MINUTES OF TOWN COUNCIL MEETING, January 13, 1998.

The regular monthly meeting of the Greenville Town Council was called to order by President Janet Riggs. Roll call of members present: Ray Gibson, Gerald Burkhart and Mike Receveur, member Ted Miller excused himself due to illness.

Also attending was the Clerk, Gary Getrost, attorneys Jef Fifer and Virgil Bolly and other interested persons as noted on the attached list.

Council President Riggs stated it necessary to elect a President for the 1998 year. Mike Receveur motioned that Ted Miller be elected for the year, seconded by Ray Gibson. On call of the roll Gibson and Receveur] voted for, Burkhart abstained. Riggs voted for to approve by majority vote needed to elect Miller, subject to his acceptance.

Riggs assumed the acting President's role for this meeting.

The December 1997 minutes were approved as read by a vote of 3-0.

Riggs explained to those present the need for a utility rate increase and that pending current litigation the issue will be taken up at the January 28 utility meeting.

Una Hartfield expressed the need for a "drive-by" postal box at the new post office for handicapped persons and would like the Town to look into the matter. Riggs stated the Town is pursuing some type of "thru street/sidewalk" for this purpose. An enterne from the back is being pursued.

Butch Richardson requested the Town sign a Fire Service Contract with the Fire Board. Mike Receveur motioned the Town do this but the motion died for a lack of a second.

Riggs stated the Council is not a party to any disagreements between the Fire Board and the Vol. Fire Department and disputes now going on are costing the Town legal fees which the Council feels is unnecessary.

Bil Fender presented the Council with a petition opposing the utility rate increase. The petition contained approximately 250 signatures, which were not chicked.

Receveur motioned the Council approve the Marshal's request to proceed with the necessary papers to secure an additional grant for the Marshal's department and to proceed with interviewing for a deputy. Motion carried by a vote of 3-0.

Council approved claims for the utility. Town claims were approved with the exception of Claim #5, I.A.C.T. \$517.44 which was denied.

No further business coming before the Council the meeting was adjourned.

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