


FEB. 23, 1970 - REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL WITH ALL PRESENT.

1. Chaplain T. J. Lance delivered the invocation.
2. Minutes of the Feb. 9 meeting were read and approved.
3. Ald. Cox said Mrs. H. G. Bagley had complained of water standing on the lot next to her residence. During discussion, it was agreed that the lot would be difficult to drain, but no action was taken.
4. Ald. Cox reported that the old seed house belonging to James Beamer should be razed or demolished. Supt. Owens to contact Mr. Beamer.
5. Ald. Cox stated the Plymouth police car should be replaced.
6. Ald. Cox heard in regard to the hazardous condition of the embankment at the Gordon Hills Shopping Center. Supt. Owens to see Raymond King and Vern Kuhlman to get this corrected.
7. Mayor Dickinson appointed Ald. Holland to work with the shopping center owners on their 1970 Christmas Decorations.
8. Ald. David suggested that the city take advantage of federal aid in the purchase of traffic signals and signs.
9. Ald. Woods said some of our water lines needed replacing with larger mains to provide adequate water volume and pressure.
10. Ald. Woods heard with reference to using the recently installed sanitary sewer mains. Supt. Owens advised that he and Bill Greene, of Wiedeman & Singleton, would meet with officials of the State Water Quality Control Board in an effort to gain approval to use these lines.
11. Ald. Woods said refuse on the streets was a disgrace and the streets should be cleaned.
12. Supt. Owens announced that most of the deeds for rights of way on the Oothcaloga St. project had been signed.
13. Supt. Owens reported that the contract for erection of the stand-pipe at Oothcaloga Hts. will be let on March 3.
14. Supt. Owens said that the high service pumping station was being delayed due to slow delivery of certain materials and he, therefore, anticipated a shortage of water this summer.
15. Supt. Owens said that some of the industrial plants had apparently done nothing toward installation of screens to filter their waste water prior to dumping into the city's mains. Clerk to give them final notice.
16. Supt. Owens advised that Southeastern Consulting Engineers had estimated the cost of improvements to our electrical system at nearly \$300,000.00.
17. Clerk read letter from City School Supt. G. V. Cate thanking the Council for the donation of the '63 truck to the vocational school.
18. Asst. Supt. Fox reported that pollution control had reached the point that the sludge from the waterfilters will have to be treated before dumping into the river.
19. Water & Lt. Supt. Bell suggested that the Council might consider increasing the minimum charge on water meters larger than 3/4" as some other cities do.
20. Clerk advised that the county will not release Industrial Blvd. property from county school taxes this year, even tho' it is annexed to the city during the year.
21. Ald. David moved to adjourn, 2nd by Ald. Woods and done.

Approved:


Frank M. Dickinson, Mayor

Respectfully submitted,


Hoyt Edwards, City Clerk