## COUNCIL MEETING December 12, 1994

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, December 12, 1994, 5:30 P.M., Council Chambers.

Mayor James Barnes Present:

> Commissioner Robert Aurand Commissioner Gerald Medlar Commissioner John Priller Commissioner Frank Svoboda

Council Absent: None

City Attorney Dave Smith Chief of Police Thomas Miller City Clerk Julienne Crowley

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Medlar moved that the minutes of the November 28, 1994 meeting be approved as recorded. Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Priller, Svoboda, Barnes.

Commissioner Aurand moved that the payroll in the amount of \$19,923.41 and

claims as listed be allowed:

Advance Tank & Construction Company, \$19,017.00

Albrecht Well Drilling, Inc., \$55,303.00

Boes Excavating, \$77,395.64

Ogle County Treasurer, \$207.00 Strong-Bilt, \$8,099.88

Willett, Hofmann & Associates, \$6,001.26

Advance Tank & Construction Company, \$11,837.00

Willett, Hofmann & Associates, \$7,494.70

Gregory-Anderson, \$20,964.76

Central Management Services, \$6,515.30

Time Insurance, \$150.00

A. McCloud, Sr., \$25.00

Basler's, \$562.32

Bemis Motors, \$20.03

Ben Franklin, \$4.70

Big John, \$60.00

Business Records Corp., \$8,300.00

Dynamic Horizons, \$25.00

Ehmen, \$4,236.25

Fischers, \$19.34

Jos. D. Foreman, \$26.16

Great Lakes Air Gas, \$14.28

GTE, \$670.68

Helsley Supply Company, \$105.61

Hoyle Road Equipment, \$935.65

Illinois Municipal League, \$264.00

Illinois Municipal League Risk Management Assoc., \$39,863.00

Merlin's, \$62.00

Merrill's Service Center, \$249.23

Myers Concrete Construction, \$6,676.60

NAPA Auto Parts, \$584.70

Oregon Snyder Pharmacy, \$6.72

Oregon Stone, Inc., \$146.01 Oregon Super Valu, \$107.97

Parkside Uniforms, \$36.25

Reed's True Value, \$39.05

Seling Chemical Industries, \$131.65

Sidener Supply Company, \$67.00

Sieg Auto Parts, \$67.91 Steiner Electric Company, \$46.17

Sterling Business Machines, \$70.82

Stocking Equipment, \$21.84

The Feed Store, \$49.14 Verdin, \$335.00

Wesley's Hobby Shop, \$67.20

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance

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Payroll & Warrants Continued

B.C. Energy & Service Company, \$1,425.36 James Barnes, \$200.00 Doris Kennay, \$326.75 Postmaster, \$400.00 James Barnes, \$49.23 Seconded by Gerald Medlar

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

Mayor Barnes moved that the City Departments observe the following holidays for 1995: January 2, 1995 for New Year's Day; January 16, 1995, Martin Luther King's Day; February 20, 1995, Presidents Day; April 14, 1995, Good Friday, May 29, 1995, Memorial Day; July 4, 1995, Independence Day; September 4, 1995, Labor Day; October 9, 1995, Columbus Day; November 10, 1995, Veterans Day; November 23, 1995, Thanksgiving Day; November 24, 1995, day after Thanksgiving; December 25, 1995, Christmas Day. Seconded by Robert Aurand.

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

Commissioner Aurand moved that Ordinance #1065, Tax Abatement on the Alternate Revenue Bonds, be passed. Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

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

Commissioner Svoboda moved that Resolution #558, a resolution retaining Willett, Hofmann & Associates as engineers for the Woods Equipment Company project, be passed.

Seconded by Robert Aurand.

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

Mayor Barnes moved that Attorney Dennis Schumacher be retained to prosecute city police cases as per the submitted contract. Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

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

Mayor Barnes advised that he would like each Commissioner to submit a name to him for the burning regulations committee.

Mayor Barnes advised that he met with Attorney Tom Burney in Chicago in regard to the HUD complaint against the City. Burney will ask for a thirty days extension in responding and the City will provide whatever information the HUD investigator is asking for.

A Public Hearing was held in compliance with the Truth-In-Taxation Act on the Tax Levy. Commissioner Aurand explained the levy increases. Resident Don Tutor opposed the tax increase. No other comments noted.

Commissioner Aurand moved that Ordinance #1064 - Tax Levy, be passed. Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Medlar, Svoboda, Barnes. Nays: Priller.

There being no further business, Commissioner Aurand moved to adjourn. Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

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

Adjourn: 6:00 P.M.

Julienne R. Crowley, City Clerk

James L. Barnes, Mayor

1995 Holidays

Ord. #1065 Tax. Abate. on Bonds

Res. #558 Retain Eng. Woods Project

Retain Attorney

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Public Hearing Ord. #1064

Adjournment