

GCCC Meeting Minutes

January 31, 2015

The Greene County Charter Commission held a half workday session at the Greene County Courthouse Annex on January 31 beginning at 9:00 AM and ending at 1:15 PM. Commissioner Waddle was absent from the meeting. Chairman Cobble opened the meeting in prayer. Secretary Houser read the minutes from the January 15 meeting.

Commissioner Claiborne made a motion to accept the minutes.

Commissioner Davenport seconded the motion.

The GCCC voted unanimously to accept the minutes.

Chairman *Pro Tem* Wood made a motion to include a clause in the Charter that insure the County a trial by jury in the case of a lawsuit.

Commissioner Claiborne seconded the motion.

The GCCC voted unanimously to approve this motion.

Chairman *Pro Tem* Wood discussed the idea of revising Section 3.10 to prohibit the use of electronic messaging between members involved in County meetings.

Chairman Cobble made a motion to add the requirement of reasonable audibility in County meetings.

Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion.

Chairman Cobble amended his motion to include a clause to prohibit the use of electronic messaging between members involved in County meetings.

The GCCC voted unanimously to include these concepts.

Chairman Cobble made a motion to allow any citizen the right to challenge the County in Court of Law.

Chairman *Pro Tem* Wood seconded the motion.

The GCCC voted unanimously to approve this proposal.

Commissioner Johnson started leading the discussion on Article 10.

The GCCC worked through Sections 10.11(f), 10.12, 10.13, 10.14, 10.15, 10.16, 10.17, 10.18, 10.19, 10.20, 10.21, 10.22, 10.23, and 10.24.

Commissioner had another appointment and left after discussion on Section 10.24.

Secretary Houser led discussion on 10.25, 10.26, and 10.27.

Chairman *Pro Tem* Wood made a motion to adjourn.

Commissioner Davenport seconded the motion.

The GCCC voted unanimously to adjourn.