

November 13, 1961  
Calhoun, Georgia

City Council met in regular session at the city hall with all members present.

Mr. Lawrence Stone was a visitor at the meeting and opened the meeting with prayer.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by the clerk and approved by the council.

Mr. Lawrence Stone and Mr. Cliff Long of the Dews Pond Road were present and requested that the city run water to their homes. After discussion alderman David made a motion that the water line be extended along the Dews Pond Road a distance of approximately one half mile to the Cliff Long residence and that all users of city water in this area be required to pay \$100.00 tap fee and \$3.50 per month minimum for two thousand gallons of water. This motion was seconded by alderman Woods voted on and passed.

Miss Juanita Hobgood was present at the meeting and ask the mayor and council when the city would be able to run sewer lines, furnish fire protection, garbage ~~pick up~~, and other city services to her neighborhood if the city limit vote passed on November 22nd. The mayor informed Miss Hobgood that it would be impossible to give a date when these services would be furnished but he was sure the city would furnish these services as soon as they possibly could.

The question of whether to make the eight customers that was changing from North Georgia Electric Power to City Power pay the extra charges for garbage and sewage since they had notified the North Georgia Electric Corp. to discontinue their power service at these homes, was discussed by the mayor and council. Alderman Dickinson made a motion that these customers must pay the extra charges since they were furnished these services without taking city power. This motion received a second from alderman Norton. Alderman Norton, David, and Dickinson voted for the motion and alderman Woods voted against the motion. Mayor Edwards declared the motion carried.

The council discussed the possibility of lowering the water rates on the outside for large users. Alderman Norton made a motion that the outside water rates remain the same. This motion received a second from alderman David was voted on and passed.

Purchasing of uniforms for the police department was discussed at this time. After discussion it was decided to delay action on the matter until after the first of the year since a new administration would be in office at that time.

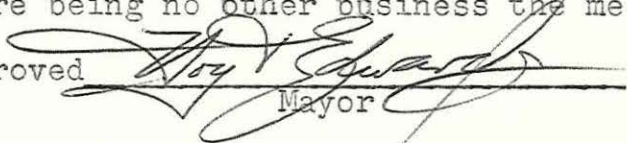
Mayor Edwards stated that he and Supt. James Owens had attended a meeting in Atlanta with the Georgia Municipal Association in regard to federal government trying to set rates on electric power purchased through the federal government agencies. Alderman Dickinson made a motion that the City of Calhoun contribute .5¢ per electric meter toward the fight being carried on by the cities in the State of Georgia. The council was in unanimous agreement.

Mr. J. D. Anderson had requested water and sewerage to a lot in the new Woodland Hills sub-division. The council agreed that the owners of the sub-division must pay the cost of these services since this was the original agreement by the members of the council when the area was annexed to the city.

Supt. Owens stated that the new addition to the water filter plant was finished and ready to be placed in operation all but the final inspection.

There being no other business the meeting was adjourned.

Approved

  
Mayor

respectfully submitted,  
Calvin Caldwell, Clerk