

Calhoun, Georgia
November 26, 1956

City Council met in regular session at the City Hall with all members present.

Mayor Lawrence opened the meeting with prayer.

The minutes of the previous meeting read and adopted.

At this time Mayor Lawrence read a letter he had received from the Southeastern Underwriters Association stating in general that the old B925 Brockway Fire Engine was not adequate when the other fire truck was outside the city on a call. Stated that the insurance rates inside the city would be raised in the near future if a better truck wasn't purchased. The other way to stop the rates from being raised was to stop the fire truck from going outside the city limits. Southeastern Underwriters recommended a 500 gallon pumper with a 2½ inch hose. After discussion on how to finance a new truck, Mayor Lawrence suggested that the people outside the city be given a chance to pay for the truck on a monthly fee basis. Mayor Lawrence stated that he would contact the Southeastern Underwriters and see ~~How~~ long they would give before the rates would be raised.

Mr. David reported that Gus Boaz, And Bob Collins residents of Trammell Street were complaining about their water pressure and requested that any help the city could give to relieve the situation would appreciated. Mr. Dickinson made a motion that the residents be required to put in a 3/4 Inch pipe line from from the meter to the house and the city would install a 2" line from the standpipe to the present line. This motion seconded by Mr. Edwards voted on and passed.


Mr. McDaniel reported that Mrs. Gentry wanted the road paved in front of her house by spring. Stated that she would continue to let the city dump the trash and garbage on her place if they ~~would~~ ^{would} pave the street by her house.

Mayor Lawrence read a letter from the Georgia Municipal Association asking the Council to adopt the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association and pay the dues and become a member. Mr. Edwards made a motion that this be done seconded by Mr. Dickinson voted on and passed.

The Council instructed the Fire Chief and City Engineer to install the Christmas lights as soon as possible. Agreed to plant a tree in front of the Court House that could be used from year to year for a lighted Christmas Tree.

There being no other business Mr. David made a motion to adjourn seconded by Mr. Edwards voted on and passed.

Approved


Mayor

Respectfully Submitted,

Calvin Caldwell