

SEPT. 11, 1972 - REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL WITH ALL PRESENT.

1. Rev. Jack Lamb, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, delivered the invocation.
2. Minutes of the August 28 meeting read and approved.
3. Mrs. Kyle Smith, Jr. and several members of her CHS government class introduced themselves to the Council and said they would like to attend subsequent meetings. Mayor Dickinson introduced the board of aldermen and the department heads and invited the group to come back at any time.
4. Ald. David said the airport authority wishes to install a VTOR system at Tom B. David Field, but they must get some trees, on private property, cut prior to the installation.
5. Ald. David estimated that the proposed "Neighborhood Development Program" would displace 85 people. Discussed with no action.
6. Ald. Collins advised that some members of the Garden Club had requested frequent day and night police patrolling of the recreation area.
7. Ald. Collins read a prepared list of recommendations to revamp the operation of the clerk's office and submitted said list, signed by all the aldermen, for inclusion in the minutes. Ald. Padgett moved to accept the recommendations, 2nd by Ald. Cox and passed.
8. Ald. Cox, after some discussion, moved that the tax rate again be 18 mills; 2nd by Ald. David and approved.
9. Clerk read Clinton E. Taylor's application for a package malt beverage license at 1227 US 41 N. To be acted on at next meeting.
10. Council ordered the clerk to collect all taxes due the city and to employ whatever help is necessary.
11. Supt. Owens heard in regard to the city's water supply and said the city should explore the possibility of constructing a raw water pumping station on the Coosawattee River. Mr. Owens said that John Wiedeman, of Wiedeman & Singleton, Engineers, expressed grave doubts that the Conasauga River will improve as a source for water even after the City of Dalton completes its sewer plant.
12. Clerk read a letter from the Georgia Dept. of Public Health congratulating Calhoun and Gordon County for being the first in the state to become a part of the Hospital Signing System.
13. Four water taps approved on motion of Ald. Padgett and Ald. Cox.
14. Hoyt Gladney asked about the wall at the Gordon Hills Shopping Center. Ald. Padgett said the owners are adding a center support in an effort to satisfactorily conclude this project.
15. J. C. Kay, Sr. expressed his opposition to the proposed new street from the Red Bud Road to N. Wall St.
16. Council expressed appreciation to Mrs. Ginny Reese for her able assistance in the nomination of Mrs. Edna Langford for woman of the year.
17. Council recommended that school bus drivers use SR 53 and S. River St. to avoid a hazardous railroad crossing.
18. Mayor Dickinson excused himself for the appeal of William Mathis to the Council on Case No. 799 dated Aug. 29, 1972 in Recorder's Court where he was fined \$54.00 for reckless conduct with a motor
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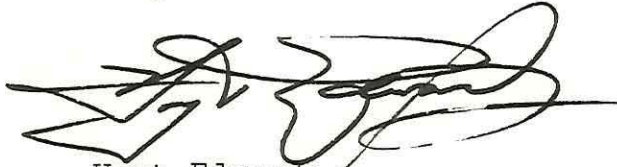
18. (Cont.) vehicle. After hearing from Mathis and Officer Bill Bowen, the trial was continued to the Sept. 25 meeting, but Mathis asked, and was granted, permission to skip the meeting.
19. Ald. Collins moved to adjourn, 2nd by Ald. Padgett and done.

Approved:

Frank M. Dickinson

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Mayor

Respectfully submitted,



Hoyt Edwards,
City Clerk