

## MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING, GALENA, KANSAS, SEPTEMBER 2, 1969

The Council of the City of Galena, Kansas, met in regular session and budget hearing in the council-room at 7 o'clock, p.m., September 2, 1969, and a quorum was present. Mayor Dillon presided over the meeting.

Present: Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett.

Absent: Councilmen Sturgis and Bogle.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, to dispense with the reading of the minutes and place same on file as presented: Motion carried viva voce.

Councilman Pittman introduced and moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that the City Marshal's Report for the month of August, 1969, totaling \$2,125 in costs and fines, inspection of 14 cars @ .50, total \$7.00, disposal of 14 dogs, 5 cats, 2 dogs impounded on rabies check be accepted and placed on file. On a show of hands the motion carried.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that an additional \$500 be added to the previous motion of record for the purchase of a patrol car. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Noe, Watkins, and Tackett; Nays - Councilmen Kitch and Kaehler.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that The Empire District Electric Company be requested to remove the old signal lights at the school crossing on East Seventh Street and stored in the garage at the Water Works at 10th and Wood in the event the City found future use for same. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett.

Councilman Watkins read the following communications and moved that same be spread upon the minutes of the meeting; motion was seconded and carried and carried by a show of hands.

City Mayor  
Board of Alderman Box 32 Diamond, Missouri 64840  
Office in Home  
Code 417-325-4363  
We have a direct line  
now in Aug.

## CITY OF DIAMOND OFFICIALS

August 20, 1969

City Clerk  
City CollectorNewton County  
1960 Population 405  
1969 " 57518 miles from Joplin  
Highway 71A between  
Neosho & Carthage, Mo.

My Honorable Mayor  
Mayor of Galena  
& City Council & City Clerk  
Galena, Kansas

Dear Sirs:

"God Bless you All", on your "Law Enforcement Improvement."

You are welcome to my (copies) enclosed for your files and your attorneys.

Of course I am just a dollar a year Mayor and I don't expect to get very far.

I have no help of any kind, I do it on my own. Thank you for reading my poorly written letter. No reply necessary.

Sincerely yours,

s/Wilbert V. Schaffter, Mayor

(Joplin Globe Paper)  
(August 20, 1969)  
(About you folks)

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Brown, that five (5) fire plugs totaling \$175 be purchased and picked up from the City of Pittsburg. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that a load of MC-3 road oil be purchased from the Cemetery Road Fund. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman Pittman opened and read the following sealed bids:

Meier Motors, Inc., Baxter Springs, Kansas, no available stock.  
 R & S Chevrolet Inc., 1969  $\frac{1}{2}$  ton pickup as specified - \$1704.00  
 Dan Stanley Motors, Inc., 1969  $\frac{1}{2}$  ton pickup as specified - \$1893.00  
 Price Motor Company, 1969  $\frac{1}{2}$  ton pickup as specified - \$1768.78

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the bid from R & S Chevrolet Inc., for a 1969  $\frac{1}{2}$  ton pickup costing \$1704.00 be accepted and placed on roll call vote for adoption. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Motion carried.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that the expenses incurred by the City Marshal and City Clerk's trip to Wichita to confer with the City Marshal of Wichita relating to the City's application to the Federal Government for assistance be assumed by the City. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett.

Councilman Pittman introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the following accounts be adjusted relating to leaks:

# 18	Bob Parker	\$ .80
#1040	Victor Tackett	<u>1.26</u>
		2.06

Councilmen Noe and Tackett simultaneously seconded the motion. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman Pittman introduced the following resolution and moved for its adoption.

BE IT RESOLVED, the following final accounts be adjusted:

ACCOUNT NUMBER	NAME	TOTAL AMOUNT OF DELINQUENT BILL	AMOUNT OF DEPOSIT	REFUND	LOSS	LAST READING DATE
# 72	Cleo Pugh	\$ 17.84	\$ 15.00	\$ -	\$ 2.84	6-9-69
# 412	Greenlawn Rest Home c/o Kate Maddox, 2302 Penn., Joplin, Mo.	37.14	None	None	37.14	6-2-69
# 512	Mrs. Phillip Clark	17.56	10.00	None	7.56	6-2-69
# 654	Raymond Sharp	31.79	None	None	31.79	8-7-69
# 728	Gary Lair	8.95	None	None	8.95	5-11-69
# 884	Mildred Webber	17.97	5.00	None	12.97	6-25-69
#1354	Joan Smittle	<u>12.00</u>	<u>10.00</u>	<u>None</u>	<u>2.00</u>	6-16-69
		\$143.25	\$40.00	\$None	\$103.25	

Councilman Watkins seconded the foregoing resolution and same was placed on roll call for adoption. Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Mr. Hansbraugh, Fire Chief, reported to the Governing Body that he had secured prices on 500' of hose to be used within the Fire Department as follows: one firm had given a price of \$1.25 per ft., total of \$625; Consolidated .94 total \$470; Bill Story .74 total \$370.

Councilman Kaehler moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that the purchase of 500' @ .74 be made. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the Fire Department be authorized to spend \$100 for paint for use within the department. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - None.

Don Williams, Building Inspector, inquired of the Governing Body under whose jurisdiction were the sidewalks - the property owners or the superintendent of public works or the building inspector. Mayor Dillon suggested that the matter be tabled until the next regular session in order that the city attorney might look into the matter.

Councilman Watkins requested and moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the Governing Body enter into an executive session. Mayor Dillon granted the permission.

Mayor Dillon reconvened the meeting at 7:48 p.m.

Following the examination of a sewer application form, Councilman Watkins moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, moved that the form be accepted for use within the City. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman Watkins moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that Ordinance No. 589 as amended be placed on roll call vote for adoption. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that Ordinance No 590, Sewerage Facilities, be placed on roll call vote for adoption. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - None.

Councilman Pittman reported to the Governing Body that property owners on Dewey Avenue between 16th and 20th Streets were dissatisfied with the contractor's methods of cleaning up the debris left from the activity of laying sewer lines.

No formal action was taken on the budget hearing relating to the increase in budget under the Township Fire Expense as the Governing Body would have to consider an additional increase in budget on September 16th and the matter would be undertaken at that time.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Brown, that the meeting be adjourned until the next regular session on September 16. Motion carried by a standing vote.

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Mayor

Lucy S. Kernell  
City Clerk