

COUNCIL MEETING
October 26, 1992

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, October 26, 1992 at 5:30 P.M., Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor James L. Barnes
Commissioner Robert Aurand
Commissioner Gerald Medlar
Commissioner John Priller
Commissioner Frank Svoboda

Council Absent: None

City Attorney David Smith
Chief of Police Thomas Miller
City Clerk Julianne Crowley

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Medlar moved that the minutes of the October 13, 1992 meeting be approved as recorded.
Seconded by John Priller.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Aurand moved that the payroll in the amount of \$18,766.99 and claims as listed be allowed:

IBM Corporation, \$291.82
Julianne Crowley, \$357.11
B. C. Energy & Service Company, \$1,728.38
Berry Bearing Company, \$4.01
Beesing Welding & Equipment Repair, \$59.60
Commonwealth Edison Company, \$5,044.01
Dan's Goodyear Tire & Service Center, \$54.00
Ehmen Industries, \$98.05
Government Finance Officers Association, \$95.00
Hach Company, \$66.70
Helsley Supply Company, \$100.74
Julie, Inc., \$98.02
Lunde Truck Sales, Inc., \$147.13
Marv's Backhoe & Trenching, \$650.00
Moehle, Smith & Nieman, \$740.00
Moring Disposal, Inc., \$20,507.35
Northern Illinois University, \$230.00
Mutual Wheel Company, \$26.00
Northern Illinois Gas Company, \$75.86
Oregon Fire Department, \$12.50
Oregon Ready-Mix, Inc., \$91.00
Oregon Chamber of Commerce, \$130.00
Pitney Bowes, \$59.75
J. H. Patterson Company, \$16.38
Smith Enterprises, \$52.69
Selig Chemical Ind., \$50.11
Sterling Business Machines, Inc., \$62.85
I. C. Webb & Associates, Inc., \$251.43
Wesley's Hobby Shop, \$111.00
Zarnoth Brush Works, Inc., \$71.40
Messenger Brothers Painting, \$1,670.00
Julianne Crowley, Petty Cash, \$116.02
Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved that the City purchase property at 412 South Tenth Street in the amount of \$12,500.00 for the purpose of possibly extending Adams Street to the west.
Seconded by John Priller.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Roll Call

Pledge of
Allegiance

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Payroll &
Warrants

Purchase
Property
Tenth St.

Mayor Barnes moved that the City purchase property from Charles Mongan, Jr. that adjoins property donated to the City from Grant Landis at Fairgrounds Estates Subdivision for the lift station. The cost for the property being \$2,000.00.

Purchase
Property
Mongan

Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Svoboda moved that the City accept the sanitary sewer line constructed by Dave Martin west of Mix Street, south of Monroe Street. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Accept
Sewer Line

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved to purchase a squad car from Heritage Motors for the amount of \$13,197.12.

Purchase
Squad Car

Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved that the application of Joseph Cassola, D/B/A Joe's Pizzeria, for a Class D and Class D-1 Beer and Wine License be approved. He further moved that a license be issued for the period November 1, 1992 through April 30, 1993 upon the receipts of the required license fee of \$350.00, information on dram shop insurance, written consents from adjoining property owners as required by ordinance.

Liquor Lic.

Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved that the application of Antonio Alfano, D/B/A Alfano's Pizza, for a Class D and Class D-1 Beer and Wine License be approved. He further moved that a license be issued for the period November 1, 1992 through April 30, 1993 upon the receipts of the required license fee of \$350.00 and written consents from adjoining property owners as required by ordinance.

Liquor Lic.

Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved to hire Erik Reed as a part time police officer for the City of Oregon with a probation period of one year. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Part Time
Police Officer

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved to hire John Mershon as a part time police officer for the City of Oregon with a probation period of one year. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Part Time
Police Officer

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Donna Mann addressed the Council requesting that the Council consider including Autumn on Parade weekend in the street vendor ordinance to keep the vendors in compliance with the AOP regulations.

AOP Request

Commissioner Medlar asked Attorney Smith to look into drafting a cat ordinance.

Reports

Commissioner Priller advised that the railroad tracks on First Street are going to be removed by the railroad. The main section to be taken care of is on First Street between Jefferson and Madison. He would like to take care of the crossings, then next year do all of First Street.

Kevin Askam of Moring Court addressed the Council with complaints about the sludge dumping at the disposal plant. He complained about the odor and wanted to know if the sludge had been tested before being put on the property. Svoboda advised that the City had an EPA permit and the requirements had been met. He wanted to know what was going to be done about the odor. Commissioner Svoboda advised that this is temporary as the sludge had to be put on the ground because of the disposal plant repairs being done at this time.

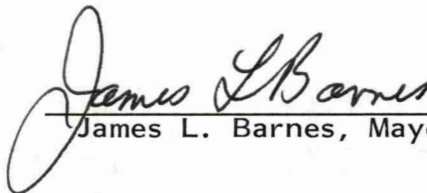
Complaint

Askam asked the Council if the Cub Scouts could clean up the park as a community service project. The Council agreed.

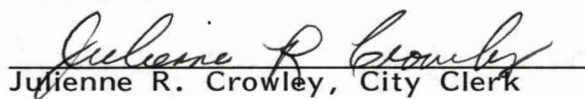
There being no further business, Commissioner Aurand moved that the meeting be adjourned.
Seconded by John Priller.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes. No nays.

Adjourn: 6:20 P.M.


James L. Barnes, Mayor

ATTEST:


Julianne R. Crowley, City Clerk

Request

Adjournment