

NOVEMBER 13, 1995 5:45 P.M.

SPECIAL CALLED COUNCIL MEETING
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
226 SOUTH WALL STREET

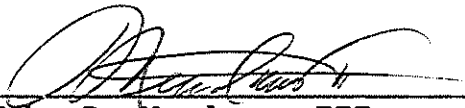
PRESENT: JOHN D. MEADOWS, III, MAYOR
THOMAS H. BOND, MAYOR PRO-TEM
JOHN D. SHELTON, COUNCILMAN
PAUL MCENTIRE, COUNCILMAN
JIMMY PALMER, COUNCILMAN

ALSO: KELLY CORNWELL, DIRECTOR UTILITIES/PUBLIC
WORKS
LARRY VICKERY, ELECTRIC SUPERINTENDENT
BOB AGEE, TELECOMMUNICATIONS
CATHY HARRISON, CITY ADMINISTRATOR


1. Mayor Meadows called the meeting to order, and turned over the discussion to Bob Agee, the City's Telecommunications Director. Mr. Agee reviewed a film from Newnan, Georgia in which they related their activities in developing a telecommunications system. At the present time, they have approximately 25 miles of line installed with the actual line being installed over a six months period. The line being 36 inch fiber. Mr. Agee reviewed briefly the program he had disclosed to the Mayor and Council approximately two months earlier, however, he stated that he was recommending an OC3 system listed as Option Two (B) of his report. He stated during the first fiscal year he recommended buying fiber to install the loop, and install the nodes in the second budget year. He reviewed the operating cost and also the cost for construction of a building separate from the Electric Department. At the end of the meeting, Mr. Agee gave each Council member and official a handout reviewing all of his areas of discussion. Mayor Meadows asked that each member review thoroughly, and be prepared to make a decision regarding the possibility of a telecommunications system for the City on November 20, 1995.

Approved:

Submitted:



John D. Meadows, III
Mayor



Cathy Harrison
City Administrator