

COUNCIL MEETING
Monday November 22, 2004
City Hall Council Chambers

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The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday November 22, 2004, 7:00 P.M.
Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor Thomas R. Stone, Sr.
Commissioner Thomas Izer
Commissioner Nicholas Johnson
Commissioner Bob Rees
Commissioner Jim Tegtmeyer
Chief Thomas Miller
City Clerk Charlene Ruthe
City Attorney Wendy Howarter

Mayor Tom Stone started the pledge.

A public hearing was held for the tax levy. The amount levied for this year is \$362,000.00 dollars. With no further comments or questions the public hearing was closed.

Public Hearing
on Tax Levy

Commissioner Nick Johnson moved to approve the November 8, 2004 minutes,
Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Approved
Minutes

Roll Call: Izer, Johnson, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Thomas Izer moved to approve the payroll in the amount of \$26,837.00 and claims as listed:

Payroll/Claims

Amcore Bank, \$1,096.09
ARC Design, \$3,068.25
AT&T, \$97.40
Bemis Motors, \$1,065.05
Bills' Radiator, \$164.00
Bonnell Industries, \$21.70
City of Dixon Water Department, \$135.00
CMT, \$11,061.75
ComEd, \$3,047.27
Dan's Tire & Service Center, \$301.25
Ehmen, \$1,625.03
Eller & Willey Block Co., \$32.00
Frinks, \$1,460.00
Fyr-Fyter, Inc., \$64.95
Galls, \$71.67
Grover's, \$1,440.00
Haines & Company, \$207.50
Don Heller, \$256.00
IIMC, \$545.00
Illinois Municipal League, \$336.00
M&M Supermarket, \$65.06
Martin & Co., \$32,640.00
Mobile Electronics, \$50.00
Motorola, \$214.42
NAPA, \$3.57
National Assoc. of Chiefs of Police, \$50.00
National Waterworks, \$451.94
Ogle County Newspaper, \$65.00
Oregon Lawn & Farm, \$14.29
Steve Orsted, \$180.00
PDC Laboratories, \$105.00
Petty Cash, \$136.38
Pitney Bowes, \$73.94
Polo Cooperative Assoc., \$5,061.40
Quill, \$244.62
Rabine Paving, \$520.00

Ray O'Herron Co., \$57.35
RHSCCTC, \$125.00
Sam's Club, \$898.26
Sam's Club, \$105.60
Emmy Spickler, \$220.00
Streichers, \$68.90
Tate's Trenching, \$1,020.00
The Pool Guy, \$64.80
US Cellular, \$58.82
Verizon Wireless, \$79.98
Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Roll Call: Izer, Johnson, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Thomas Izer moved to approve Ordinance No. 1209 Tax Levy,
Seconded by Commissioner Nick Johnson.

Roll Call: Izer, Johnson, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Bob Rees moved to approve Ordinance No. 1210 to abate the tax on
the Obligation Bonds, Seconded by Commissioner Thomas Izer.

Roll Call: Izer, Johnson, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Jim Tegtmeyer introduced an Ordinance on Historical Preservation
at the last council meeting. This ordinance was referred to the Plan Commission.

No bids were turned in to purchase the property at 307 Jefferson Street. One bid to
demolish the building was turned in from Cantel Communications in the amount of
\$22,300.00 dollars. The bid was rejected by the council. The Fire Department has
been having training at this location. The council will reintroduce demolish at a
future date.

Commissioner Nick Johnson reminded citizens that the last yard waste & brush
pickup is November 29th.

Commissioner Jim Tegtmeyer thanked the Street Department Employees,
Candlelight Walk, Oregon Park District, Chamber of Commerce, Sinnissippi, and
all the volunteers for helping put the decorations up in the downtown.

Two of the "Welcome to Oregon" signs have been put up and the third permit has
been approved.

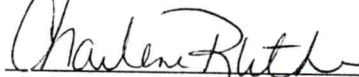
Mayor Tom Stone asked the Commissioners and Department Heads to come up
with a wish list for the next year of things that are needed or need to be replaced.

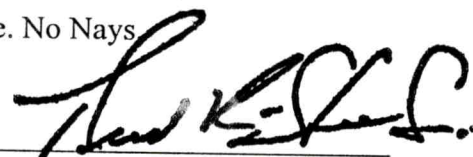
Commissioner Bob Rees moved to adjourn the meeting, Seconded by
Commissioner Thomas Izer.

Roll Call: Izer, Johnson, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays

Adjourn: 7:30 P.M.

ATTEST:


Charlene Ruthe, City Clerk


Thomas R. Stone, Sr., Mayor

Claims

Ord#1209
Tax Levy

Ord#1210
Abate Tx on
OB Bonds

Ord. Historical
Pres-Plan Comm

Bid rejected
on 307 Jefferson
Street Apts.

Last Yard
Waste & Brush
Pickup

Christmas
Decorations

Welcome Signs

Mayor Report

Adjourn