

SEPT. 24, 1962

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT

1. Mayor Dickinson called the meeting to order and opened it with prayer.
2. Minutes of regular meeting of Sept. 10 and called meeting of Sept. 14 read by clerk and approved by Mayor.
3. Judge J. H. Paschall told council that some residents of Sequoyah Terrace might be encroaching on city property and since this street is narrow, he felt that this practice as well as on street parking should be forbidden. Mayor appointed Ald. King and Supt. Owens to investigate.
4. Mr. James Boyd, exec. sec. of the Calhoun Housing Authority, asked council for an appropriation of \$200.00 for preliminary work in authority's efforts to increase number of housing units in white and Negro projects. Ald. David moved to grant this amount, seconded by Ald. Lewis and passed unanimously.
5. Ald. Woods told of forthcoming dedication of new National Guard Armory and asked council to buy ads in the program. The Mayor and all four aldermen together with the clerk and supt. paid for a 1/2 page ad at their own expense,
6. Ald. Lewis inquired as to progress being made on codification of city ordinances. Clerk advised that he and the city attorney were to meet with a representative of the Municipal Code Corp. on Thursday, Sept. 27.
7. Ald. David reported that Mr. T. C. Pendley had offered to pay \$500.00 if city would serve him with water, but after Supt. Owens advised cost of extending main would be prohibitive and the probability of inadequate volume was imminent, council decided not to make this extension.
8. Ald. King asked about accident involving city garbage truck and car of Mr. Oscar Davis. Supt. Owens advised that Mr. Davis had paid Holbrook's Garage \$580.00 to repair city truck.
9. Permission was granted Echota-Vann Shrine Club to parade on Wall St. between Line and Hicks Sts. on Oct. 6 at noon.

10. Ald. Woods made motion the tax rate remain the same at 25 mills, 2d by Ald. David and pass@d without dissenting vote.

11. After discussion, Ald. King moved that the city disallow any more free car washes by anyone. Ald. Lewis 2d this motion and it was passed unan@mously.


12. Supt. Owens asked clouncil to clarify city's position in regard to permitting funeral directors to use city equipment in the opening and closing of graves, especially the air compressor. Council declared their position was unchanged, that funeral directors would be responsible for furnishing all equipment necessary.

13. Supt. Owens heard regarding two-way radio and stated that he felt the county should ass@st the city financially since the city was bearing all the cost of operating the base station. Ald. Woods to discuss this with Comm; Slagle.

14. The petition of Laura Wylie asking the city to annex her property was accepted.

15. No further business, meeting adjourned.

Approved:

  
Frank M. Dickinson, Mayor

Re spectfully submitted,

  
Hoyt Edwards, Clerk