

**MINUTES OF  
BUDGET WORKSHOP  
LORIS CITY HALL  
4101 WALNUT STREET  
LORIS, SC 29569  
JULY 10, 2017 - 7:30 P.M.**

<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>MAYOR</b>	<b>HENRY L. NICHOLS</b>
<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>COUNCIL</b>	<b>MICHAEL DOZIER JOAN S. GAUSE LEWIS C. HARDEE, JR. TODD M. HARRELSON MICHAEL E. SUGGS JAN P. VESCOVI</b>

**NEWS MEDIA present were Mrs. Joyce Graham, writer for Tabor-Loris Tribune, and Mr. Viraj Naik with The Loris Scene.**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

**The meeting was called to order by Mayor Nichols.**

**INVOCATION:**

**Councilwoman Vescovi asked that the Prince family be remembered at this time.  
The invocation was given by Councilman Harrelson.**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**ROLL CALL:**

**The roll was called by Clerk Kenya Wright.**

**BUSINESS:**

**A. Review/Approve proposed 2017/2018 General Fund and Water and Sewer Fund Budget**

After a thorough review by Mayor and Council of the proposed budget by Administrator Kempski, Council requested that the following adjustments be made and resubmitted for approval.

- A. 3% millage increase
- B. 2% Cost of Living per employee
- C. Research on lower vehicle purchase rates

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

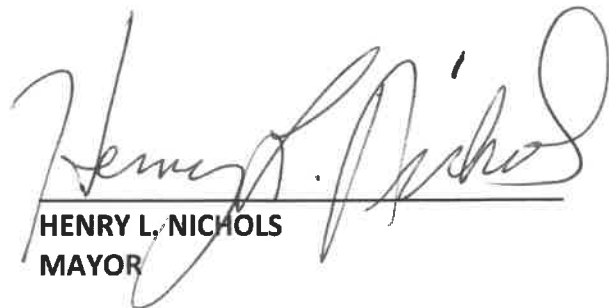
No executive session was needed.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

A motion was made by Councilman Hardee, seconded by Councilwoman Gause to adjourn. Mayor Nichols and all Members voted favorably. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:34 P.M.


**ATTEST:**


  
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KENYA WRIGHT  
CLERK

  
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HENRY L. NICHOLS  
MAYOR

**LORIS COUNCIL MEMBERS**

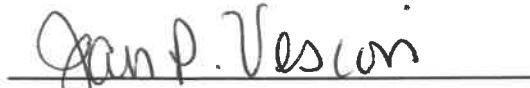
  
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