

COUNCIL MEETING
Monday January 26, 2009
City Hall Council Chambers

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday January 26, 2009, 7:00 P.M. City Hall Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor Thomas R. Stone, Sr.
Commissioner Jim Lauer
Commissioner Tom Miller
Commissioner Bob Rees
Commissioner Ken Williams
City Clerk Charlene Ruthe
Sergeant Randy Cropp
Attorney Paul Chadwick

Commissioner Tom Miller started the pledge of allegiance.

Commissioner Jim Lauer moved to approve the January 12, 2009 minutes,
Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Ken Williams moved to approve the payroll in the amount of
\$42,813.23 and claims as listed:

Amcore Bank, \$1,096.09
Byron Bank, \$950.66
Cintas, \$111.87
CMT, \$2,238.14
Dixon Ottawa Communications, Inc., \$598.00
Ehmen, \$175.47
Emmalyn Spickler, \$280.00
Engel Electric, \$417.75
Fyr-Fyter, Inc., \$412.65
Howard Lee & Sons, Inc., \$107.00
Illinois Assoc. of Chiefs of Police, \$225.00
James Taylor, \$1,495.00
MDES, \$10,333.07
MDES, \$23,333.33
Mid American Energy Co., \$7,548.81
Moring Disposal, \$13,470.00
Morton Salt, \$12,829.06
Oregon Area Chamber of Commerce, \$157.00
Pines Meadow, \$206.40
Polo Cooperative Assoc., \$4,239.28
Postmaster, \$437.40
Quill, \$240.56
Rockford Industrial Welding Supply, \$9.35
SBM, \$44.95
Steve Benesh & Sons, \$8,950.00
Stillman Banc Corp., \$3,026.53
US Cellular, \$49.62
Verizon, \$116.79
Verizon Wireless, \$495.59
Seconded by Commissioner Tom Miller.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Bob Rees moved to approve that the City extend wastewater service
North along Route 2 coordinated with the IDOT construction, Seconded by
Commissioner Ken Williams.

Discussion: Commissioner Tom Miller asked if we had a commitment from any of
the businesses. Commissioner Bob Rees said he has talked to Marty Bush the

Approved
minutes

Payroll/Claims

Approved to
extend waste
water along
Rt 2

Discussion

owner of the hotel and he is on board, Stillman Bank is, and a resident that lives along Route 2 has called and is interested in hooking on also.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Ken Williams handed out an actual verses budget for the first six month of the fiscal year.

Commissioner Bob Rees announced that the water department had a main break on South 8th Street last week.

Commissioner Jim Lauer announced that he will be bringing the street projects for this spring to the next council meeting for a vote. They will include resurfacing the 200 block of north Third Street in front of Conover Square and the South Third Street Parking Lot.

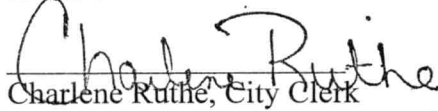
Mayor Tom Stone received a letter from Jim Coutts commending Officer Randy Cropp.

Commissioner Ken Williams moved to adjourn the meeting, Seconded by Commissioner Tom Miller.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

Adjourn: 7:20 P.M.

ATTEST:


Charlene Ruthe, City Clerk


Thomas R. Stone, Sr., Mayor

Cont-Rt 2
to extend
wastewater

Budget info

Commissioner
reports

Mayor
letter
received

Adjourn