

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING OF AUGUST 1, 1972.

COUNCIL MET IN REGULAR SESSION, MAYOR MURRAY PRESIDING.

COUNCILMEN PRESENT:

ANDERSON
COBLE

BAILEY
KAEHLER

BANKSON
BROWN

CANTRELL
WASHOM

WILLIAMS
HANSBRAUGH

COUNCILMEN ABSENT:

NONE

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING HELD JULY 18, 1972, WAS PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN BANKSON AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT THE MINUTES BE APPROVED AND PLACED ON FILE. MOTION CARRIED.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM OBLINGER-SMITH WERE PRESENT AT THE COUNCIL MEETING. THEY EXPLAINED THAT THE OFFICE IN KANSAS CITY HAD REFUSED 2ND YEAR FUNDING, AND EXPLAINED THEIR OBJECTION TO BE THAT THEY NEEDED A MORE BALANCED PLAN. IT WAS THE RECOMMENDATION OF OBLINGER-SMITH THAT THE CITY PARK AREA BE EXTENDED AND IMPROVED AND ALSO TO INCREASE THE WATER MAINS TO COME UP TO THE STANDARDS HUD REQUIRES, AND ROUND OUT A BALANCED PLAN AND RE-SUBMIT APPLICATION FOR NDP FUNDING. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM THAT OBLINGER-SMITH PROCEED WITH THESE PLANS, AND TO KEEP THE GOVERNING BODY INFORMED AS TO THE PROGRESS. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN BAILEY AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN BROWN THAT NO PARKING SIGNS BE PLACED ON THE WEST SIDE OF JOPLIN STREET BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH STREETS, WHICH WOULD ALLOW ONE-WAY PARKING ON THE EAST SIDE. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN BAILEY THAT ONE WEEKS VACATION PAY BE GIVEN TO MARVIN GOFF IN LIEU OF VACATION. MOTION CARRIED.

THE MUNICIPAL JUDGES REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JULY WAS READ TO THE COUNCIL. A TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$1533.00 WAS COLLECTED IN FINES. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WASHOM AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN COBLE THAT THE REPORT BE ACCEPTED AND PLACED ON FILE. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN ANDERSON THAT A RESOLUTION BE DRAWN UP TO PREVENT PEOPLE FROM MOVING INTO HOUSES WITHOUT FIRST BEING INSPECTED BY THE FIRE CHIEF AND/OR THE BUILDING INSPECTOR. MOTION CARRIED.

DON WILLIAMS REPORTED TO THE COUNCIL IN THE CAPACITY OF ACTING BUILDING INSPECTOR, AND GAVE HIS REPORT PERTAINING TO THE BUILDING AT 300 W. 7TH STREET. IN HIS OPINION, THIS OLD SERVICE STATION IS IN THE WORST CONDITION OF ANY BUILDING HE HAD EVER INSPECTED, WITH RAW WIRES, A SAGGING ROOF, NO PLUMBING FACILITIES AND RECOMMENDED THAT THE BUILDING BE CONDEMNED. THE CLERK WAS ASKED TO NOTIFY THE BUILDING INSPECTOR AND REQUEST THAT MR. WARD BE PRESENT AT THE NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN COBLE THAT AN EXECUTIVE SESSION BE HELD. ALL VISITORS AND UNELECTED OFFICIALS WERE ASKED TO LEAVE.

UPON RETURNING BACK TO THE COUNCIL MEETING, MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT THE RIVERTON COACH AND HIS FOOTBALL TEAM AND THEIR WIVES AND GIRL FRIENDS BE ALLOWED TO USE THE CITY SWIMMING POOL FROM 8:00 P.M. UNTIL 10:00 P.M. ON THE 25TH DAY OF AUGUST AT A PRICE OF 25¢ EACH. MOTION CARRIED.

COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS GAVE A REPORT ON THE PARK AND SWIMMING POOL. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS THAT THE CITY PURCHASE A LOT ON E. 11TH STREET ACROSS FROM THE STADIUM AT A COST OF \$40.00 TO BE PAID TO BOB MCPHERSON. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN KAEHLER AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS THAT WE ACCEPT THE STANDS FROM DOANE PRODUCTS CO., "IN KIND CONTRIBUTION," WHICH IS THAT DOANES OFFERS THE STANDS TO THE CITY AT THE COST OF THE CITY TO RE-LOCATE ONE OF THEIR STORAGE TANKS. MOTION CARRIED.

DISCUSSION WAS HELD PERTAINING TO A POLICE CAR, AND IT WAS AGREED BY THE COUNCIL TO WAIT UNTIL THE 1973 MODELS CAME OUT BEFORE PURCHASING A NEW CAR.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN COBLE THAT THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW DOG POUND BE STARTED ON THE FAR EAST CORNER OF THE CITY OWNED PROPERTY ON SMELTER ROAD. MOTION CARRIED.

ORDINANCE #679 ALLOWING CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY WAS PRESENTED TO THE COUNCIL: PAYROLL, \$5,127.20, REGULAR, \$2,121.45, SEWER, \$800.00, TOTAL, \$8,048.65. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN KAEHEER AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS THAT THE ORDINANCE BE AMENDED IN REGARD TO NOBLE LEIGHTON'S SALARY OF \$800.00, AND THAT IT BE PAID TO HIS ESTATE. MOTION CARRIED. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN ANDERSON AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN CANTRELL THAT ORDINANCE #679 BE APPROVED AS AMENDED. MOTION CARRIED.

THE CLERK WAS NOTIFIED TO GET IN TOUCH WITH C. B. SIMMONS, AND INFORM HIM THAT HE COULD USE THE CITY METER READER TO ASSIST HIM IN STAKING OUT RISERS IN THE NEW SEWER PROJECT.

COUNCILMAN CANTRELL WAS ASKED TO NOTIFY TRI-CITY CONSTRUCTION CO. THAT ALL FILL DIRT BE PUT AT THE CITY PARK AREA.

MAYOR MURRAY INFORMED THE COUNCIL THAT MARVIN L. GOFF, PRESENT CITY COMMISSIONER, WISHES TO RESIGN EFFECTIVE THE 15TH DAY OF AUGUST. MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN COBLE THAT THE RESIGNATION BE ACCEPTED, AND THAT THE CLERK POST AN AD IN THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER TAKING APPLICATIONS TO FILL THE POSITION. MOTION CARRIED.

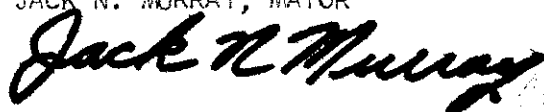
BRADLEY BALL, THE CITY AUDITOR, WAS PRESENT AT THE MEETING TO GO OVER THE BUDGET AND EXPLAIN TO THE COUNCIL THAT THE BUDGET MUST BE APPROVED AND PUBLISHED IN THE LOCAL PAPER NO LATER THAN AUGUST THE 5TH, NOTIFYING THE CITIZENS OF GALENA OF A BUDGET HEARING ON AUGUST THE 15TH.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT THE TOWNSHIP FIRE FUND BE DEBITED FOR \$1500.00 AND THE FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT FUND BE CREDITED FOR \$1500.00. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN HANSBRAUGH THAT THE BUDGET BE ADOPTED AND PASSED BY THE COUNCIL. MOTION CARRIED.

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

JACK N. MURRAY, MAYOR



B. JOE LATURNER,
CITY CLERK