

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

April 13, 1981

Present: Mayor Summey, Councilmen: Olin Gambrell, Frank Chaka, Troy Porter, Carl Rampey, James G. Evatt, Jr., Calvin Evatt, Administer^{Chief} Joe Ellers.

Mr. Ellers presented the Chief's report in the Absense of Mr. Cantrell. Motion by Calvin Evatt and 2nd by Carl Rampey to accept report as presented.

A group of concerned citizens, headed by George Reid met and Mr. Ken Whitner took the floor to answer questions concerning the Rural Fire Fees, and after discussion Mr. Whitner invited this group to meet in the next room with the Board of Governors of the Rural Fire District.

Mayor Summey discussed his petition for a change in the form of government. He noted that the election has been set for May 19, 1981.

Report from the committees:

St. & Sanitation--Mr. James Evatt, no report.

Police-Mr. Carl Rampey--made known that he had had reports of some of the police vehicles still being abused.

Planning & Development-Mr. Troy Porter-no report.

Water & Sewer-Mr. Frank Chaka-no report.

Finance-Mr. Olin Gambrell--presented the financial statement and made the motion that it be accepted, 2nd by James Evatt.

Mr. Ellers gave a report on his activities for the month.

NO NEW BUSINESS:

Old Business---Mr. Gambrell made the motion to adopt the policy on Public Works only overtime, provided in case they have to be called back in for emergency work. Mr. Chaka seconded and the vote was unanimous. Mayor Summey noted that mileage had been ~~provided~~ provided for in the January 19 adoption of minutes.

Mr. Rampey made the motion to pay 1 1/2 pay only for the time on the job, not from the time leaving home..

A new motion was made by Mr. Chaka and 2nd by Mr. Calvin Evatt to accept the overtime policy with the amendment. Vote unanimous.

Mr. Ellers presented budget cuts and Mr. Porter made the motion to transfer \$600.00 from Mayors Salary to Travel. Calvin Evatt made the motion to accept, 2nd by Mr. Rampey, vote unanimous.

Mr. Porter made a motion to put a chain on the upper gate at the park so people could walk in but cars could not drive in.

Mayor gave his report and noted that Duke Power has installed 4 new lights in town.

MR. Rampey invited each member of council to Cannon Memorial Church, noting that Gov. Riley would be guest speaker for GOD AND COUNTRY DAY. Mayor Summey indicated that Sen. Strom Thurmond had expressed his desire to be present at the dedication of the new housing project. No further business, council adjourned and went in to executive session. Respectfully, Grace Towe

Clerk. *Grace Towe*

John P. Summey
John P. Summey, Mayor