



**MINUTES**  
**LAURENS COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**HILLCREST SQUARE – ADMINISTRATION BUILDING**  
**BUDGET MEETING #1- APRIL 23, 2019**

**ATTENDING COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBERS** – Chairman David Pitts and Vice Chairman Joe Wood; Council Members Diane Anderson, Jeff Carroll, Stewart Jones, Garrett McDaniel and Kemp Younts.

**ABSENT COUNTY COUNCIL MEMBERS** – None.

**ATTENDING ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF** – County Administrator Jon Caime, Betty Walsh, Clerk to Council; LaSalle County Finance Director, Lisa Kirk and County Attorney Sandy Cruickshanks.

**ABSENT ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF** - None

**ATTENDING DEPARTMENT HEADS** - LaSalle County Fire Service Director, Greg Lindley and LaSalle County Public Works Director, Dale Satterfield.

**ATTENDING PRESS** – LaSalle County WLBG Radio, Iva Cadmus; *The Clinton Chronicle*, Vic McDonald; *The LaSalle County Advertiser*, John Clayton.

**AGENDA ITEMS – APRIL 23, 2019** – 1.) Call to Order – Chairman Pitts; 2.) Consent Budgets: a.) Fund 110 General Fund - 512 – Administration; b.) Fund 110 General Fund - 513 – Airport; c.) Fund 110 General Fund - 514 – Assessor; d.) Fund 110 General Fund – 556 – Attorney; e.) Fund 110 General Fund - 515 – Auditor; f.) Fund 110 General Fund - 517 - Clemson Extension; g.) Fund 110 General Fund - 518 - Clerk of Court; h.) Fund 110 General Fund - 520 – Contingency; i.) Fund 110 General Fund - 522 - County Council; j.) Fund 110 General Fund - 527 – Finance; k.) Fund 110 General Fund - 531 - Health Department; l.) Fund 110 General Fund - 532 – Inspections; m.) Fund 110 General Fund - 533 – Library; n.) Fund 110 General Fund - 534 – Magistrate; o.) Fund 110 General Fund - 539 - Public Works; p.) Fund 110 General Fund - 540 - Registration and Elections; q.) Fund 110 General Fund - 541 - Roads and Bridges; r.) Fund 110 General Fund - 543 - Social Services; s.) Fund 110 General Fund - 546 – Purchasing / Vehicle Maintenance; t.) Fund 110 General Fund - 549 – Federal Grants; u.) Fund 110 General Fund - 551 - Insurance and Benefits; v.) Fund 110 General Fund - 578 - Information Technology; w.) Fund 123 Fire Operations & Management – Special Purpose Tax District; x.) Fund 134 Fire Capital – Special Purpose Tax District; 3.) Adjournment

**MEETING NOTIFICATION** – The requesting general public, department heads and Press were informed of the meeting in a timely manner. Postings of the Agenda were posted in County facilities on their bulletin boards and also posted on the County Web Site.

**CALL TO ORDER** – Chairman Pitts called the meeting to order at 7:57 P.M.

**APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA** – The April 9, 2019 budget agenda was approved by a MOTION from COUNCILMAN MCDANIEL and a SECOND from COUNCILMAN JONES; VOTE - 7-0.

**CONSENT BUDGETS** – Administrator Caime noted that all of the departments listed had consent budgets with no changes nor requests.

- a.) Fund 110 General Fund - 512 - Administration
- b.) Fund 110 General Fund - 513 - Airport
- c.) Fund 110 General Fund - 514 – Assessor
- d.) Fund 110 General Fund – 556 - Attorney
- e.) Fund 110 General Fund - 515 - Auditor
- f.) Fund 110 General Fund - 517 - Clemson Extension
- g.) Fund 110 General Fund - 518 - Clerk of Court

- h.) Fund 110 General Fund - 520 - Contingency
- i.) Fund 110 General Fund - 522 - County Council
- j.) Fund 110 General Fund - 527 - Finance
- k.) Fund 110 General Fund - 531 - Health Department
- l.) Fund 110 General Fund - 532 - Inspections
- m.) Fund 110 General Fund - 533 - Library
- n.) Fund 110 General Fund - 534 - Magistrate
- o.) Fund 110 General Fund - 539 - Public Works
- p.) Fund 110 General Fund - 540 - Registration and Elections
- q.) Fund 110 General Fund - 541 - Roads and Bridges
- r.) Fund 110 General Fund - 543 - Social Services
- s.) Fund 110 General Fund - 546 – Purchasing / Vehicle Maintenance
- t.) Fund 110 General Fund - 549 – Federal Grants
- u.) Fund 110 General Fund - 551 - Insurance and Benefits
- v.) Fund 110 General Fund - 578 - Information Technology
- w.) Fund 123 Fire Operations & Management – Special Purpose Tax District
- x.) Fund 134 Fire Capital – Special Purpose Tax District

A copy of the pages distributed is attached and is to be considered part of these minutes.

COUNCILMAN MCDANIEL made the MOTION to approve all of the consent budgets as listed, and with no changes. COUNCILMAN CARROLL SECONDING.

Councilwoman Anderson stated that there were several areas that she wished could be addressed. Such as decreasing the amount of part time positions and countywide retirement attrition.

COUNCIL VOTED 7-0.

**ADJOURNMENT** – COUNCILMAN MCDANIEL made the MOTION to adjourn at 8:05 P.M. with COUNCILMAN JONES SECONDING; VOTE 7-0.

Respectfully Submitted,



Betty C. Walsh  
Laurens County Clerk to Council