

COUNCIL MEETING
Monday January 28, 2008
City Hall Council Chambers

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday January 28, 2008, 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
Attorney William P. Fearer, II
City Clerk Charlene Ruthe
Chief Darin DeHaan

Ken Williams started the pledge of allegiance.

Dan Fish, a candidate for Circuit Judge introduced himself and gave a brief summary of his history.

Glenn Stroh, who resides at 1009 S 3rd Street, asked the City Council when something would be done to the burned out Carnation Plant Building. He is complaining about the debris in the air and the smell. Chief Darin DeHaan said he has been in contact with the insurance company and they are in the litigation process so are unsure of length of time because several insurance companies are involved.

Commissioner Jim Lauer moved to approve the January 14, 2008 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 \$32,575.20 and claims as listed:

Accurant, \$30.25
Badge Printers of American, \$179.90
Berkeley Electric, \$1,783.00
Biller Press, \$175.17
Bonnell Industries, \$924.73
Chief Supply, \$49.99
Cintas, \$125.29
CMT, \$1,280.00
ComEd, \$808.27
Ehmen, \$107.95
Ehmen, \$2,759.53
Emmalyn Spickler, \$280.00
Freeport Press, \$403.50
Fyr-Fyter, \$355.65
Grainger, \$94.79
IDEOA, \$225.00
Illinois Correctional Ind., \$221.94
Illinois Lincoln Highway Coalition, \$70.50
McGyver Small Engine Repair, \$80.65
Mid American Energy Co., \$6,898.86
Moring Disposal, \$12,105.00
Morton Salt, \$3,611.91
MPH Industries, Ind., \$331.33
Ogle Co. Clerk & Recorder, \$26.00
Ogle Co. Life, \$15.00
Oregon Rotary Club, \$148.50
Oregon Snyder, \$9.74
Petty Cash, \$142.77
Postmaster, \$423.28
Roger Cain, \$1,800.00

Dan Fish,
candidate for
Circuit Judge

Questions
regarding
burned out
bldg

Approved
minutes

Payroll/Claims

SBM, \$42.00
Sound Sales, LTD, \$4,040.00
Stillman Bancorp, \$621.19
Suburban Laboratories, Inc., \$136.00
US Cellular, \$50.19
Verizon, \$48.20
Verizon Wireless, \$264.52
Wes's Tree Service, \$500.00
Woods Sporting Goods, \$7.00
Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Claims

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

Commissioner Tom Miller moved to approve the Plan Commission recommendation to approve Ordinance 1242-Land Completion of a Subdivision, Seconded by Commissioner Jim Lauer

Approved Plan
Comm rec-Land
Completion

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

Gene Stoll from MDES spoke about the streets in the city limits that are in need of maintenance. Commissioner Jim Lauer would like to set up a street dept. account for these maintenance projects and name it at the next council meeting, long with how it will be funded.

Street Dept
projects discusse

Commissioner Bob Rees introduced John Wartenbe, the new Water & Sewer Superintendent.

W/S Dept

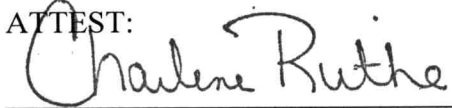
Commissioner Bob Rees moved to adjourn the meeting, Seconded by Commissioner Jim Lauer.

Adjourn

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

Adjourn: 7:30 P.M.


Thomas R. Stone, Sr., Mayor

ATTEST:

Charlene Ruthe, City Clerk