

October 12, 1981
Oregon, Illinois

The Council of the City of Oregon met in regular session Monday, October 12, 1981, 7 P.M., City Hall Building.

Present: James Barnes, Mayor and Commissioners Robert Aurand and Frank Svoboda.

Absent: Commissioners Norman Collins and James Ludwig.

Also present: City Clerk Julianne Crowley and Chief of Police Robert Jones.

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Svoboda moved that the minutes of the September 28, 1981 meeting be approved as recorded. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Said motion carried on roll call as follows: Ayes: Aurand, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Aurand moved that the payroll in the amount of \$10,398.67 and claims as follow be allowed: Julianne Crowley, cash advanced, legal expense and postage, \$13.88; Postmaster, postage, \$162.00; Sterling Business Machines, office supplies and equipment, \$299.35; Eby-Brown, police supplies, \$69.40; Amoco Oil Company, police car maintenance, \$80.15; C. H. Ehmen Industries, traffic light maintenance, \$30.15; Commonwealth Edison Company, power, \$1,107.51; Sidener Supply Company, water department equipment maintenance material, \$306.91; Allen Ebens, water department contract labor, \$70.00; Oregon Stone Quarries, street maintenance material, \$217.89; Welders Supply, street equipment maintenance, \$12.42; Pines Meadow Vet. Clinic, animal care, \$36.50; Rock Valley Disposal, refuse service, \$59.65; Della Long, janitor service, \$20.00; Bob's Shell, police car maintenance, \$33.10; Samuel Jackson Fusee Company, police supplies, \$152.56; P.E.P. Express, water department postage, \$10.50; Marv's Backhoe and Trenching, water department contract labor, \$200.00; Reach Electronics, Inc., parks, equipment repair, \$22.10; Fridley Motors, parks vehicle maintenance, \$44.00; Secretary of State, squad car license fees, \$16.00; Gary's Sunoco, police car maintenance, \$21.90; Oregon Home Appliance, disposal plant maintenance material, \$10.60; Continental Bank of Chicago, water-sewer bond and interest, \$4,975.08; Spangler Brothers, water department supplies, \$4.14; Ace Hardware, water department supplies, \$26.16; Sieg Illinois Company, police, parks, water department, vehicle maintenance, \$48.91; Fischers, office supplies, \$36.02; Dan's Sunoco, police, water department, vehicle maintenance, \$382.70; Basler's Gamble Store, parks, street, water departments, supplies, \$58.91; W. B. McCloud Company, pest control, \$30.90; Republican Reporter, office supplies, legal publishing, \$200.91; Continental Telephone Company, phone service, \$171.30; Knodle Oil Company, gasoline, \$1,341.56; Oregon Auto Supply, street, water departments, vehicle maintenance, \$35.28; Hough True Value Hardware, parks, street, water departments, supplies, \$174.90; McClure Engineering Associates, engineering services, \$10,643.53; Oregon Ambulance Service, City's cost per agreement for radio and transmitter installation, \$2,000.00; James Barnes, Mayor, additional expenses attending IML Conference, \$55.83; Frank Svoboda, Commissioner, additional expenses attending IML Conference, \$73.38; Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund, IMRF and Social Security, \$2,894.01; Lindgren, Callihan, Weaver and Van Osdol, Ltd., annual city audit, \$2,600.00. Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Said motion carried on roll call as follows: Ayes: Aurand, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved that Wednesday, November 11, 1981, Veterans Day, be declared a holiday for all city departments and that all personnel required to be on duty this date be allowed a day at some future time. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Said motion carried on roll call as follows: Ayes: Aurand, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Aurand moved that the City of Oregon enter into an agreement with McClure Engineering for the construction engineering on Phase III of the water main extension from Well No. 4 to the Reservoir for an amount not to exceed \$6,000.00. Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Said motion carried on roll call as follows: Ayes: Aurand, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Svoboda moved that Ordinance #855, an ordinance amending and supplementing Title 3, Chapters 1, 2, and 6, Sections 2, 4, 6, and 21, concerning water and sewer regulations of the City Code, introduced and filed for public inspection on September 28, 1981 be passed. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Said motion carried on roll call as follows: Ayes: Aurand, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

In compliance with the Subdivision Ordinance of the City Code, Engineers Willett, Hofmann and Associates, Inc., advised the council by letter that the street improvement requirements for 14th Street and Koontz Place located in Wright Subdivision No. 1 have been completed and are in compliance with the city subdivision regulations. Therefore, Commissioner Svoboda moved that Resolution #409, A Resolution to Accept the Streets Located in Wright Subdivision be passed. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Said motion carried on roll call as follows: Ayes: Aurand, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Leonard Bruns addressed the council to see what requirements he has to meet to have a parking lot at his wife's beauty shop at 110 North Fifth Street. Since Commissioner Ludwig is in the hospital in Indiana, Bruns will attend the next council meeting or contact Ludwig in the future.

Commissioner Collins instructed the Clerk to advise the council that an invitation for bids would be published to reroof the Coliseum Building with bid opening to be October 23, 1981 at 1:00 P.M., City Hall Building.

C. H. Ehmen, plumber for Progressive Graphics, had advised the Clerk that the water meters at Progressive had been installed to where several meters registered water usage individually and also had run through a large meter registering water usage again. He would like for the City to compensate Progressive Graphics for the water that had been double charged. Superintendent of Water Jake Ulferts was in attendance at the meeting and Commissioner Collins had been advised earlier of this situation. Superintendent Ulferts advised the Council that the city had not moved these meters. It had been done by a private plumber and his department had read the meters as listed on the city records, unaware that some of the water was double metered. He advised there had been several meters installed and moved over the years by a private contractor for Progressive Graphics. The Council instructed the Clerk to advise Ehmen to have the company owner attend the next council meeting with his request and complaint.

The Council instructed the Clerk to write the Fire Department and ask what their plans are for vacating the city hall building, advising them the city would like to have use of the complete building by May of 1982.

The Council instructed the Clerk to have a directive issued to all city departments that no city equipment or property is to be loaned out to individuals or contractors. If contractors wish to hire the city in an emergency situation, city employees may operate the equipment for them and the city will charge for the service.

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The Council discussed the response received from the Oregon Park District in regard to the property proposal of the southwest city property. Commissioner Aurand will respond to their letter.

There being no further business, Commissioner Aurand moved the meeting be adjourned. Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Said motion carried on roll call as follows: Ayes: Aurand, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.
Adjourn: 9:30 P.M.

MAYOR

ATTEST:

City Clerk