

COUNCIL MEETING
NOVEMBER 25, 2002

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday November 25, 2002, 7:00 P.M.
Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor Mike Arians
Commissioner Tom Izer
Commissioner Gerald Medlar
Commissioner Bob Rees
Commissioner Tom Stone
City Clerk Charlene Ruthe
Attorney Wendy Howarter
Chief Thomas Miller

Charlene Ruthe started the pledge.

Commissioner Bob Rees moved to approve the November 12, 2002 minutes,
Seconded by Commissioner Thomas Izer.

Approve minutes

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Gerald Medlar moved that the payroll in the amount of \$22,672.82
and claims listed be allowed:

payroll/claims

ARC Design, \$260.00
Beesing Welding, \$4,785.83
Richard Bocker, \$155.00
Brian Bemis Auto Mall, \$325.73
Byron Blacktop, \$132.00
ComEd, \$2,518.46
EMC, \$8,994.10
Ecolab, \$83.50
Ehmen, \$332.80
Ehmen, \$4,867.01
FedEx, \$15.71
Henson Electric, \$4,950.00
Holland & Sons, \$125.32
Illinois Municipal League, \$324.00
L&K Electronics, \$1,440.00
Lask Roofing & Siding, \$5,450.00
John Mershon, \$84.32
Municipal Code Corp., \$403.76
Myers Concrete, \$9,512.75
NICOR, \$164.90
Petty Cash, \$149.10
Pitney Bowes, \$293.25
Postmaster, \$150.00
Postmaster, \$366.85
Roadhouse, \$619.35
Emmy Spickler, \$120.00
State Chemical Manufacturing Co., \$140.47
Streichers, \$23.85
Teska, \$9,846.04
US Cellular, \$115.06
Verizon, \$38.09
Verizon Wireless, \$448.67
Zarmoth Brush Works, Inc., \$122.00
Seconded by Commissioner Tom Stone.

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Gerald Medlar moved to table Ordinance No. 1182 to update the
liquor license section for further information, Seconded by Commissioner Thomas
Izer.

Tabled Ord#1182

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

The Council meetings and holidays for 2003 were handed out to the council and also given to the media.

The audit for May 1, 2001 thru April 30, 2002 was handed out for the council to review.

Vic Perillo was present to get the councils approval on bringing a film production to Oregon. He would like to film in Oregon and audition people from here to play the parts. Certain streets might need to be closed for the production and also the use of the police department would be needed. The consensus of the council was for him to move forward with the process.

Marica Heuer, Chamber of Commerce Director would like to thank the City Clerk and her staff for helping to sell the city ornaments.

The Council discussed leaf pickup and leaf burning. The last pickup for leaves was today and the burning ordinance states that November 30th of each year is the last day to burn. Moring Disposal was contacted to see if they would have one more pickup in December. They would like to keep the schedule that is currently in place and not have a pickup in December. The Mayor asked that the City Clerk keep a record as to how many people have called in with complaints about getting rid of their leaves after the last scheduled leaf pickup.

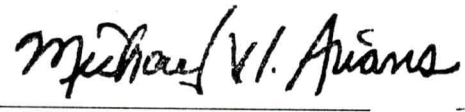
The Council discussed that any dwelling with more than two apartments possibly be required to get a dumpster for garbage pickup. It was brought up that some buildings do not have enough room for the dumpster on their property. Would the city want the dumpsters set on the terrace or the street? These were two of the main questions that would need to be considered if the city would require a dumpster. The Mayor asked if the City Attorney would research this issue.

The City Clerk thanked everyone that has helped sell the city calendars. Also the December Council meetings are December 2nd and the 16th.

Commissioner Gerald Medlar moved to adjourn the meeting, Seconded by Commissioner Thomas Izer.

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

7:40 P.M.


Mike Arians, Mayor

ATTEST:

Charlene Ruthe, City Clerk

Holidays/
Council mtg
2003

Handed out
Audit

Film Production

Chamber report

Leaf burning
discussed

Garbage
concern
discussed

Clerks report

Adjourn