

DEC. 11, 1967 - REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL WITH ALL PRESENT.

1. Chaplain T. J. Lance delivered the invocation.
2. Minutes of Nov. 27 meeting read and approved.
3. Mayor Dickinson briefly reviewed some of the major accomplishments of his administrations and expressed his appreciation to the aldermen and employees for their cooperation during his six years as chief executive of the city.
4. Mrs. Ralph (Bea) McCurdy, a resident of the Sugar Valley Road, complained of offensive odors, smoke, flies, litter, pollution of the air and the dumping of animals at the city dump and asked the Council to take action to correct same. Council assured Mrs. McCurdy that they were aware of the conditions and would endeavor to alleviate them.
5. Ald. Woods moved that the Christmas bonus for hourly employees be increased from \$40 to \$50; for salaried employees from \$60 to \$70; and remain $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1 month's salary for department heads. Ald. David seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved.
6. Supt. Owens advised Council of David White's request for water and his offer to buy and maintain a pump since the area can not be served without pumping. Action deferred.
7. On motion of Ald. Norton, 2nd of Ald. King, Council voted to accept petition for annexation of property of James S. and Don R. Owens.
8. Clerk reported that Mr. Henry J. Dobson had requested some relief on taxes owed by him since he closed his place of business in July, 1967. Ald. King moved to cut the tax in half, 2nd by Ald. Norton, voted on and approved.
9. Civil Defense Director Tom B. David said he would like to publicly thank Calvin Caldwell and Bruce Bowman for their aid in recovering a body from the Etowah River in Canton.
10. Ald. King moved to adjourn; 2nd by Ald. Norton and done.

Approved:

Frank M. Dickinson

Frank M. Dickinson, Mayor

Respectfully submitted,

Hoyt Edwards

Hoyt Edwards, City Clerk