
Anderson County Charter Commission

Agenda
Thursday August 25, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m.
Room 312

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Prayer**
4. **Pledge of Allegiance**
5. **Approval of the August 18, 2022 Minutes**
6. **Appearance of Citizens**
7. **Any Questions**
8. **Old Business**
9. **New Business**
10. **Adjourn**

Respectfully Submitted,
V. L. Stonecipher, Chairman

**Anderson County Charter Commission
Meeting Minutes
August 18, 2022
Room 312**

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE ANDERSON COUNTY CHARTER COMMISSION MET IN REGULAR SESSION ON AUGUST 18, 2022 AT 6:00 PM, WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS PRESENT: VL STONECIPHER, TIM ISBEL, BOB SMALLRIDGE, JERRY WHITE AND SABRA BEAUCHAMP

ABSENT: STEVE MEAD, CHUCK FRITTS

Chairman Stonecipher called the meeting to order.

Commissioner Isbel said the prayer.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Smallridge.

Commissioner White made a motion to approve the August 16, 2022 minutes. Commissioner Smallridge seconded the motion. Motion passed by voice vote.

No citizens addressed the Committee

Outside Counsel – Review of proposed Charter

Page 12, Section 2.09 4 (d) Ordinances, Emergency Ordinances and Resolutions

- Changed to minutes of the meeting

Page 14 Subsection C Emergency Ordinances

- Must have 2/3 membership of the Legislative Body present and a vote of 2/3 to pass and to put on the agenda.

Page 21, Section 4.04 County Clerk

Commissioner Isbel made a motion to eliminate the wheel tax. Seconded by Commissioner Smallridge. Voting Aye: Smallridge, Vandagriff, Isbel, White, Beauchamp and Stonecipher. Voting No: None. Absent: Fritts and Mead. Motion passed.

Page 22, Section 4.07 Circuit Court Clerk

- Add Circuit Court Clerk shall also have duties of General Sessions Court I & II and Juvenile Court.

Page 23, Section 4.09 District Attorney General

- Removed the sentence that has criminal cases removed from state court to any inferior federal court.

Page 24, Section 4.12 Elections and Filling Vacancies

- Added the Circuit Court Clerk.

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Page 25, Section 5.05 Juvenile Court

- Changed to Chapter 74 of the Private Acts of 1961.

Page 26, Section 6.01 A Board of Education

- Noted Private Acts of 2002

Section 6.01 B

- Shortened the Board from 9 to 8 members.

Page 30, Section 7.05 D Amendments to This Charter

- Charter Committee will act as the Charter Review Committee until 2032.

Page 31, Subsection D

- Second paragraph – Add “or vacancy filled by the legislative body”.

Subsection E

- Add County “General “ Election

Page 32, Section 7.07 Qualification and Oath of Elected Officers

- Corrected typo in the oath.

Subsection D

- Changed – to pay “or” benefits.

Page 34, Section 7.11 Recall of Elected Officials

Subsection C

- Change to 25%

Subsection D

- Change to 60%

Appendix D

Any item in the Private Acts applicable to Anderson County will be referred to the Legislative Body for consideration of repeal.

Page 40, Section 8.08 Referendum

- Shortened to “shall Anderson County Government be changed to a Charter Form of Government” on ballot

Appendix B

Put a brief explanation of CASA, Added Family Justice Center, UT Extension Service, Community Mediation and Soil Conservation with a brief description.

Commissioner Smallridge made a motion to approve all changes to the Charter. Seconded by Commissioner Isbel. Voting Aye: Smallridge, Vandagriff, Isbel, White, Beauchamp and Stonecipher. Voting No: None. Absent: Fritts and Mead. Motion passed.

Other Business - None

Meeting Adjourned

The next meeting will be Thursday August 25, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. Room 312.