

Town of North High Shoals

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Minutes

October 10, 2005

Present: Councilman Wade Thomas
Councilman Eddie Cape
Councilman B.J. Ivie
Councilman Fred Johnson
Councilwoman Violet Dawe

Stuart Hendrick – Oconee Enterprise

Monthly Business:

1. Presentation/adoption of the financial statement for the month of August 05 (Eddie; B.J.; all in favor)
2. Presentation/approval of the financial statement for the month of September 05 (Eddie; B.J.; all in favor)
3. Presentation/approval of the July Draft Minutes (Eddie, Fred; all in favor).

Old Business:

City Park

1. The Mayor and Council discussed the following topic(s) concerning the park:
 - a. Establishment of a fall/winter cleanup/improvement date. Council agreed that November 5th would be a good date between the hours of 9 and 12 for anyone interested in participating. Mayor Thomas asked members of the Council to provide him with a list of suggestions for the days work.
 - b. Mayor Thomas is still developing drawings for a possible pavilion

Law Enforcement Update:

Mayor Thomas reported that Sgt. Brooks continues to patrol our city streets: performing license checks and enforcing No Thru Truck procedures in accordance with the Oconee County Sheriff's Department regulations.

Additionally, Mayor Thomas asked the Council to sign a contract extension to continue police/patrol enforcement through December 31, 2005. Councilman Cape made the motion to accept the extension, Councilman Johnson 2nd the motion and the Council vote was unanimously in favor.

Councilwoman Dawe reiterated the Council's continued concerns for speeding within the city.

Streets:

Councilwoman Dawe suggested that a letter requesting road improvements to the state D.O.T. concerning drainage issues on Hwy 186 be postponed until after the installation of water lines in the hopes that corrections will be made at that time.

Election Qualifying:

1. Mayor Thomas notified the Council that the three incumbents (Post 3, 4 & 5) had all qualified to retain their seats in the upcoming November election. Mayor Thomas also noted that since no seats were being contested that an election would not have to be held; thus saving the city approximately \$700.

New Business:

No new business was discussed.

Mayor's Update:

Mayor Thomas presented an updated version of Oconee County's ordinances to the Council.

Council Concerns/Requests for Next Months Meeting:

No new items were

The meeting was adjourned: by a unanimous vote (Eddie; B.J. all in favor)

Respectfully submitted,

Jeff D. Thomas - Mayor