

COUNCIL MEETING
December 23, 1991

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, December 23, 1991 at 5:30 P.M., Council Chambers.

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

Council Absent: None

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

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Svoboda moved that the minutes of the December 9, 1991 meeting be approved as recorded.
Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

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

Commissioner Aurand moved that the year end payroll in the amount of \$2,821.32 and that the payroll in the amount of \$19,775.99 and claims as listed be allowed:

Steve Benesh & Sons Quarries, \$3,676.05
Business Records Corp., \$673.60
Commonwealth Edison, \$6,638.24
W. S. Darley & Company, \$16.17
Disney Educational Productions, \$280.00
Moehle, Smith & Nieman, P.C., \$1,755.00
Emmitt Martin Backhoe Service, \$1,347.20
Illinois Municipal League, \$264.00
W. B. McCloud & Company, \$178.42
Mid-West Associated, Inc., \$17.21
Municipal Clerks of Illinois, \$20.00
Max Newcomer, \$483.00
Northern Illinois Gas Company, \$856.11
Ogle County Sheriff's Department, \$240.00
Oregon Super Valu, \$26.58
Pineway Super Market, \$11.76
Postmaster, \$200.00
Selig Chemical Industries, \$71.37
Sidener Supply Company, \$80.90
Spanglers, \$56.00
Sterling Business Machines, Inc., \$386.00
Utility Equipment Company, \$23.07
The I.T. Verdin Company, \$315.67
Illinois Dept. of Corrections, \$16.00
Callaghan & Company, \$83.32
Doris J. Kennay, \$144.90
Dixie USA, Inc., \$715.97
James Barnes, \$56.57

Seconded by John Priller.

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

Mayor Barnes moved that the liquor license application submitted by B & C Paschke, Inc., D/B/A Gerald P's Lounge, located at 117 South Fourth St., be approved and upon receipt of the Articles of Incorporation, a copy of the building lease, certificate of insurance and the required fee, a license be issued for the period of January 1, 1992 through April 30, 1992 for a Class A & A-1 License. The required fee being \$450.00 for the four month period. The license will be issued upon the surrender of the current license of Gerald Pontnack for that location.
Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

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

Roll Call

Pledge of
Allegiance

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Payroll And
Warrants

Liquor Lic.
Application

Chief Miller advised that in the last four years the policy manual for the police department was changed to where every council member had to approve the policies that were being made or amended. Prior to the change in 1989, it was up to the Commissioner of Public Affairs and Chief of Police to amend or change the manual. The council agreed that the policy should be changed back to the appropriate commissioner and Chief of Police. A motion to amend the procedure will be ready for the next meeting.

Police
Manual

The Council discussed the Mix Street Project and the proposed engineering agreement and decided to table any action on it until there was a dollar amount included and until a specific plan was proposed.

Mix Street

Attorney Smith advised that from what he can determine from the old deeds it appears that the storm drains are on the property of Washington Corner and he feels that the City has the right to go in there and control the type of grate that is put over them. Commissioner Svoboda advised that his department went in there and put on a grate that had a hole in it and it seems that it has solved the problem

Storm Drain
Problem

Mayor Barnes advised that he had received an anonymous \$1,000.00 donation toward the renovation of the depot.

Donation For
Depot

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

Adjournment

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

Adjourn: 6:00 P.M.



Mayor James L. Barnes

ATTEST:



Julianne R. Crowley, City Clerk