

Regular Council Meeting
September 11, 1989

Present: Mayor Alton Cumbie, Councilmen Harry Holladay, "Doc" Evatt; Frank Chaka; Clarence Phillips; Stan Thompson; Troy Porter; Mr. & Ms. Don Whelan; Carl Edgerton; Gene Hinson; Glenn Abbott; Debbie Cook; Jean Riggins; Bobby Hopkins.

Mayor Cumbie called the meeting to order.
Invocation by Harry Holladay.

Minutes of the August 14, 1989 meeting were read. Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Stan Thompson to approve as read. Vote unanimous.

OLD BUSINESS:

Stan Thompson: Informed council that Matthew Hughes had completed his training at the Police Academy with very good grades. Mr. Hughes to be presented a resolution of commendation at the next council meeting.

Progress being made on getting property owners to comply with the abandoned vehicle ordinance. Noted that the Fire Referendum was set for September 12, 1989 from 7 a. m. till 7 p. m. in the court room.

Frank Chaka: Financial report was presented with items within budget and should end the year in the black.

Troy Porter: No report

Clarence Phillips: No report

Harry Holladay: Need to plan for the future needs of the town.

"Doc" Evatt: Noted that the county was preparing streets for resurfacing. Mr. Porter advised that this was complete. Need to check with Mr. Ed Simpson as to why Pepper Street was not included in the work as proposed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Stan Thompson- None

Frank Chaka - None

Troy Porter - Need to update policies on Recreation Program as current fees are not sufficient to cover program. Concensus of council to discuss this at next work session.

Clarence Phillips- Discussion of 18 Mile Creek Discharging Group. Mayor Cumbie read some specifics and noted that new body was to be formed ^{and that} the Municipal Association to guide in this matter.

Harry Holladay- Noted that the S. C. Recycling meeting was to be held in Columbia, September 28, 1989 and that he would not be able to attend. Mr. Herb Thompson said he would attend if at all possible.

"Doc" Evatt - No new business.

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT:

- 1) Abandoned vehicles--Advised that notices had been sent out and had some good cooperation and some were not cooperating at all. Warrants to be issued soon for those not complying. 2) Traffic light request for Main and Watkins Street. Stated that after a study the Highway Engineer did not feel that the location warranted a light at this time. 3) Part-time help in lieu of full time for the present is working well.

MAYOR'S REPORT:

Second reading on ordinance setting tax millage at 88 mills. Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Clarence Phillips to accept. Vote unanimous.

Second reading on ordinance for General Fund and Utility Fund budget for the 1989-90 fiscal year. Motion by Frank Chaka, second by "Doc" Evatt to accept. Vote unanimous.

Second reading on Recreation budget for the 1989-90 fiscal year. Motion by Frank Chaka, second by "Doc" Evatt to approve. Vote unanimous.

First reading on amendment to Section 500.2 of the zoning ordinance. Motion by Mayor Cumbie, second by Frank Chaka to adopt. Mayor opened the floor for discussion.

After discussion the council was polled:

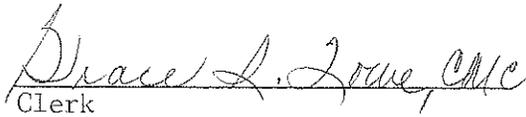
Stan Thompson--No Frank Chaka- Yes "Doc" Evatt - No

Harry Holladay - Yes Clarence Phillips - No Mayor Cumbie - Yes.

The motion carried with a vote of 4 for and 3 against.

First reading on ordinance to annex the property of Roy and Eunice Gambrell on Martin Street. Motion by Harry Holladay, second by Troy Porter to accept. Vote was unanimous.

No further business, Mayor Cumbie adjourned the meeting.


Clerk