

**City of Fountain Inn
Budget Workshop Minutes
May 9, 2017 – 6:30pm – Council Chambers**

MAYOR AND COUNCIL PRESENT:

Mayor, Sam Lee
John Mahony
Andrew Stoddard

Matthew King
Phil Clemmer
Rose Ann Woods

STAFF PRESENT:

Naomi B. Reed (Administration)
Sandra Woods (Administration)
Mike Pitman (Administration)
Tammy Finley (Judicial)

Russell Haltiwanger (Recreation)
Keith Morton (Police)
Roger Case (Public Works)
Ronnie Myers (Fire)

VISITORS: 28

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Sam Lee called the meeting to order.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilwoman Rose Ann Woods led the group in prayer.

Discussion of proposed 2017-2018 City of Fountain Inn Budget

Naomi B. Reed begins the discussion by explaining that department heads met with the senior staff to discuss their needs and wants for the upcoming FY. She stated that the budget is \$1,045,250 more than last year's budget. Mike Pitman explains the increases and decreases in the budget. He stated that we are required to balance the budget. Phil Clemmer asks Chief Morton if budgeting for one police car is enough. Chief Morton replies that he asked for much more than that, but that is what they need most. Mike points out that the budget will be voted on first reading on Thursday.

Motion to adjourn John Mahony, second by Andrew Stoddard. Motion carries 7/0.

Respectfully submitted,
Sandra Woods
City Clerk