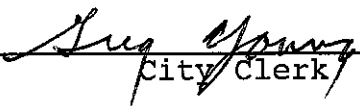
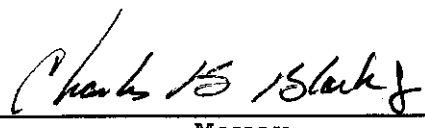


The Council came out of executive session, with no action taken, and began a budget workshop.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:20 P.M.

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Special Meeting
 Mount Holly City Council
 June 21, 1990

The special meeting of the Mount Holly City Council was called to order by Mayor Charles B. Black, Jr. at 7:30 P.M. Councilwomen Faye Little and Lib Nichols, Mayor Pro-Tem Bob Jessen, Councilmen R. L. Duke, Myles Biggerstaff, Archie Small, and Mayor Charles B. Black were all present, along with Greg Young City Manager, Fire Chief Ray Massey, and Police Chief Jerry Bishop.

The invocation was led by Archie Small.

The City Council went from regular session into a public hearing to discuss the proposed budget. Hazel Michaels, in the audience, asked a question about retail license fees going up. City Manager Young replied that we abide by the State statutes of schedule B licenses, and have adopted a new city code, which is a changeover to license fees according to whatever the state allows. After some discussion, the Council then went from the public hearing back into regular session.

Then Council then discussed the proposed budget amendments for fiscal year 1989-90. One of the questions raised was the amendment for the administrative cost for Catawba Heights employee's retirement. City Manager Young replied that the City took over the payments into their retirement fund and administrative fees involved in closing off that account. Dr. Duke asked about the legislative fees for Catawba Heights, and City Manager Young told the Board the total amount that the City paid was \$720.00. Also, the major portion of the amendments were underestimated expenses incurred by Hurricane Hugo, and all Hugo expenditures mentioned were submitted to FEMA for reimbursement. We have

already received \$112,000, and expect to receive \$193,000 within the next seven to ten working days. There is still a small amount left to submit, but we will have to wait for the final audit first.

Councilman Biggerstaff asked the City Manager if we have adequate emergency equipment, such as chain saws and generators. Mr. Young replied that we had purchased two generators during Hurricane Hugo, and that during the hurricane cleanup we only had to pay hours worked for the help that came in with chain saws, heavy equipment, etc.

A motion was made by Councilman Biggerstaff for the tax rate to remain the same at \$.46 per \$100.00 valuation, which was seconded by Councilman Duke, with all in favor.

After more discussion on the budget, a motion was made by Councilwoman Faye Little to adopt the proposed budget for fiscal year 1990-1991 as written. There was a second to the motion by Councilman Duke, with all in favor. Budget totals are as follows:

General Fund

Legislative	\$25,450
Administrative	356,600
Planning & Zoning	101,975
Police	796,179
Fire	289,715
Garage	65,750
St. & San.	1,494,118
Recreation	<u>86,460</u>
General Fund Total	3,216,247
Debt Service Fund	358,336

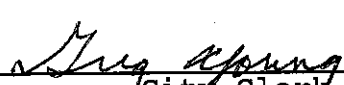
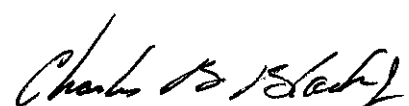
Water & Sewer Fund

Water	969,733
Sewer	<u>724,684</u>
Water & Sewer Total	1,694,417
Revenue Sharing Fund	50,000
Capital Project Fund	100,000
Capital Reserve Fund	850,000

Councilwoman Faye Little made a motion to adopt the proposed budget amendments for fiscal 1989-1990 as written, with a second by Mayor Pro-Tem Jessen, with all in favor.

Councilman Duke made a motion to approve the tax releases and insolvent list, with a second by Mayor Pro-Tem Jessen, and all in favor.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:18 P.M.

 _____ City Clerk	 _____ Mayor

Regular Meeting
 Mount Holly City Council
 July 9, 1990

Mayor Charles B. Black, Jr. called the regular meeting to order at 7:30 P.M. in the Council Room. Present were Councilwomen Faye Little and Lib Nichols, Mayor Pro-Tem Bob Jessen, Councilmen Biggerstaff, Archie Small, and R. L. Duke. Also present were City Manager Greg Young, City Attorney Kemp Michael, Director of Public Works Eddie Nichols, Zoning Administrator Gary Roberts, Police Chief Jerry Bishop, and Fire Chief Ray Massey.

The invocation was led by Reverend Preusz from Catawba Heights Wesleyan Church.

Mayor Black issued a proclamation honoring F. H. Abernathy, Jr. upon his retirement as the Chairman of the Planning and Zoning Board and the Board of Adjustment on July 1, 1990. He has served voluntarily for 25 years, and in recognition of his service was given a city pin and a framed copy of the proclamation.

The minutes of June 11 and 12, 1990 were approved, being adopted upon motion by Councilwoman Little, seconded by Mayor Pro-Tem Jessen, and carried with five ayes.

Mayor Black then opened the floor for complaints and petitions not already on the agenda. Ruth Bumgardner Huffstetler, 704 Beatty Drive, was recognized. She spoke for herself and her neighbors, stating that her father owned over 43 acres, and had sold some when the new highway came through. He developed the land and gave a 20 foot right-of-way. People live along this right-of-way. One of the neighbors, Mrs. Harris, says she will close off the road, but they do not want it closed, and they want the "Dead End Road" sign removed which the City put up. Mayor Black apologized for upsetting them, saying that they meant to put up a "No Throughway" sign, but were out of that and so put the other up temporarily until the right one came in.