GREENWOOD CITY COUNCIL

December 1, 2003 - 5:35 p.m.

SPECIAL MEETING

PRESENT

Council Members: Mayor Nicholson, Niki Hutto, Linda Edwards, Betty Boles, Herbert Vaughn, and Johnny Williams; City Manager; Assistant City Manager; City Attorney.

ABSENT

Barbara Turnburke

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting in the Council Chambers was called to order by Mayor Nicholson at 5:35 p.m., and he welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Mayor Nicholson gave the invocation.

STATEMENT AND QUORUM

The Mayor gave the following statement: “In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act, Chapter 4, Title 30, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, an agenda has been posted on the front door of City Hall and notification of this meeting has been given to the news media.”

Mayor Nicholson asked the Assistant City Manager, Charles Barrineau, if a quorum was present. He said, “Yes sir, Mr. Mayor.”

CONSIDER

Mayor Nicholson read the only item and recognized the City Manager.

Ordinance Amending City Ordinance 03-004, Section 10-8 (c), Fee Schedule and Procedure for Billing of Chapter 10, Garbage, Refuse and Weeds, the Code of Ordinances of the City of Greenwood.
STEVEN BROWN

“Mr. Mayor and Council, at your November meeting you took first reading on a budget. One element of that budget was to increase the commercial sanitation collection fees from $.75 per cubic yard to $.85. Those fees are controlled by a separate ordinance from the budget, so if we are to follow through with the second reading at the regular December meeting, we would need to take first reading on this tonight. If the second reading passes in the December meeting, then it will become effective January 1st, if that is Council’s wishes.”

MAYOR NICHOLSON

“Okay. I think you said these fees have not been increased since the 1970's. Do I have a motion?”

Motion was made by Johnny Williams, seconded by Linda Edwards.

“Any further discussion? All in favor raise your right hand. So moved.”

Motion passes unanimously.

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“There will end the special meeting part of our meeting. Now we will move into our work session.

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Floyd Nicholson, Mayor

Attest:
City Clerk and Treasurer