

\*\*\*\*\*FEBRUARY 24, 2005\*\*\*\*\*

The Town Council of the Town of Signal Mountain held a special called work session meeting on Thursday, February 24, 2005, at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Hall. Those present were:

Mayor William O. Leonard, III  
Vice Mayor Stephen Ruffin  
Councilmember Lizetta Paturalski  
Councilmember Robert V. Linehart, Jr.  
Councilmember Robert E. White, II

Also present:

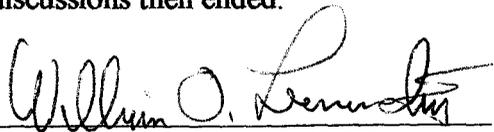
Town Manager Hershel Dick  
Town Recorder Diana Campbell  
Town Attorney Phil Noblett  
Police Captain Boyd Veal

The Mayor called the meeting to order.

The Town Manager made a request of the Council to authorize an additional \$16,035 over the current fiscal year's spending level to eliminate dispatching by the Fire Department and enter into a contract with Hamilton County for the dispatching of police and fire emergency calls in the Town. The Town Manager turned the meeting over to Captain Veal to brief the Council on the issues involved in the dispatching of police and fire calls for the Town of Signal Mountain

The Council discussed the various options. After a lengthy discussion, the Council decided to have the Police and Fire Captains request from the Sheriff's department officials a short-term contract that would end with the current fiscal year. No additional money would be appropriated for the current fiscal year.

There being no other items before the Council, the discussions then ended.

  
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William O. Leonard III, Mayor

  
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Diana Campbell, Recorder