

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL, GALENA, KANSAS, FEBRUARY 2, 1971

The Governing Body of the city of Galena, Kansas, met in regular session February 2, 1971, in the council-room, in the city building at 7 p.m.

Present: Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett.

Absent: Councilmen Martin and Kitch.

Presiding: Mayor Frank P. Dillon.

Also present: City Attorney Yount, City Marshal Karr, Bldg. Inspector Don Williams, and Clerk Chesnutt.

Councilman Tackett moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with and placed on file as presented. Motion carried by a show of hands.

A trailer permit application submitted by William Allen Jay was read in full, whereupon, Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Bogle, that a trailer permit be issued to Mr. Jay to locate a 60'x12' Concord, Serial No. 0386, at 5th and Keller Street on a lot 90'x125'. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that Account No. 729, George Terrill's water bill be adjusted to an average bill of the preceding six months. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Pittman presented the City Marshal's Report for the month of January, 1971, wherein a total of \$752.00 in fines and costs was collected, 11 autos inspected, and 13 dogs impounded and disposed of, total collection for vehicle inspection was \$5.50. Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilmen Tackett, that the Marshal's Report be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried by a show of hands.

Councilman Bogle moved, seconded by Councilman Noe, that The Empire District Electric Company be contacted and request a street light be installed at the corner of Forest and Barnes Streets. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Bogle moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that the Galena Cemetery Association be authorized to install a sign, plants, and shrubbery at the Oak Hill Cemetery. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Bogle moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that the city attorney draw up an ordinance setting aside eight (8) grave rights, namely, Graves A, B, E, F, G & H in Lot 6, Block 13 and Graves E and F in Lot 6, Block 19 to be used for destitute cases for burial in Oak Hill Cemetery. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Bogle moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that the cemetery sexton's salary be raised to \$400 a month from \$350, all monies received by city employees for installing head stones, repairing and installing walls or tearing down of walls be paid to the city; that the foregoing be by ordinance prepared by the city attorney. On roll call the motion carried as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman Watkins moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the Mayor enter into contract on behalf of the City of Galena, Kansas, with Barrett & Cusack for the audit of the books and records for the calendar year 1970. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Kaehler introduced Ordinance No. 913 entitled:

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO SEWERS PROHIBITING CONNECTION THERETO BY ANY PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION OUTSIDE THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS AND PROVIDING PENALTY THEREFOR.

Councilman Kaehler moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the foregoing entitled ordinance be placed on roll call vote for adoption. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Sturgis, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - Councilmen Pittman, Brown and Noe. Chair declared passage of the motion.

Councilman Watkins moved, seconded by Councilman Noe, that Ordinance No. 642 as amended be placed on roll call vote for adoption. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Mayor Dillon advised the Governing Body that he had attended a Park and Resources Meeting in Independence, Kansas, January 26, 1971, and all applications filed in the year of 1971 would not be reviewed by the Park Board until January, 1972.

On motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned on a standing vote.

Betty B. Chestnut
City Clerk