

TOWN OF WILLIAMSTON  
SPECIAL CALLED COUNCIL MEETING  
JUNE 10, 2010  
5:00 PM

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Crout. The Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance were given by Mayor Crout. All members of council except Councilman Harvell were present.

There were no public comments.

Councilman Looper made a motion seconded by Councilman Middleton to discuss the inmate contract with SC Department of Corrections. All voted in favor. After a lengthy discussion of the pros and cons of inmates from the State versus Anderson County and compared to hiring of part time workers, Councilman Middleton made a motion to try the SC inmates for 4 weeks in order to collect hard numbers about the costs and any problems involved and then make a decision at the August meeting. Councilman Looper made a motion to go into executive session for legal counsel and Councilman Middleton withdrew his motion. The motion was seconded by Councilman Cole and all voted in favor. After the executive session, Councilman Middleton made a motion seconded by Councilman Looper to return to public session. All voted in favor. Mayor Crout said no action was taken in executive session. Mayor Crout made a motion to hire the inmates. The motion died for lack of a second.

Mayor Crout announced that he would advertise for 2 temporary workers at \$9.00 per hour.

Before adjournment, Mayor Crout announced that the next meeting would be on July 12<sup>th</sup> due to the holiday closure on July 5<sup>th</sup>.

Councilman Middleton made a motion seconded by Councilman Looper to adjourn. All voted in favor. Adjournment was at 5:40 pm.