

**CITY OF SIMPSONVILLE
REGULAR CITY MEETING MINUTES
CITY COMMISSION ROOM
JULY 20, 2011 8:30 AM**

Present: Mayor Eden, Commissioners Cummins and Vowels. City Attorney Hays was in attendance as legal council, City Administrator Eaton, Public Works Director Romine, and City Clerk Batliner. Guest: Spencer Jenkins/Sentinel News.

Absent: Commissioners McDowell, Wise and Police Chief Minnis.

Mayor Eden called the meeting to order at 8:30 am.

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Mayor Eden presented the minutes from June 5, 2011 regular city meeting for approval and everyone was furnished a copy. **Commissioner Vowels made the motion to accept the minutes as presented. Commissioner Cummins seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Eden made the recommendation to hire Mr. Jimmy Ellis as the maintenance person for the City of Simpsonville. **Commissioner Cummins made the motion to accept the recommendation to hire Mr. Jimmy Ellis. Commissioner Vowels seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Mayor Eden recognized the Commissioner's Report:

Commissioner McDowell-Absent.

Commissioner Cummins had nothing at this time.

Commissioner Vowels presented the financial report for approval and everyone was furnished a copy. **Commissioner Cummins made the motion to accept the financial report as presented. Commissioner Vowels seconded.** Motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Wise –Absent.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Attorney's Report: City Attorney Hays advised he has filed two liens on foreclosures in Simpsonville.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Administrator Report: City Administrator Eaton had nothing at this time.

Mayor Eden recognized the Police Department's Report: Absent.

Mayor Eden recognized the City Clerk's Report: City Clerk Batliner advised surplus property bids will closed at 1:30 pm today. Bid openings will begin at 2:00 pm.

Commissioner Cummins made the motion to adjourn. Commissioner Vowels seconded. Motion carried unanimously. The meeting concluded approximately 8:39 am.

Debbie Batliner/City Clerk

Steve Eden/Mayor