

MINUTES OF REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING OF MARCH 21, 1972.

COUNCIL MET IN REGULAR SESSION, MAYOR MURRAY PRESIDING.

COUNCILMEN PRESENT:

ANDERSON	BANKSON	BROWN	CANTRELL	KAEHLER
HANSBRAUGH	COBLE	WASHOM	WILLIAMS	

COUNCILMEN ABSENT:

BAILEY

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING OF MARCH 7, 1972 WERE PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN ANDERSON AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT THE MINUTES BE APPROVED AND PLACED ON FILE. MOTION CARRIED.

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A DISCUSSION WAS HELD PERTAINING TO MIDGE FLIES IN THE LAGOON AND HOW THEY HAD BEEN A NUISANCE AT THE MILE-A-WAY CLUB. COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH EXPLAINED THAT THE FIRE DEPARTMENT HAD BEEN OUT TO THE CLUB AND WASHED DOWN THE BUILDING TO RID IT OF THE FLIES. MAYOR MURRAY EXPLAINED THAT HE HAD SOME LITERATURE PERTAINING TO MIDGE FLIES AND THAT THERE WAS A CHEMICAL SUBSTANCE THAT COULD BE USED TO GET RID OF THE MIDGE FLIES, AND THAT HE WOULD GIVE THIS LITERATURE TO THE SEWER COMMITTEE TO SEE IF THEY COULD ELIMINATE THIS PROBLEM.

A DISCUSSION WAS HELD PERTAINING TO A PRESSURE WASHER TO BE USED BY THE STREET DEPARTMENT TO WASH ROAD OIL, FILM, ETC. FROM CITY VEHICLES. IT WAS LEARNED FROM COUNCILMAN ANDERSON AND HANSBRAUGH THAT THE FIRE DEPARTMENT IS USING THE SAME TYPE OF WASHER AND THAT THE STREET DEPARTMENT COULD FEEL FREE TO USE IT WHENEVER THEY NEEDED. BY BOTH DEPARTMENTS USING THE SAME WASHER IT WOULD MEAN A SAVINGS OF \$350.00 OR MORE TO THE CITY.

MOTION BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN COBLE THAT AN 8 HORSEPOWER RIDING LAWN MOWER WITH A 30 INCH FLOATING CUTTER BE PURCHASED FROM SPECK SALES OF GALENA AT A COST OF \$395.00. THIS COST TO BE CHARGED TO THE PARK IMPROVEMENT FUND. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS THAT 3 PINOAK TREES BE PURCHASED FROM THE NEOSHO NURSERY AT A COST OF \$116.00 TO BE CHARGED TO THE SPECIAL PARK IMPROVEMENT FUND AND THAT THE TREES ARE TO BE PLANTED AT SCHERMERHORN PARK. MOTION CARRIED.

A DISCUSSION WAS HELD PERTAINING TO THE REVISING OF HOSPITAL CARE INSURANCE WITH THE PRESENT COMPANY OF METROPOLITAN INSURANCE AT AN INCREASE COST OF \$57.18 PER MONTH. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM THAT THE REVISED PLAN BE ACCEPTED BY THE CITY. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN ANDERSON THAT A 3 RURAL TOWNSHIP CONTRACT BE INTERRED INTO BY THE CITY OF GALENA,,CONSISTING OF LOWELL, SHAWNEE, & GARDEN TOWNSHIP AT A REVENUE TO THE CITY OF \$4,450.00. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS THAT A DISCUSSION ON THE PURCHASE OF AN ADDRESSOGRAPH MACHINE BE TABLED UNTIL A LATER MEETING. MOTION CARRIED.

A DISCUSSION WAS HELD PERTAINING TO SEWER MAINTENANCE FEE FOR LAUNDROMATS, ETC. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER THAT THIS BE TABLED FOR A LATER MEETING UNTIL THE SEWER COMMITTEE COULD GIVE THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS. MOTION CARRIED.

THE MONTHLY WATER REPORT WAS GIVEN BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN COBLE AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS THAT THE REPORT BE ACCEPTED AND PLACED ON FILE. MOTION CARRIED.

A DISCUSSION WAS HELD PERTAINING TO GRAVE OPENINGS IN THE CITY CEMETERY AND AS TO WHO SHOULD BE ABLE TO OPEN GRAVES. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN COBLE AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER THAT THIS MATTER BE TABLED FOR LATER GIVING THE CEMETERY COMMITTEE AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES TIME TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT AT THE NEXT MEETING. MOTION CARRIED.

RESOLUTION 72-5 PRESENTED BY THE HOUSING AUTHORITY HAS BEEN REVISED DEDICATING THE STREETS TO THE CITY OF GALENA. THIS IS A 60 FEET WIDE AND 300 FEET LONG STREET WHICH IS THE EXTENSION OF ELM STREET AND IS TO BE NUMBER 1301 to 1341 AND TO BE CARRIED AS ELM STREET. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS THAT THE CITY ACCEPTED THIS RESOLUTION AS PRESENTED FROM THE HOUSING AUTHORITY. MOTION CARRIED.

BILL KOVACIC, REPRESENTING THE LAND REDEVELOPMENT, WAS PRESENT AT THE MEETING WITH SUGGESTION PERTAINING TO THE INDUSTRIAL SITE OF GALENA. HE AND MARVIN KAEHLER (COUNCILMAN) HAD WORKED OUT A PROGRAM WHICH WAS PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN BANKSON AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER THAT MARVIN GOFF BE IN CHARGE OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE DEVELOPMENT AREA. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN BANKSON THAT THE MAYOR AND COUNCILMAN KAEHLER PRESENT THESE PLANS AT THE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD OF ADVISORYS AT THE MEETING TO BE HELD MARCH 29, 1972 IN COLUMBUS. MOTION CARRIED.

ORDINANCE #670 ALLOWING CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY OF GALENA WAS PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL. REG. \$990.72, PAYROLL \$5105.97, SEWER \$27,696.78 FOR A TOTAL OF \$33,793.47. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT ORDINANCE #670 BE APPROVED FOR PAYMENT. MOTION CARRIED.

A PERMIT REQUESTING A GAS STATION AT 7TH AND GALENA AVENUE WAS READ TO THE COUNCIL. THE REQUEST WAS FROM HAROLD (POSS) HERRELSON. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT THIS BE REFERRED TO THE PLANNING AND ZONING FOR THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT THE CITY DIG A WATER LINE FOR HOWARD PRICE ON A TIME AVAILABE BASIS. UPON ROLL CALL VOTE THE FOLLOWING VOTED YEA: COUNCILMAN ANDERSON, BROWN, CANTRELL, HANSBRAUGH, COBLE, WASHOM. NAYS: COUNCILMAN BANKSON, KAEHLER, AND WILLIAMS. MOTION CARRIED.

NOBLE LEIGHTON, RESIDENT ENGINEER, WAS PRESENT AT THE MEETING AND DISCUSSED THE SEWER PROJRET AND WANTED TO KNOW IF THE CITY WISHED TO PAVE THEIR OWN STREETS OR HAVE THE CONTRACTOR PAVE THEM. MAYOR MURRAY RECOMMENDED THAT THE SEWER COMMITTEE AND OTHER INTEREST PARTIES ALONG WITH HIMSELF MEET AND STUDY THE REPORT AND ALTERNATES ON PAVING, ETC. AND REPORT AT THE NEXT COUNCIL MEETING.

WATER BILL ADJUSTMENT FOR VOGEL WAS DISCUSSED AND SINCE IT WAS PUT ON THE AGENDA BY COUNCILMAN BAILEY, WHO WAS ABSENT, IT WAS SUGGESTED THAT IT BE PUT ON A LATER DATE. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN COBLE THAT IT BE PUT ON THE NEXT MEETING. MOTION CARRIED.

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MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN BANKSON THAT THE MEETING ADJOURN. MOTION CARRIED BY STANDING.

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