

Regular Council Meeting, December 11, 1984

Present: Mayor Alton Cumbie, Councilmen: Clarence Phillips, Harry Holladay, "Doc" Evatt, Frank Chaka; Troy Porter; Henry Law. Admin. Olin Gambrell, Clerk Grace Towe; Lisa Garrett, Messenger; Terry Creager, Greenville News; Thad Garrick.

Mayor Cumbie called the meeting to order. Invocation was given by "Doc" Evatt. Minutes of the November 12, 1984 and the Emergency Meeting of November 29, 1984 were read. Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Henry Law to approve with the correction in November 29, 1984 to read "to abide by all rules regarding Mobile Home Parks".

Vote was unanimous.

Council reports: OLD BUSINESS

Henry Law--Noted 6" water line had been approved--Muffin Munster--Thad Garrick discusses different models. Motion by Henry Law, second by Frank Chaka to by the 30,000-12 model for a cost of \$10,578.00, this being for the north plant. Vote unanimous.

Frank Chaka: Police report--Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Henry Law to purchase two (2) new WALKIE-TALKIES at a cost of \$584.00 each, the total of \$1,168.00 to be transferred in the budget from Police Fines to Capital Account to cover this purchase. Vote unanimous.

SPEED ZONE SIGNS at south end of town. Would research and bring back to council.

Troy Porter: Streets and tie ins to be done

Clarence Phillips: No old business

Harry Holladay: Noted that the football banquet was set for 12-15-84 at 6:P. M. at Central Elementary School.

"Doc" Evatt: Financial report.

NEW BUSINESS:

Henry Law--None

Frank Chaka--Purchase of Police car---Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Henry Law to purchase new car and equipment at a cost of \$12,001.08. Question as to need of moving radar and new radio. Mr. Chaka withdrew his motion and made a new motion to purchase the Plymouth Fury at a cost of \$8,664.93 and table items 3,4, and 5 for work session. This motion seconded by Henry Law and the vote was unanimous.

Troy Porter: Sidewalks to be replaced, approximately 80 yards of concrete. Get a firm price (verbal price of approx. 3,500.00) This to be paid from Captial Account. Motion by Henry Law, second by Clarence Phillips to proceed. Vote unanimous.

Clarence Phillips ~~Planning Commission to meet 12.18-84 at 6:30 P. M. for consideration of John Wallace, Lailon Cannon and Alease Grant properties.~~

Harry Holladay: To meet with Mr. Spearman and Myers concerning purchase or lease of gym.

"Doc" Evatt: None

Mayor's Report: Discussed Merlin phone system. Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Harry Holladay to install (secure service in meeting room because of accessibility) Vote unanimous.

Public Hearing discussed--Noted we had one year to work on securing CDBG grant.

Library--In no position to make statement other than willingness to work with library syst
Cemetery Property--Motion by Henry Law, second by Frank Chaka to have legal course of settlement. Vote unanimous.

School Board Decision--To seek Attorney General's oppinion on deeding to town possibility
Administrator's Report:

Fuel report--weekly fuel log to be used to detect descrepancies immediately. Change locks on pumps. Phone calls for long distance to be logged.

Noted Downtown development meeting at COG office 12/13/84.

Strom Thurmond Institute Resolution--Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Henry Law to adopt resolution allowing research of FMHA records to be used in research.

Susie Earle - delinquent water bill--Motion by Troy Porter, second by Henry Law to pay current bill and catch up back bill in six months or disconnect as normal procedure.

Vote 1 for, 4 against and 1 abstained (Clarence Phillips)

Discussion and agreement to ask Ministerial Association to look into the possibility of help with bill.

Motion by Henry Law, second by Frank Chaka for Mayor to check situation out and report back. Vote unanimous.

Motion by Frank Chaka, second by Harry Holladay to go into executive session.

Executive Session:

Ralph Webb evaluated--No pay raise because of freeze.

Olin Gambrell evaluated--No pay raise because of freeze, but noted he had ultimate responsibility for town activities.

Meeting adjourned.

Mayor Cumbie recalled regular session and announced to press the action of executive session.


Clerk