

AUG. 8, 1983 - 7:30 P.M. REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING WITH MAYOR BURDETTE,  
ALD. LEWIS, ALD. KING, ALD. MEADOWS AND ALD. BENNETT IN ATTENDANCE

1. Mayor Burdette called the meeting to order and Sam Peek gave the invocation.
2. Minutes of the July 25, 1983, regular meeting and July 29, 1983, special meeting were read and approved.
3. Mayor's Comments:
  - (a) Mayor Burdette announced the awarding of the UDAG grant for approximately \$300,000.00 to be loaned to Carriage Carpet Mills, Inc. to assist in the constructing and equipping of a new plant which would employ some 60 people.
  - (b) Mayor Burdette also announced a joint meeting of the City, County, and Beautification officials on Aug. 18, 1983, at 7:30 p.m. at the County Courthouse regarding the downtown beautification renovation.
4. Aldermen's Comments: None
5. Public Comments:
  - (a) A public hearing was held on the amendment to the beer/wine/liquor ordinance which would allow wine to be sold by the drink. Mayor Burdette presented two petitions, one from Eastgate Baptist Church with seventy-two signatures and one from Philadelphia Baptist Church with sixty-six signatures requesting a no vote to the proposed amendment. The following were present and made statements regarding the amendment:  
 Terry Lowe, county, opposed; Marvin Broyles, city, opposed; Wilson Peters, city approve; Bobby Watts, county, opposed; William Nix, county, opposed; Lamar Sosebee, county, opposed; Franklin Lance, county, opposed; Catherine Harris, county, opposed; Ruthell Thomas, county, opposed; Max Fuller, county, opposed; Dennis Charles, county, opposed; Bill Gray, county, opposed; Jimmy Dutton, county, opposed; Richard Blackstock, county, opposed; Perry Blackstock, county, opposed; Carolyn Blackstock, county, opposed; Robert Davis, county, opposed; Sylvia Davis, county, opposed; Jerry Hibberts, county, opposed; Dale Hogan, county, opposed; Jack Bell, county, opposed; Donnie Hudgens, county, opposed; Lewis Bunch, city, opposed; Jackie Clayton, county, opposed; Marvin Blackstock, county, opposed; Leonard Brown, county, opposed; Bill Cook, county, opposed; Paul Wood, county, opposed, Odell and Frank Brown, county, opposed; Sam Peek, city, opposed; Ken McNeese, county, opposed; Estes Pass, county, opposed; Bud Holcomb, county opposed; Mike Muse, county, opposed; Thelma Greeson, county, opposed; Jean Holden, county, opposed; Roland Parker, county, opposed; Woodroe Smith, county, opposed; Pat Baker, county, opposed; Oscar Wilbanks, county, opposed; John Ford, county, opposed; Dot Thomas, county, opposed; M. Dorsey, city, opposed; Harold Faith, county, opposed; Ewell Blackstock, county, opposed; Joyce Broyles, city, opposed; Mrs. Mincey, city, opposed, W. C. Burdette, city opposed.  
 Ald. Meadows made a motion to waive the 3rd and 4th readings, and approve the amendment to the beer/wine/liquor ordinance to allow wine to be sold by the drink, 2nd by Ald. Bennett with Ald. Lewis and Ald. King voting affirmatively also. Mayor Burdette asked that his strong opposition to the motion be recorded. (Ordinance No. 101)
6. Old Business:
  - (a) Following a 2nd reading of the annexation ordinance request of Max and Shirley Greeson for lots 127, 128, block K, Morningside Subdivision, for R-2 zoning, Ald. Bennett made a motion to approve the request, 2nd by Ald. Meadows with Ald. King and Ald. Lewis voting affirmatively also. (Ordinance No. 100)
  - (b) Supt. Hobgood reported that the storm drainage work on Harris Street had been completed; the Street Dept. is continuing to work on the road base for Curtis Parkway; the Water Dept. continues to work on the water line replacement in Camelot, approximately 25% complete at this time. The Electric and Sewer Departments have been clearing right-of-ways. Water Dept. made 29 taps in July, Sewer Dept. made 3 taps. Council discussed the need to pursue a paving contract for Curtis Parkway with D.O.T. and the dedication for the raw water intake.

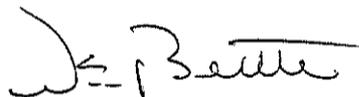
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7. New Business:

- (a) Ald. King made a motion to approve the contract with Coosa Valley APDC for the driver, van repairs and gasoline for transportation for the nutrition program and authorize the Mayor to sign the contract, 2nd by Ald. Meadows with Ald. Lewis and Ald. Bennett voting affirmatively also.
- (b) Ald. Meadows made a motion to approve a 26' variance to the set-back for McEntyre Grocery, West Belmont Drive, to allow gas pumps with a canopy to be installed in front of the store, 2nd by Ald. King with Ald. Lewis and Ald. Bennett voting affirmatively also.
- (c) A beer package license application was presented from F. A. Hale for the location on Highway 53, East side, across from Ford's Supermarket, the owner of the premises being Starlite Stores, Inc. Ald. Lewis made a motion to table the application pending review by the City Attorney, 2nd by Ald. Bennett with Ald. Meadows and Ald. King voting affirmatively also.

8. Ald. Lewis made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Ald. Bennett with Ald. King and Ald. Meadows voting affirmatively also.

Approved:



W. C. Burdette,  
Mayor

Respectfully submitted:



(Mrs.) Cathy Harrison,  
City Clerk