

**HAMPTON COUNTY COUNCIL'S SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY; APRIL 9, 2007; 6:00 P. M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, B. T. DeLOACH BUILDING
201 JACKSON AVENUE, WEST, HAMPTON, SC**

Hampton County Council held its regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, April 9, 2007, 6:00 p. m., Council Chambers, B. T. DeLoach Building, Hampton, South Carolina. Council Member(s) present: Hugh B. Gray, Chairman; Margaret S. "Peggy" Parker, Vice Chairman; Virgin Johnson, Sr.; Charles H. "Buddy" Phillips and Willard E. Wilson. Staff present: Sabrena Posey Graham, Administrator; Aline Newton, Clerk to Council and A. G. Solomons, Jr., County Attorney. Media present: Wayne Knuckles, The Hampton County Guardian. The meeting was advertised as prescribed by law.

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman Gray called the meeting to order.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION:

Council Member Johnson gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairman Gray

APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Council voted by secret ballot to appoint the following:

Council on Aging Advisory Board

Louise J. DeLoach
Gladys B. Moore

Airport Commission

Buddy Bullard

Planning Commission

Barbara Peeples

BIDS

COURTHOUSE RENOVATIONS AND ADDITIONS PROJECT:

Mr. Robert Smith, Moseley Architect, presented the bids to council.

Brunson Building Supply-----\$5,464,000
Complete Building Corporation-----\$5,661,632
Charles Blanchard Construction Corp.---\$5,870,000
Brantley Construction Company, LLC---\$5,877,719

Mr. Smith stated that the bids are good for sixty (60) days and the bids were received on

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March 13, 2007. Council discussed the bids. Council requested that the Administrator provide requested information regarding cost estimates by architect, etc. Council will put courthouse bids on the April 23, 2007 special meeting agenda. Council thanked Mr. Smith.

PRESENTATION OF DONATION TO CHARETTE:

Chairman Gray presented to Council Member Parker a the donation from the Community Foundation for the charrette in the amount of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars).

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Council Member Johnson, seconded by Council Member Parker, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Chairman Gray adjourned the meeting at 6:30 p. m.