

RICHLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

Kelvin Washington District 10 Greg Pearce District 6 Joyce Dickerson, Chair District 2 Kit Smith District 5

Val Hutchinson District 9

Tuesday, March 23, 2010 6:00 PM

Report of Actions

CALL TO ORDER

Joyce Dickerson called the meeting to order.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. <u>Regular Session: February 23, 2010</u> - The minutes of the February 23, 2010 committee meeting were approved as submitted.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA The agenda was adopted as published.

ITEMS FOR ACTION

Consent

2. <u>Budget Amendment-Sheriff: Part-Time Employees</u> – The committee recommended that Council give first reading approval to the Sheriff Department's request in the amount of \$345,000 to amend the budget to cover part-time expenses. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Consent

3.

4.

<u>Fair Housing Resolution</u> – The committee recommended that Council approve the request for a Fair Housing Resolution for Fair Housing Month in April. The vote in favor was unanimous.

Consent

<u>Provide assistance to the City of Forest Acres for Building Plan Review and Inspections</u> – The committee recommended that Council amend the MOU and Agreement between Richland County and Forest Acres to reflect staff's recommendation that Forest Acres be required to either 1) appoint their own Board of Appeals or 2) if a Board is not appointed, Forest Acres agrees that if the County's Board of Appeals decision is appealed, Forest Acres will be required to pay for outside counsel to defend any suit, and

pay for the time required for county employees to testify. The vote in favor was unanimous.

5. Referendum on whether or not Richland County should adopt the Supervisor form of Government – The committee forwarded this item to Council without a recommendation. The vote was in favor.

Staffed by Randy Cherry