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19	R.	Carlisle Roddey Building
20		76 J.A. Cochran By-Pass
21		Chester, SC 29706
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24		Minutes
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26	In attendance:	County Supervisor Roddey
27 28		Vice Chairman Council, Lucas Council Member Oliphant
29		Council Member Guy
30		Council Member Jordan
31		Council Member Branham
32 33		Council Member Holcombe County Attorney Winters
34		HR Director Goettsch
35		Committee Members:
36 37	Terri Zion, Ginny Sloai Heath, Doug McMurrar	n, Karen Lee, Wanda Stroud, Britt Lineberger, Kathleen
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41	I. Call to Order	
42	II. Review and Rec	ommendations of new Employee
43	Handbook by Co	unty Council
44	Mrs. Goettsch went through the summary and informed everyone of the	
45	proposed changes by the Committee and County Attorney.	

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County Supervisor Roddey adjourned the meeting at approximately 5:00 p.m.