

MINUTES OF THE CITY OF GALENA, KANSAS, COUNCIL MEETING, DECEMBER 2, 1969

The Council of the City of Galena, Kansas, met in regular session in the council-room, City Building, December 2, 1969, at 7 o'clock p.m.

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

Absent: None.

Presiding: Frank P. Dillon, Mayor.

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

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

Mayor Dillon recognized Mr. and Mrs. Speers and advised them that the City had received complaints from under-age purchasers of cereal malt beverages at their establishment and advised them of possible loss of license should the practice continue.

Councilman Watkins moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that the application of Fern Stuart to operate a city cab from her home, 810 Short Street, be granted as her application was in order and that all insurance requirements, etc., had been complied with. On roll call the motion carried as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett.

Following the reading of the request of Frank Fry relating to his vacation, Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that Patrolman Fry receive time off with his vacation beginning December 3 and ending December 17. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett.

Councilman Tackett moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that the city attorney be instructed to draw up an ordinance establishing the bank account for the WS-Kans-73, City of Galena, Sewer Facilities project. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman Pittman introduced and moved that the City Marshal's Report for the month of November be accepted and placed on file. Councilman Noe seconded the motion and on roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Noe, that the city Street Department be instructed to clean up the area around Pigeon Cave whereby old cars could be used to fill up the excavation as the owner of the property had offered the land to the city for this purpose. Motion carried by a show of hands.

Councilman Noe moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that the city fire marshal and city marshal inspect all cereal malt beverage establishments and determine whether or not they were complying with and meeting building code requirements. Councilman Noe moved to amend, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the motion also include the building inspector; said motion carried by a show of hands. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas -

Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - Councilman Bogle. Motion carried.

Councilman Watkins moved, seconded by Councilman Pittman, that Ordinance No. 598 as amended, an ordinance making payment for certain claims, be placed on roll call vote for adoption. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Watkins moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the city attorney be instructed to draw a leash ordinance relating to dogs and including a penalty therefor. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Brown, Martin, Watkins, Tackett; Nays - Councilmen Pittman, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Bogle, and Kaehler. The motion was lost.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Kaehler, that Ordinance No. 599, Sewerage Facilities, be placed on roll call vote for adoption. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins, that the Council meet the following evening at 7 o'clock and waive council pay for same. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - Councilman Sturgis. Motion carried.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Brown, that the Galena Saddle Club be granted the acreage owned by the city east of the residence of H. Dorsey on Seventh Street and Schermerhorn Avenue. On roll call the vote was as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Sturgis, Noe; Nays - Councilmen Kitch, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett. Mayor Dillon cast a negative vote and declared the motion lost.

George Williams and Raymond Carlisle, representatives of the Lions Club, were present and requested cooperation and participation of the City in the installation of street signs which the Club had purchased. Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Watkins that the City Street Department assist the Lions in the installation of the street signs. Motion carried by a show of hands.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Tackett, that the city attorney be instructed to advise the owner at 918 Main Street to either repair or demolish the property which had been badly burned at the address. Motion carried on roll call vote as follows: Yeas - Councilmen Pittman, Brown, Martin, Kitch, Sturgis, Noe, Watkins, Bogle, Kaehler, and Tackett; Nays - none. Carried.

Councilman Pittman moved, seconded by Councilman Brown, that the meeting be adjourned until the following evening at 7 o'clock. Motion carried by a standing vote.

MAYOR

Becky C. ...
City Clerk