

DEC. 8, 1969 - REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL WITH ALL PRESENT.

1. Chaplain T. J. Lance delivered the invocation.
2. Minutes of the Nov. 24 meeting were read and approved.
3. Bill Stocks, holder of the CATV franchise for Calhoun, requested approval to increase his monthly subscription rates from \$5.00 to \$5.95 and to erect an antenna tower on city property atop Mt. Alto. Supt. Owens advised that the tower should not conflict with future use of the property; by the city. Ald. Woods moved that Mr. Stocks' company (Webbs Cable TV) be granted permission to increase their proposed rates to \$5.95 per month and given 1 year's use of the property on Mt. Alto. Ald. David seconded the motion and it was approved.
4. Ald. David introduced a motion that the city deny any guilt in the accident involving a city police car and a truck owned by Moore Builders Hdwe., operated by Adam Seabolt. Seconded by Ald. Woods, voted on and passed.
5. Mayor Dickinson said he had been approached by a merchant in the Gordon Hills Shopping Center asking that the city decorate the center as it has downtown. Council agreed to render whatever assistance it could.
6. Ald. Woods suggested that some 600 ft. of 10" CI water main be extended to serve Astro Dye Works.
7. Ald. Woods moved that city employees be granted Christmas bonuses of \$50 for hourly, \$70 for salaried employees and one-fourth of one month's salary for department heads. 2nd by Ald. David and approved.
8. Ald. David reported that Ralph Baker had requested a street light be installed on the pole at his drive way. Water & Lt. Supt. Jack Bell said if the city was to continue its policy of placing a light on every other pole, Mr. Baker could not be given a light.
9. Ald. Cox heard in the matter of re-zoning a lot at River St. and the Oostanaula River from Industrial to R-3. After discussion, it was agreed to act at a later date.
10. Ald. Holland said he had met with the doctors, but had not seen Irving Ostuw yet with reference to relocating a portion of Pine St. Mr. Holland and Supt. Owens to contact Mr. Ostuw in an effort to settle this problem.
11. Supt. Owens reported that he and J. C. Maddox were experiencing some difficulty in procuring rights of way to serve Industrial Boulevard with sanitary sewage.
12. Bids were opened on two trucks, one a pickup for meter reading and the other a cab and chassis for the water department. Prater Ford bid \$2143.65 and \$2249.00, Roy Davis bid 2261.67 and 2425.92. Ald. Woods moved to accept the low bids (Ford), 2nd by Ald. Cox, voted on and passed.
13. The clerk advised that Mrs. Thomas Hopper of Plainville continued to complain that water from the city's standpipe was running thru their yard. Supt. Owens to check this.
14. Clerk reported that R. H. McDougale said he had \$20 damage plus a tire as a result of hitting an open manhole on Pine St. Ald. Holland moved that the city pay Mr. McDougale the \$20 and buy him a new tire, 2nd by Ald. Woods and approved.
15. The clerk requested that Council increase minimums on water and light deposits from \$6 to \$10 and \$15 to \$25. Ald. Woods moved that this be done, 2nd by Ald. Holland and approved.
16. Petition for annexation of the W. May St. property of Bob K. McEntyre and Dorothy K. Young read and accepted unanimously by Council.
17. Clerk heard in reference to Carol Shugart's mobile home. After discussion, Council ordered the trailer moved.

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18. Council instructed the clerk to notify the owners of the old Dyar house that the property has been condemned as unfit for human habitation.

19. Ald. David moved to adjourn, 2nd by Ald. Woods and done.

Approved:

Frank M. Dickinson
Frank M. Dickinson, Mayor

Respectfully submitted,

Hoyt Edwards
Hoyt Edwards, City Clerk