

COUNCIL MEETING
March 26, 1990

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, March 26, 1990, 7:00 P.M., Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor James Barnes
Commissioner Norman Collins
Commissioner Gail Crenshaw
Commissioner Jim Lauer
Commissioner Roger Logan

Roll Call

Council Absent: None

City Attorney Dave Smith
Chief Thomas Miller
City Clerk Julianne Crowley

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Pledge of
Allegiance

Commissioner Lauer moved that the minutes of the March 12, 1990 meeting be approved as recorded.
Seconded by Norman Collins.

Minutes 3/12/90
Meeting

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Logan moved that the payroll in the amount of \$16,157.09 and claims as listed be allowed:

Payroll And
Warrants

Ogle County Circuit Clerk, \$415.00
Postmaster, \$100.00
Moehle, Smith & Nieman, \$225.00
William T. Jenks, \$2,500.00
Steve Benesh & Sons Quarries, \$1,502.73
Shouer's, \$2.97
Badger Uniforms, \$19.08
Time Insurance Company, \$3,221.27
Eric Grover Tree Service, \$480.00
Bonnell Industries, Inc., \$6,062.00
N-I Gas Company, \$712.33
Ehmen Industries, \$60.39
Spangler's, \$439.99
Motorola, Inc., \$966.00
Thomas Miller, \$200.00
Petty Cash, Julianne Crowley, \$54.80
Dan's Goodyear Tire and Service Center, \$67.00
Quill Corporation, \$28.29
Seconded by Jim Lauer.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Lauer moved to go into Executive Session to discuss negotiating the acquisition of real property.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Executive
Session

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

(Minutes of Executive Session under separate file.)

Commissioner Lauer moved to reconvene to regular session.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Reconvene To
Reg. Session

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Collins moved that the City Council accept the bid of Douglas and Donna Harriett in the amount of \$5,500.00 to purchase real estate property located at 404 South Tenth St., Oregon, Illinois.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Accept Bid On
Real Estate
Property

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Joe Pendergast addressed the Council requesting permission to close the street for Jay's Days which will be held June 9, 1990. He requested the streets be closed Friday night to set up rides and Saturday for the event. This would be Second Street from Washington Street south to Jefferson Street. He would like the street to be closed about 3:00 or 4:00 P.M. on Friday afternoon. He will talk to the neighbors in that block.

Citizen Request

Commissioner Lauer advised the Council when brush pick up will be and also hydrant flushing dates.

Reports

Commissioner Lauer requested permission from the Council to order a truck for the Water Department from the State. This would be a one ton truck costing \$11,400.00. The total cost with a box would be approximately \$16,000.00. The deadline to order through the State is March 31, 1990.

Mayor Barnes reviewed a letter he received from Century 21 asking permission to place American Flags on the terraces of main thoroughfares in the City on July 4th. The Council agreed it was an excellent idea.

John Priller asked if Commissioner Lauer had looked into the possibility of tree replacement since the last council meeting. Commissioner Lauer advised that he has checked with some other communities. Commissioner Lauer suggested that he and Priller work together on this and maybe have a small committee to review reforestation in the City.

Citizens
Comments

Mrs. Brass complained to the Council about the repair of her private water line. She feels the City should have taken care of it.

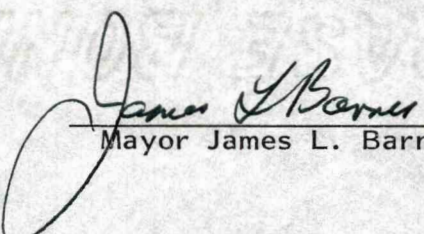
Frank Spielman questioned the Planning Commission meeting time and location. It will be at 5:30 P.M. on April 16, 1990.

Commissioner Crenshaw moved that the meeting be adjourned.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Adjournment

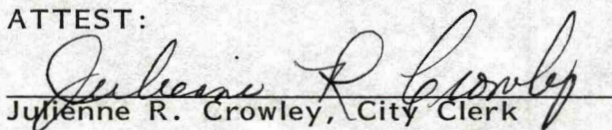
Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Adjourn: 7:50 P.M.



Mayor James L. Barnes

ATTEST:



Julienne R. Crowley, City Clerk