Council assembled this twenty-first day of June, A.D., 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Councilman

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Councilman

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

July 12, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held July 12, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman

Absent,

James S. Bryant (out of City)	Councilman
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Minutes of Regular Meeting held June 21, 1955, read and approved.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of June.

Number of Arrests	173
Days served	301
Fines & Forfeitures	\$1703.00
Transferred to Higher Court	12

received as information.

An offer from the Civil Aeronautics Commission to furnish electric lighting system for the Orangeburg Airport was presented to the Council, there being no cost involved except delivery charges amounting to approximately \$850.00. After discussion, Council referred this matter to the City Administrator and the Manager of the Department of Public Utilities to find out the cost of installation, by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council.

The City Treasurer was authorized to pay \$675.00 to the family of Claude J. Rickenbaker, after a release has been signed by all members of his family and approved by the City Attorney, by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council.

The City Administrator advised Council that he had received bids from The American LaFrance Corp., J. W. Smoak Hardware Company and Urica Fire Hose Company on 500 feet of 1½ inch hose and 500 feet of 2½ inch hose. The American LaFrance Corp. being the low bidder of \$1.09 per foot on 1½ inch hose and \$1.60 per foot on 2½ inch hose, the bid was awarded to them by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council.

The City Administrator advised Council that in accordance with advertisements he had received two (2) bids for the rental of the Carolina Theatre for a period of five (5) years, beginning January 1, 1956 as follows:

E. B. Bowman : \$500.00 per month as is and \$650.00 per month if equipped with airconditioning.

Irvin \* Fuller Theatres, of Darlington, S. C.  
\$505.00 per month as is.

no action was taken on these bids at this time.



## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

JULY 19, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held July 19, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.

Mayor

J. S. Bryant

Councilman

Absent,

J. R. Council (out of city)

Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held July 12, 1955,  
read and approved.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

August 2, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held August 2, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting held July 19, 1955, read and approved.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of July:

Number of Arrests	142
Days Served	352
Fines & Forfeitures	\$ 1713.00
Transferred to higher court	7

received as information.

Mr. C. W. Limehouse, member of the County Delegation, requested the City Council to sell to Orangeburg County a lot of land now owned by the City of Orangeburg on Middleton Street, N. E., to be used for a public library. After discussion Council agreed to the sale of the lot provided the plan meets with the approval of the Orangeburg City Recreation Commission. The price and terms to be considered at a later date. However, the price would not exceed \$1,000.00, by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Resolution authorizing the mayor to sign a lease for the operation of the municipally owned theatre on Middleton street S. E., to E. B. Bowman for a period of five (5) years, beginning January 1, 1956 and ending December 31, 1960, at a monthly rental of \$500.00 was approved by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.  
 (See resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

The City Administrator and the Manager of the Department of Public Utilities were authorized to purchase and install airport lighting equipment at an estimated cost of \$3,000.00 by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A request from the Southern Railway Company that they be granted permission to change the location of its passenger depot to the present site of the freight depot was discussed by Council. The Council had no objection to this change by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

August 16, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held August 16, 1955

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.

Mayor

J. R. Council

Councilman

Absent,

J. S. Bryant (out of city)

Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held August 2, 1955, read and approved.

Mr. J. F. Pearson, Manager of the Department of Public Utilities, advised Council that he had received bids for the purchase of a new truck and that D. D. Salley & Company were the low bidders; at a cost of \$2769.32. Council authorized Mr. Pearson to purchase the truck by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with the Trustees of School District No. 5, whereby the trustees are to construct and maintain certain water lines pursuant to specifications and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign an agreement with the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company granting the City of Orangeburg permission to lay and maintain a 6 inch cast iron water main 2298 feet south westwardly from mile post K-374 was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council. (See Resolution attached to these minutes)

A Resolution fixing the duties of the City Administrator of the City of Orangeburg and also an organization chart was adopted by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

The Mayor was authorized to sign a Traffic Regulations agreement and Resolution of approval of State Highway plans placing Henley street from Sunnyside Drive to Fair street into the State Highway System was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council. (See Resolution attached to these minutes)

A report to Council by the Commissioners of Elections for Orangeburg County advised that an election held on August 9, 1955 for the annexation in the north boundary of the city known as Country Club and Club Acres having received a majority vote was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

(See report of the commissioners attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign a note for \$20,000.00, with interest at the rate of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent., payable December 1, 1955, at the Bank of Orangeburg was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Utilities to borrow \$20,000.00 was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

The City Treasurer was authorized to pay the cost of election

(Minutes of Council Meeting held August 16, 1955, continued)

expenses for the annexation of Country Club and Club Acres in the amount of \$203.11 by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

The City Administrator was authorized to furnish all city services to the Country Club and Club Acres by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

The City Treasurer was authorized to pay to Rosen, Horgner and Sims, City Attorneys, \$529.35 to cover attorney fees of the case of Fairey vs The City of Orangeburg by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

" AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MAKE APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET THE LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C. FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING APRIL 1, 1955 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1956" was read by title and passed first reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor and Councilman Council.

RESOLUTION

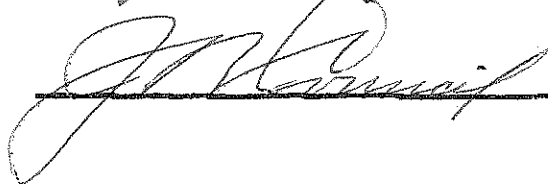
BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled, and by authority of the same:

That the City of Orangeburg be authorized to borrow the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars from the Bank of Orangeburg, with interest from the date of the obtaining of the loan at the rate of two and one-half (2½%) per cent, payable not later than December 1, 1955, and to be repaid from the proceeds of taxes collected for the year 1955.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to sign such notes or other legal papers and do all things necessary to accomplish the above.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this the sixteenth day of August, A. D. 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk and Treasurer

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RESOLUTION

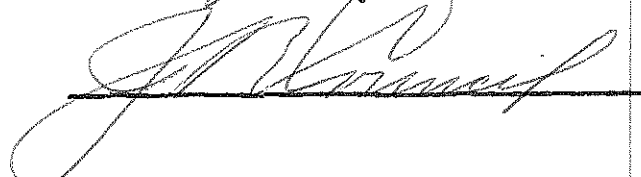
BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled, and by authority of the same:

That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be authorized and directed to borrow the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars, at the rate of two and one-half (2½%) per cent per annum interest, said principal and interest due and payable on December 1, 1955, and to pledge revenues of the Department of Public Utilities and/or revenue from property tax.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to sign all papers and do all things necessary to accomplish the above.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this the sixth day of September, A. D. 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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Councilmen

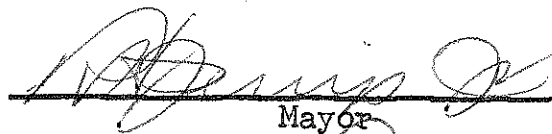
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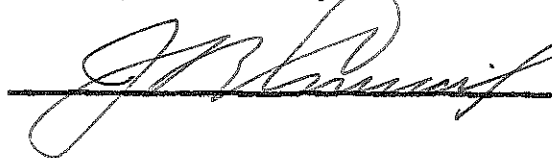
  
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City Clerk and Treasurer.

R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular assembled, that the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with L. R. Wells, F.F. Limehouse, J. B. Terry, Tally E. Smith and Edgar L. Culler, as Trustees of School District No. 5, Orangeburg County, and to sign same on behalf of the said City, and the Clerk is directed to attest such signature, whereby the said Trustees are to construct and maintain certain water mains and make certain installations thereto pursuant to the specifications and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities of the City of Orangeburg.

PASSED this the 16 day of August, A. D., 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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Councilmen

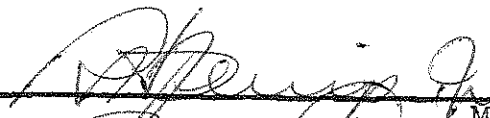

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk & Treasurer


R E S O L U T I O N .

BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular meeting assembled, that the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with the ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY, and to sign same on behalf of said City, whereby the said Railroad Company gives and grants unto the said City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, the right to lay and maintain, for the purpose of a water main, a line of 6-inch cast iron pipe across the right of way and underneath the track of the Railroad Company near Orangeburg, South Carolina, at a point 2,298 feet southwestwardly, measured along the center line of the main tract of the Railroad Company, from mile post K-374; as more particularly described in said agreement, which agreement is dated July 13, 1955.

PASSED this the 16 day of August, A. D., 1955.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor  
  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk and Treasurer



R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, It is desired that the powers, duties and responsibilities of the City Administrator be specifically defined; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED That the duties, powers and responsibilities of the City Administrator are as follows:

1. The City Administrator shall be the chief administrative assistant to the City Council and shall be responsible to the Council for the proper administration of all affairs of the city with the exception of the Department of Public Utilities.

2. The City Administrator shall have the following powers and responsibilities:

(a) Appoint and, when necessary for the good of the service, suspend or remove any employee of the city, except as otherwise provided by the city charter or law and except that the appointment or removal of heads of departments shall require the approval of the Council.

(b) With the assistance of the department heads, prepare the budget annually and submit it to the Council for adoption. The Administrator shall be responsible to the Council for the administration of the budget after its adoption. He shall advise the Council quarterly, or as often as necessary, of the budget status.

(c) Prepare and submit to the Council as of the end of the fiscal year a complete report on the administrative activities of the City for the preceding year.

(d) With the assistance of the City Treasurer, keep the Council advised of the financial condition and future needs of the city and make such recommendations as he may deem desirable.

(e) Recommend to the City Council a standard schedule of pay for each appointive office and position in the city service, including minimum, intermediate and maximum rates.

(f) Recommend to the City Council (from time to time) adoption of such measures as he may deem necessary or expedient for the health, safety or welfare of the community or for the improvement of administrative services.

(g) Consolidate or combine offices, positions, departments or units under his jurisdiction, with the approval of City Council. The City Administrator may be the head of one or more departments. The functional organization of the city shall be shown on a chart and submitted to the Council for approval. Changes in the organization chart shall require the approval of the Council.

(h) Attend all meetings of the City Council unless excused therefrom and take part in the discussion of all matters pertinent to his office coming before the Council.

(i) Supervise the purchase of all materials, supplies and equipment for which funds are provided in the budget; let contracts necessary for operation or maintenance of City services for amounts up to and including five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, receive sealed bids for purchases or contracts in excess of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars and present them to the Council for approval and advise the Council on the advantages of contract and bid proposals. No purchase shall be made, contract let or obligation incurred for any item or service which exceeds the current budget appropriation without a supplemental appropriation by the Council.

No contract in excess of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, and no contract for new construction or the purchase of new equipment valued in excess of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars shall be let except by the City Council. The Administrator may issue such rules governing purchasing procedures within the administrative organization as the Council shall approve.

(j) Inform the Council of any known laxities or failures in the enforcement of the laws and ordinances of the City and make such recommendations as may be appropriate.

(k) Investigate and report to the Council on the affairs of the City or any department or division thereof, except the Department of Public Utilities. Investigate all complaints in relation to matters concerning the administration of the government of the City and in regards to service maintained by the several departments, except Public Utilities, in the City and see that all franchises, permits and privileges granted by the City are faithfully observed.

(l) Devote his entire time to the discharge of his official duties.

(m) Perform such other duties as may be required by the Council, not inconsistent with the City charter, law or ordinances.

(n) In case of accident, disaster or other circumstance creating a public emergency, the City Administrator may award contracts and make purchases for the purpose of meeting said emergency; but he shall file promptly with the Council a certificate showing such emergency and the necessity for such action, together with an itemized account of all expenditures.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in Council assembled, this 16 day of August, A.D. 1955.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk and Treasurer.

TOWN OF ORANGEBURG

Orangeburg, S.C.

August 11, 1955

Mr. S. W. Fearman,  
State Highway Engineer  
State Highway Department  
Columbia, South Carolina

Re: Docket \_\_\_\_\_ - Road S-1021

Dear Sir:-

With reference to the improvement of the above street in the Town of Orangeburg, on behalf of the Town of Orangeburg, I wish to verify the width of the said street as shown by the map of the Town of Orangeburg, said width being as follows:

Road S-1021 (Henley Street) - From Sunnyside Drive northeasterly to Fair Street (50' width), approximately 0.292 Miles.

In the event it is ever found necessary to widen Road S-1021 to accommodate future traffic needs such as construction of curb and gutters, storm drainage and sidewalks, such work to be accomplished as a joint undertaking between the Town and the Highway Department, the Town will cooperate in securing any necessary additional width of right of way and bear the expense, if any, in connection therewith.

This letter is written by authority of resolution of the Town Council adopted on this date.

Yours very truly,

TOWN OF ORANGEBURG

By: [Signature]  
Mayor

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF CHARLESTON

DOCKET NO.

TRAFFIC REGULATION AGREEMENT

A. PROJECT NO.

ROUTE OR ROAD NO. ROAD 5-1021

WHEREAS, The Municipality of CHARLESTON, S. C. does hereby and herewith officially request and authorize the South Carolina State Highway Department to improve a section of the street or streets included in this agreement in accordance with the plans, specifications, and regulations of the South Carolina State Highway Department \_\_\_\_\_, and

WHEREAS, It is necessary in order to secure the benefit of the proposed improvement for the Municipality to assume certain definite obligations in connection with the regulation of traffic on and the clearing and future protection of the right of way established for the proposed improvement.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it resolved that all laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, or traffic signals regulating the speed limits, traffic movements, or parking of vehicles on this section of highway will be established by the Municipality in cooperation with the State Highway Department and the traffic on this section of the highway will not be penalized nor made secondary to the traffic of abutting or cross streets, and no unreasonable speed limits will be established for the traffic on this street.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Municipality will legally protect the right of way as shown by the plans prepared by the State Highway Department and as established for this street from future encroachment along any or all parts of the improvement covered by this agreement, and that all municipal water and sewer pipes, manholes, or fire hydrants and all power, light, telegraph, or telephone poles will be moved or rearranged, and all necessary rights of way for drainage ditches or pipes will be secured to conform to the plans for the proposed improvement and that all of the above will be done without any expense to the State Highway Department \_\_\_\_\_ except those items shown on the plans for this street to be adjusted as items in the contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, This Resolution is hereby adopted and made a part of the Municipal records this 16 day of August, 1958 and the original of this Resolution will be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

MUNICIPALITY OF

CHARLESTON

, S. C.

By

[Signature]  
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\_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

ATTEST:

[Signature]  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk

DESCRIPTION OF STREETS OR ROADS

Road 5-1021 (Sanley Street) - From Sunnyside Drive northwesterly to Fair Street approximately 0.292 miles.

### APPROVAL OF HIGHWAY PLANS

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

RESOLUTION

COUNTY OF ORANGEBURG

TOWN OF ORANGEBURG

PROJECT NO. \_\_\_\_\_, ROUTE NO. 1071

WHEREAS, The South Carolina State Highway Department is making certain improvements in State Highway No. 1071 through the Town of Orangenburg, and

WHEREAS, members of the Town Council have inspected with the official representative of the State Highway Department the location and grades of that section of the above named project within the Town of Orangenburg, as shown by the plans on file in the Resident Engineer's office and at the Columbia office of the State Highway Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with Act No. 787 of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, approved March 31st, 1930, the Town of Orangenburg, acting through its Mayor and Council, hereby approves the alignment, grades and drainage as shown by these plans and the State Highway Department is hereby relieved of all responsibility and liability on account of property damages incident to the improvement of this highway within the corporate limits of the Town.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED, That the contents of this Resolution will be spread upon and made a part of the official minutes of the Town Council of the Town of Orangenburg and that the original copy of this Resolution be filed with the South Carolina State Highway Department at Columbia.

This Resolution is hereby adopted this 16 day of August, A. D. 1935

Attest:

[Signature]  
Town Clerk

TOWN OF ORANGEBURG

BY: [Signature]  
Mayor

[Signature]

COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION  
FOR ORANGEBURG COUNTY S. C.

Eugene H. Smoak  
~~W. D. Cooper~~ Chairman—Orangeburg  
W. DIBBLE COOPER—Springfield  
E. A. CROUT—Holly Hill  
WALTER H. O'CAIN, Clerk  
Orangeburg, S. C.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA  
County of Orangeburg

Board of Commissioners of Election  
for Orangeburg County.

Statement and returns of Votes on Annexation of that certain Area adjoining the present Northern Boundry of the City of Orangeburg, S. C. known as Country Club and Club Acres.

Number of votes cast in City 102

Number of votes in favor of Annexation 92

Number opposed to Annexation 10

Number of votes cast in outside Area 16

Number of votes in favor of Annexation 16

Number opposed to Annexation 0

Election Commission  
Orangeburg County

Eugene H. Smoak  
Eugene H. Smoak

E. A. Crout  
E. A. Crout

W. D. Cooper  
W. D. Cooper

Walter H. O' Cain  
Walter H. O' Cain, Clerk

August 16, 1955

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

September 6, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held September 6, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman

Absent,

J. S. Bryant (out of City)	Councilman
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Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held August 16, 1955, read and approved.

" AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MAKE APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET THE LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C., FOR THE YEAR COMMENCING APRIL 1, 1955 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1956" passed second reading by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor and City Treasurer to borrow \$10,000.00 from the First National Bank, with interest at the rate of 2½ per cent, to be repaid from the proceeds obtained from the 1955 City Taxes collected by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council.

The Mayor was authorized to sign a Proclamation Proclaiming September 17th to 23rd to be designated as "CONSTITUTION WEEK" by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council.

The City Attorney was authorized to draw up a Resolution with reference to the death of Dr. Vance W. Brabham, City Health Officer, by the following vote.  
 Yea, the Mayor, Councilman Council.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of August:

Number of Arrests	210
Days on Public Works	323
Fines & Forfeitures	\$3609.00
Transferred to Higher Court	7

received as information.



R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled, and by authority of the same:

That the City of Orangeburg be authorized to borrow the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars from the First National Bank in Orangeburg, S. C., with interest from the date of the obtaining of the loan at the rate of two and one-half ( $2\frac{1}{2}$ ) per cent, payable not later than December 1, 1955, and to be repaid from the proceeds of taxes collected for the year 1955.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to sign such notes or other legal papers and do all things necessary to accomplish the above.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this the sixth day of September, A. D. 1955.

  
R. H. JENNINGS, JR., MAYOR

  
J. R. COUNCIL, COUNCILMAN

ATTEST:

  
L. F. THELLING  
CITY CLERK AND TREASURER

J. S. BRYANT, COUNCILMAN

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the people of these United States have been asked to observe the week of September 17-23, 1955 as CONSTITUTION WEEK", and

WHEREAS, September Seventeenth has been designated "Flag Day", and

WHEREAS, in no period of our history has it been more appropriate that every city, town and rural community in this land rededicate themselves to the maintenance of our constitution and to honor and respect the flag of our country,


NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor of the City of Orangeburg, do hereby proclaim the week of September 17 to 23 as "CONSTITUTION WEEK" and September 17 as "FLAG DAY", and call upon the people of the City of Orangeburg to observe Constitution Week by appropriate thought and action and call for the display of the American flag from all business and civic buildings on Flag Day and throughout Constitution Week.

DATED:

September 6, 1955

  
Mayor

Correct attest:

  
City Clerk & Treasurer

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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, on August 28, 1955, Dr. Vance W. Brabham passed away after serving as Health Officer and Chairman of the Board of Health of the City of Orangeburg for more than thirty (30) years; and

WHEREAS, during these years of faithful service many improvements in the interest of public health have been realized, including extending the sanitary sewer system to serve over ninety-five (95%) per cent of the City's population, in eliminating typhus fever by a dynamic pest control program, in initiating regular seasonal spraying with intersecticides to control flies and mosquitoes, and in other ways too numerous to mention; and

WHEREAS, the City of Orangeburg is deeply indebted to Dr. Brabham for his sacrificial efforts and for his valuable services; now, therefore,


BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled, and by authority of the same, that the City of Orangeburg go on record acknowledging the outstanding services and dynamic leadership of Dr. Vance W. Brabham in connection with the health and welfare of the people of Orangeburg.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the family of the late Dr. Vance W. Brabham, so that they may be formally advised that the City Council is most appreciative of his valuable services.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, S. C., this the 20th day of September, A. D. 1955.

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk & Treasurer

  
Mayor

  
Councilmen

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

September 20, 1955.

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held September 20, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jemmings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held Sept. 6, 1955,  
read and approved.

" AN ORDINANCE TO RAISE SUPPLIES AND MAKE APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET THE LIABILITIES OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG FOR THE YEAR COMMENCING APRIL 1, 1955 AND ENDING MARCH 31, 1956" passed third reading and was enacted into law by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Petition signed by a number of residents requesting that a traffic light be placed at the corner of Carolina and Summers Avenues was referred to the State Highway Department.

Dr. J. L. Wells was appointed Chairman of the Board of Health for one year year, to expire September 30, 1956, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A communication from Mr. C. E. Summers, Secretary of the Orangeburg Recreation Commission, advising Council that the Commission would have no objections to the property on Adden street being used for a county library site was read and received as information.

The resignation of Mr. L. F. Wolfe as Chairman of the Orangeburg Recreation Commission was accepted and the City Attorney was instructed to draw up a Resolution thanking Mr. Wolfe for his services to this organization by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator and City Treasurer were authorized to purchase approximately \$50,000.00 worth of bonds for the Sinking Funds, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

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R E S O L U T I O N

WHEREAS, Lenaire F. Wolfe on September 12, 1955 tendered his resignation as Chairman of the Recreation Commission for the City of Orangeburg; and

WHEREAS, the City Council on September 20th regretfully accepted this resignation after expressing its appreciation of Mr. Wolfe's long and faithful services to the youth of the community through his leadership of the recreation program of the City; and

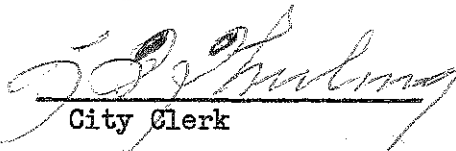
WHEREAS, the Council feels that Mr. Wolfe's devotion to and guidance of the program of planned recreation has been of inestimable value to the boys and girls of this City, and that this program has done much to maintain Orangeburg's enviable record in the field of juvenile delinquency, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled, and by authority of the same, that the City of Orangeburg go on record acknowledging the outstanding services and leadership of Lenaire F. Wolfe in connection with the Recreation Program of the City of Orangeburg.

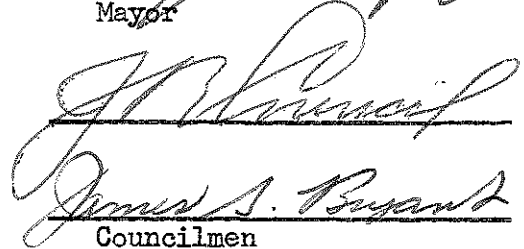
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Lenaire F. Wolfe, so that he may be formally advised that the City Council is most appreciative of his valuable services.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, S. C., this the 4th day of October, A. D. 1955.

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk

  
Mayor

  
Councilmen

10-4-55

## CITY OF ORANGEBURG S.C.

October 4th, 1955.

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held October 4th, 1955.

Present.

J. Roger Council.  
James S. Bryant,Mayor Protem.  
Councilman.

Absent.

R.H. Jennings Jr. (Out of City)

Mayor.

Report of Chief of Police for month of September 1955.

Number of arrests.	150
Days served in Jail.	185
Fines & Forfeitures.	\$ 2108.00
Transferred to Superior Courts,	4

The City Administrator advised Council that he had received bids for Uniforms from three merchants and that the low bidder was Rennekers inc. and the bid was awarded to Rennekers inc by the following vote, Yea Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

City administrator advised Council that the annual budget for year 1955 and 1956 was prepared and ready and the same was adopted by the following vote Yea Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.

City Treasurer was authorized to charge off uncollected taxes for years 1945 to 1951 inclusive in full and parts of taxes for years 1952 to 1954 inclusive by the following vote Yea Acting Mayor Council and Councilman Bryant.



R. H. JENNINGS, JR.,  
Mayor

L. F. THEILING,  
Clerk and Treas.

J. ROGER COUNCIL,  
JAMES S. BRYANT,  
Councilmen

# CITY OF ORANGEBURG

*Commission Form of Government*

MUNICIPAL BUILDING

ORANGEBURG, S. C.  
September 30, 1955

Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor  
Mr. J. R. Council, Councilman  
Mr. J. S. Bryant, Councilman

Gentlemen:

In checking the unpaid taxes for the years 1952, 1953 and 1954, I find that, at this time, there is \$2,870.74 which is uncollectable, as follows:

1952	Taxes	\$ 2108.64
1953	"	632.04
1954	"	129.72
		<u>\$ 2870.40</u>

These outstanding taxes represents double entries, nula-bonas and parties that have left the City and have left no known address. As I have exhausted all efforts to collect these taxes, I would recommend to the Council that they be charged off.

Respectfully submitted,

W. S. Fairey  
City Tax Collector

APPROVED:

MAYOR

  
COUNCILMAN  
COUNCILMAN



R. H. JENNINGS, JR.,  
Mayor

L. F. THEILING,  
Clerk and Treas.

J. ROGER COUNCIL,  
JAMES S. BRYANT,  
Councilmen

# CITY OF ORANGEBURG

## Commission Form of Government

MUNICIPAL BUILDING  
ORANGEBURG, S. C.

September 30, 1955

Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor  
Mr. J. R. Council, Councilman  
Mr. J. S. Bryant, Councilman

Gentlemen:

The records in the office of the City Treasurer show that there remains unpaid \$ 4,226.02 uncollected taxes for the years 1945 to 1951 inclusive, as follows:

1945	Taxes	\$ 723.12
1946	"	235.98
1947	"	592.02
1948	"	212.52
1949	"	436.54
1950	"	685.86
1951	"	1339.98
		<u>\$ 4226.02</u>

These Outstanding taxes represent double entries, nula-bonas and parties that have left the city and have not left a forwarding address. As I have exhausted all efforts to collect these taxes, I would like to recommend to the Council that they be charged off.

Respectfully submitted,

*W. S. Fairey*  
W. S. Fairey  
City Tax Collector

APPROVED:

MAYOR

*J. R. Council*  
COUNCILMAN

*James S. Bryant*  
COUNCILMAN



CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

October 18, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held October 18, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.

Mayor

Absent, J. R. Council

Councilman

Present, J. S. Bryant

Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held October 4, 1955, read and approved.

Invitation to Regional Meeting of the South Carolina Municipal Association was read by Mayor, R. H. Jennings, Jr.

Mr. Pearson, Manager of the Department of Public Utilities, reported 1505 gas customers with 150 more ready to connect.

The City Attorney advised Council that McJunkin vs City case will be tried next month.

Lt. Hall advised Council that the city police are cooperating with Sled and Federal Agents on liquor cases surrounding the city. Council instructed City Police not to accompany other agents on raids except when deputized by the Sheriff.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

November 1, 1955

Regular Meeting of  
Minutes of City Council held November 1, 1955,  
Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held October 18, 1955, read and approved.

Mr. Russell S. Wolfe, representing the Hemorcalis Society, requested permission to make a display garden in certain parts of the Edisto Gardens and Council approved the same, provided it meets with the approval of the Supt. of Parks, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator was authorized to advertise a meeting for the recently annexed Club Acres for the purpose of amending the Zoning Ordinance. This meeting to be held in connection with the Regular City Council meeting on December 6th, 1955, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The report of the Chief of Police for the month of October, 1955.

Number of Arrests	182
Days on Public Works	305
Fines and Forfeitures	\$2650.00
Transferred to Higher Court	4

received as information.

An agreement between the South Carolina Electric and Gas Company and the City of Orangeburg known as the 44 KV Line Extension Agreement was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

114 KV LINE EXTENSION AGREEMENT BETWEEN SOUTH CAROLINA  
ELECTRIC AND GAS COMPANY AND THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG

This agreement is between the South Carolina Electric and Gas Company, hereinafter called Company, and the City of Orangeburg, hereinafter called City.

Under contract which expires March 12, 1957, the Company supplies electric service to the City through two substations, one which is owned by the Company and one owned by the City.

As a consideration for a new five year contract, under which the Company would continue to supply electric service to the City, the Company will construct, own, maintain and operate a 114 KV line from its 114 KV substation to a third substation to be owned, operated and maintained by the City, said substation to be located on the Orangeburg-Cameron highway; the date of initial delivery under the new contract to be not later than the 13th of March 1957.

In the event that the City does not enter into a new five year contract to continue to purchase all of its electrical requirements from the Company, then the City agrees to reimburse the Company for the total cost of such construction including cost of right of way and clearing; poles, wires and other appurtenances, the installation thereof and the removal cost of same, less the salvage value, the estimated cost of which is \$10,000.00 (this estimate does not include any cost for right of way, cutting of trees, or other incidental expenses).

If the Company elects to extend its facilities from a point on the extension through which the third substation will be served, then the City will be liable for payment of only that portion of the line which is used exclusively to supply service to the City.

It is also agreed that when service is taken by the City from the third substation, for billing purposes, the Company will add arithmetically the maximum monthly demand registered at each of the three stations, whereas under the existing contract the Company, for billing purposes, is required to use the coincident maximum monthly demand of the two substations from which the City is now receiving service.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have caused this agreement to be executed by the proper officers on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1955.

A copy of the resolution passed by the City of Orangeburg's Council authorizing the execution of this contract is hereto attached and made part of this contract.

Attest:

[Signature]  
City Clerk & Treasurer

CITY OF ORANGEBURG

By [Signature]  
Mayor

[Signature]  
Councilman

[Signature]  
Councilman

Attest:

SOUTH CAROLINA ELECTRIC & GAS COMPANY

Assistant Secretary

By President

COPY

R E S O L U T I O N .

WHEREAS, The South Carolina Hemerocallis Society desires to sponsor a display garden and wishes to locate said garden in the City of Orangeburg; and

WHEREAS, The said Society is willing to furnish the plants for the said garden; and

WHEREAS, The said Society has requested the City of Orangeburg to establish and maintain said display garden; and

WHEREAS, Said display garden would be an added attraction at Edisto Gardens and would generally benefit the public; NOW, THEREFORE,

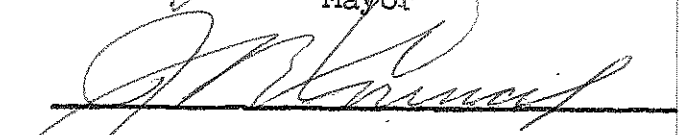
BE IT RESOLVED By the Mayor and Councilmen of the City of Orangeburg, in council assembled and by authority of the same, that the generous offer of the South Carolina Hemerocallis Society to establish a display garden in Orangeburg be accepted.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That the City of Orangeburg agree to maintain the said gardens for the benefit of the public.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the South Carolina Hermerocallis Society.

PASSED by the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this 15<sup>TH</sup> day of November, A. D. 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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James S. Bryant  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk & Treasurer

## City of Orangeburg, S. C.

November 15, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held November 15, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.

Mayor

J. R. Council

Councilman

J. S. Bryant

Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held November 1, 1955,  
read and approved.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to renew a note for \$20,000.00,  
at the Southern National Bank for the Department of Public Utilities,  
at the rate of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent., payable February 1, 1956, was approved  
by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

The City Administrator was instructed to write all Funeral Homes or  
any others operating emergency equipment with regard to speeding  
and driving through Red Lights, advising them that they must  
observe the Traffic Lights Signals of the City of Orangeburg, by  
the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign an agreement with the  
Atlantic Coast Line Railway Company for the right to lay and maintain  
a natural gas, 3 inch pipe line across the railroad right of way at  
Mill street in the City of Orangeburg, was approved by the following  
vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign an agreement with the  
Southern Railway Company covering interconnection of Traffic Signals  
with Railway Flashing Light Signals at the crossing of U. S. Highway  
301 over the Southern Railway main line, was approved by the follow-  
ing vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

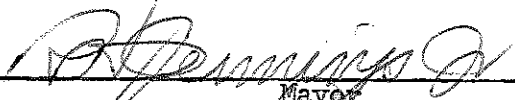
RESOLUTION

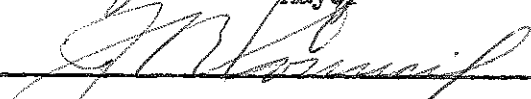
BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in council assembled, and by authority of the same:

That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be authorized and directed to borrow the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars, at the rate of two and one-half ( $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ ) per cent per annum interest, said principal and interest due and payable on February 1, 1956, and to pledge revenues of the Department of Public Utilities and/or revenue from property tax.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That the Honorable R. H. Jennings, Jr., Mayor, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to sign all papers and do all things necessary to accomplish the above.

PASSED By the City Council, in council assembled, at Orangeburg, South Carolina, this the fifteenth day of November, A. D. 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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James S. Bryant  
Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk and Treasurer

R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular meeting assembled, that the Mayor of said City be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with the ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY, and to sign same on behalf of said City, whereby said Railroad Company gives and grants unto the said City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, the right to lay and maintain, for the purpose of conducting natural gas, a line of 3-inch steel pipe across the right of way and underneath the Railroad Company's interchange track and the spur track serving Southern Cotton Oil Company at Orangeburg, South Carolina, at Mill Street, at points, respectively, 606 feet northwestwardly, measured along the center line of said interchange track from the point of switch at the junction of said interchange track with said spur track, and 720 feet northwestwardly, measured along the center line of said spur track from said point of switch; as particularly described in said agreement, which agreement is dated November 7, 1955.

PASSED by the City Council, in council assembled, this

15<sup>TH</sup>

day of November, A. D. 1955.

ATTEST:

*[Signature]*  
City Clerk & Treasurer

*[Signature]*  
Mayor

*[Signature]*  
Councilmen



R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, in regular meeting assembled, that the Mayor of said City be, and is hereby authorized to enter into, and to sign on behalf of said City, an agreement between the Southern Railway Company and the City of Orangeburg covering interconnection of Traffic Signals with Railway Flashing Light Signals at the crossing of U. S. Highway 301 over the Southern Railway main line in the City of Orangeburg; as particularly described in said agreement, which agreement is dated November 15, 1955.

Passed by City Council, in Council assembled this fifteenth day of November, A. D., 1955.

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk

Signed:

  
Mayor

  
Councilman

  
Councilman

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

December 6, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held December 6, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting held November 15, 1955, read and approved.

Report of the Chief of Police for the month of November:

Number of Arrests	132
Days on Public Works	282
Fines & Forfeitures	\$ 1794.00
Transferred to Higher Court	4

received as information.

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with John S. Harley, John E. Harley, Rut L. Osborne and Rut L. Osborne, Jr., whereby they are to construct and maintain certain water mains and make installation according to specifications and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities, was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with T. G. Strange, whereby he is to construct and maintain certain water mains and make installation according to specifications and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities, was approved by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

(See Resolution attached to and made a part of these minutes)

An Ordinance to amend the Ordinance governing zoning in the City of Orangeburg was read by title and passed first reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Mr. Fred R. Fanning was appointed City Recorder for a period of one year commencing October 1, 1955, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Treasurer was authorized to pay Attorney's fee in the Buford case amounting to \$1,000.00 plus cost, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator was authorized to receive bids for the purchase of gasoline and oil and tires to be used by the City of Orangeburg for a period of one year commencing January 1, 1956, by the following vote.

Y ea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator was authorized to receive bids for a new automobile to be used by the Police Department, by the following vote.

Y ea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

Council approved the purchase of tear gas equipment for the

Police department at a cost of \$265.00 by the following vote.  
Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

In accordance with advertisement no one appeared before Council regarding the zoning of Club Acres, the newly annexed area.

A request from the Orangeburg Realty Company for a change in zoning classifications on Russell St. S. E. was read and the City Administrator was instructed to call a meeting for a public hearing at 6:00 o'clock Friday, January 6, 1956, by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

" AN ORDINANCE TO APPOINT A RE CORDER FOR THE CITY OF ORANGE-  
BURG FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR COMMENCING OCTOBER 1, 1955"  
WAS read by title and passed first reading by the following  
vote.

Yea, Mayor, R. H. Jennings, Jr., Councilmen Council and Bryant


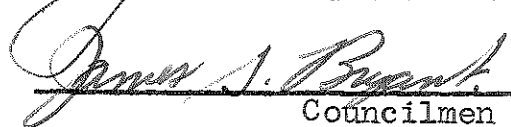
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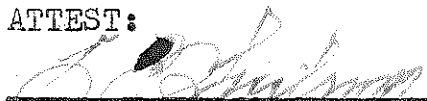
BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular council assembled, that the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with John S. Harley, John E. Harley, Rut L. Osborne, Sr., and Rut L. Osborne, Jr., and to sign same on behalf of the said City, and the Clerk is directed to attest such signature, whereby the said John S. Harley, John E. Harley, Rut L. Osborne, Sr., and Rut L. Osborne, Jr., are to construct and maintain certain water mains and make certain installations thereto pursuant to the specifications and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities of the City of Orangeburg.

PASSED this ; the 6th day of Dec., A.D., 1955.

  
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Mayor

  
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Councilmen

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk & Treasurer

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R E S O L U T I O N

BE IT RESOLVED By the City Council of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, in regular council assembled, that the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized to enter into an agreement with T. G. Strange, and to sign same on behalf of the said City, and the Clerk is directed to attest such signature, whereby the said T. G. Strange is to construct and maintain certain water mains and make certain installations thereto pursuant to the specifications and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities of the City of Orangeburg.

PASSED this the 6th day of Dec 1955, A. D.,  
1955.

[Signature]  
Mayor

[Signature]

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Councilmen

ATTEST:

[Signature]  
City Clerk & Treasurer.

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, S. C.

December 20, 1955

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held December 20, 1955.

Present,

R. H. Jennings, Jr.	Mayor
J. R. Council	Councilman
J. S. Bryant	Councilman

Minutes of Regular Meeting of City Council held December 6, 1955, read and approved.

" AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE AS ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG ON THE 18TH DAY OF MAY A. D., 1954, FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING AND RESTRICTING WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF ORANGEBURG, S. C., THE HEIGHT, NUMBER OF STORIES, AND SIZE OF BUILDINGS AND OTHER STRUCTURES, THE PERCENTAGE OF LOT THAT MAY BE OCCUPIED, THE SIZE OF YARDS, COURTS, AND OTHER OPEN SPACES, THE DENSITY OF POPULATION AND THE LOCATION AND USE OF BUILDING, STURCTURES, AND LAND FOR TRADE, INDUSTRY, RESIDENCE, AND OTHER PURPOSES." passed first reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

" AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A RECORDER FOR THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF ORANGEBURG AND FOR THE TERM THEREOF." passed second reading by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator advised Council that he had received bids for a new automobile to be used by the Police Department, and Council rejected all bids and recommended that the present car be repaired by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.

The City Administrator was authorized to make repairs to the Police building at a cost of approximately \$265.00 by the following vote.

Yea, the Mayor, Councilmen Council and Bryant.