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1. Mayor Pro Tem Padgett called the meeting to order and Rev. Bob Maddox gave the invocation.
 2. Minutes of the Jan. 23, 1978, regular meeting and Jan. 31, 1978, special meeting were read and approved.
 3. Mayor's Comments: Mayor Pro Tem Padgett discussed the need for a guard rail on Piedmont Street behind Davis Chevrolet. Supt. Hobgood was asked to check on the cost.
 4. Aldermen's Comments: None
 5. Public Comments: None
 6. Old Business: (a) Public hearing was held on Roy Davis's, Bobby's Package Store, wine application. The proper advertising had been done and the police report was all right. Ald. Lewis made a motion to approve the license, 2nd by Ald. King and approved.
 - (b) Public hearing was held on a wine application from James Thomason, ABC Oasis. Police report was all right and the necessary advertising had been done. Ald. Lewis made a motion to grant the license, 2nd by Ald. King and approved.
 - (c) Public hearing was held on Ben Morrow's, 53 Package Store, wine application. The police report was all right and the necessary advertising had been done. Ald. Lewis made a motion to grant license and 2nd by Ald. King and approved.
 - (d) The second reading was given on the Ordinance for Adoption of Codes. Ald. Cox made a motion to waive 2nd and 3rd readings, 2nd by Ald. Lewis, and approved. CH 2/21/78. Ald. Cox made a motion to approve the ordinance, 2nd by Ald. King, and approved. CH 2/21/78.
 - (e) Supt. Hobgood reported that work would begin right away on the River Street Extension from the National Guard Armory to Mauldin Road. Nothing has been heard on the overpass at highway 156 and Ald. Lewis suggested that a delegation meet with the State to impress upon them the importance of the overpass. Supt. Hobgood was requested to contact Rep. Ralston and Sen. Langford to enlist their help.
 - (f) Supt. Hobgood reported that a local assistance bridge program had been formed and that the bridge on Beamer Farm had been approved. The Peters Street bridge was not under this program because it had been previously approved and he was not sure how it would be funded. Ald. Lewis was opposed to the City paying for this bridge unless the County would assist.
 - (g) Don Watt, TLM Associates, gave a report on the EPA study. He reported that 60% of the sewer system had problems and there is approximately 2½ million gallons of infiltration a day. He recommended that a portion of the lines be selected to be cleaned and install close-circuit televisions to study the problems. There is a Federally funded test and seal program that he recommended. If the City's application is approved the Federal government would pay 75% and the City 25% of the cost. The total cost will be \$153,500.00 with the City portion being \$38,378. Ald. Lewis made a motion to authorize the Mayor to sign the application, 2nd by Ald. Cox and approved.
 7. New Business: (a) First reading was given on the Ordinance to remove the Walraven-Barnwell property from the City. Mayor Pro Tem Padgett suggested that it be tabled until a later date.
 - (b) Supt. Hobgood presented the street paving priorities for 1978, which includes 1 mile in Mill Village that has already been approved, per attached copies.

(c) Supt. Hobgood discussed various small street projects related to the River Street Extension which involved the widening of College from Red Bud Road to 41 North, and River Street from Court Street to Oothcaloga Street. Also in relationship to these projects widening of Oothcaloga St. from Court Street to the railroad depot.

(d) Dept. of Transportation Utilities Division has notified the City to make provisions to take the water line off the Resaca Bridge. They plan to let a contract in June to tear down the bridge and build a new one. Supt. Hobgood reported there were several alternates. One was to cross a field, through the river and up the river bank but he did not recommend this alternate. The second alternate is that there is a 6" water line at Max Tolbert School, to come from there across I-75 and tie back in at Resaca. This will cost more but is more practical. Supt. Hobgood will contact the State to try to get State aid to help build the line from the school.

(e) Supt. Hobgood presented the maps on the new Chandler Cemetery addition and asked the Council to consider making it a memorial garden.

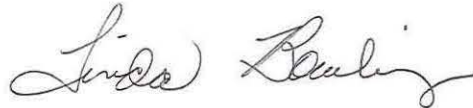
8. Ald. Lewis made a motion to adjourn and 2nd by Ald. Cox.

Approved:



W. C. Burdette,
Mayor

Respectfully submitted:



(Mrs.) Linda Bowling,
Asst. City Clerk