

MAY 11, 1970 - REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL WITH ALL PRESENT.

1. Chaplain T. J. Lance delivered the invocation.
2. Minutes of the April 27 meeting read and approved.
3. Ald. Woods heard in the matter of inadequate water at Conasauga Heights S/D. After discussion, it was determined that the city will make no further taps on this line until the situation is corrected.
4. Ald. David said he had received complaints that some young boys were discharging firearms in the city dump. Referred to Chief Roberts.
5. Ald. David requested that the grass be cut on the city's property at US 41 N and College St.
6. Supt. Owens heard in reference to lighting baseball fields for the Recreation Commission. Following discussion, Mayor Dickinson instructed Mr. Owens to do nothing at the present time.
7. Clerk read the City Board of Education's request for \$285,000.00 for the local share of the 1970-71 school budget. (This represents an increase of \$20,000.00 over last year.) Ald. David moved that this amount be made available to the school board, seconded by Ald. Holland and unanimously approved.
8. Clerk read a letter from the Southeastern Power Administration advising that the city could expect an increase of some 10% in our power allotment from SEPA. Ald. Woods moved the passage of a resolution authorizing Mayor Dickinson to execute a new ten year contract with SEPA; Ald. David seconded the motion and it was approved.
9. Milton Stewart and J. W. Moss, Jr. informed Council that they had houses under construction in the Conasauga Heights S/D and would like to have city water. The installation of a pump in this main was discussed with Supt. Owens estimating the initial cost at approximately \$2,000.00. Mr. Owens said he would seek new quotations on the cost of a pump.
10. Ald. Woods moved to combine the sprinkler stand-by charge with the minimum water charge in those installations that meter the sprinkler water. This motion was passed following a second by Ald. David.
11. Council discussed the financing of the improvements to the electric system.
12. Asst. Supt. Fox reported that fires are being deliberately set in the garbage dump.
13. Ald. Woods moved to adjourn, 2nd by Ald. Holland and done.

Approved:

Frank M. Dickinson
Frank M. Dickinson, Mayor

Respectfully submitted,

Hoyt Edwards
Hoyt Edwards, City Clerk