

COUNCIL MEETING
April 14, 1997

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, April 14, 1997, 5:30 P.M.,
Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor James Barnes
Commissioner Robert Aurand
Commissioner Chrissie Myers
Commissioner Ted Suneson

Roll Call

Council Absent: Commissioner Gerald Medlar

City Attorney Dave Smith
Chief of Police Tom Miller
City Clerk Julianne Crowley
Charlene Ruthe

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Pledge of
Allegiance

Commissioner Suneson moved that the minutes of the March 24, 1997 meeting
be approved as recorded.
Seconded by Chrissie Myers.

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Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Myers, Suneson, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Aurand moved that the payroll in the amount of \$17,371.39
and claims as listed be allowed:

Payroll &
Warrants

E.M.C., \$11,707.16
Rockford Blacktop, \$1,402.49
Jim Barnes, \$350.00
Central Management Services, \$5,411.98
Time Insurance, \$184.00
AT&T, \$22.46
Badger Uniforms, \$244.71
Basler's, \$38.92
Bemis Motor, \$20.03
Big A Auto Parts, \$65.76
Com. Ed., \$6,283.22
Dan's Goodyear, \$6.50
Decker Drug, \$135.06
Darin DeHaan, \$318.24
E.M.C., \$21,980.87
Ehmen, \$277.86
Fischers, \$12.68
Flower Patch, \$40.00
Gall's, Inc., \$40.97
GTE Mobilnet, \$240.10
GTE, \$451.67
Hoyle Road Equipment, \$93.98
Ideal Uniform Service, \$26.35
L&K Electronics, \$2,869.00
Law Enforcement Equipment Company, \$764.85
Maintenance Products, Inc., \$103.47
Neil Minnis, \$14.00
Moring Disposal, \$22,851.39
Morton Salt, \$2,585.74
Municipal Clerks of Illinois, \$60.00
Mutual Wheel Company, \$19.25
Myers Concrete, \$3,850.00
NAPA Auto Parts, \$414.56
National Fast-Cut Industries Supply, \$85.74
Northwest IL. Criminal Justice Commissioner, \$500.00
Ogle Co. Youth Service, \$5,000.00
Oregon Super Valu, \$53.29
Peterson Computer Tech., Inc., \$184.79
Pines Meadow Vet. Clinic, \$60.85
Rockford Blacktop, \$3,784.25
Rock River Ford, \$170.42
Dennis Schumacher, \$2,529.52
State of Illinois, \$2,500.00
Sterling Business Machines, \$531.80
Utility Equipment Co., \$1,071.02
Willett Hofmann & Assoc., \$953.06

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Payroll & Warrants Continued

Jim Woolbright, \$2,118.10
Yellow Bird Senior Citizens, \$5,000.00
Margie Sommers, \$257.00
Petty Cash - Julianne Crowley, \$92.45
B.C. Energy & Service Co., \$1,201.52
Richard Condon & Assoc., \$175.00
Postmaster, \$400.00
Seconded by Ted Suneson.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Myers, Suneson, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes proclaimed May 1, 1997 Day of Prayer.

Mayor Barnes advised that the cost for a special census will be \$24,500.00. He will check to see what the per capita amount is that we collect on taxes and get back to the Council to see if it would warrant the special census.

Attorney Smith advised the Council he received a request from Brad Kloepping in regard to his proposed car wash on River Road to sign an agreement with the City to build the additional sewer line from the west side of his property to River Road when it becomes necessary for additional development. The Council denied the request, stating that the line would have to be installed according to the original agreement.

Donna Mann gave a presentation on the progress of the "Blackhawk Rock 'N River Fest", which is scheduled for June 7, 1997. She asked for the City's support in closing some streets, providing garbage dumpsters and barricades and funding of \$250.00 for entertainment. The Council agreed.

Donna Mann asked the Council to attend a Project Oregon Partnerships in Education Business & Education Forum to be held April 26, 1997 at Nash Recreation Center..

A representative from Oregon Bowl requested permission to have Post Prom at Oregon Bowl, as it has been in the past. A resolution will be drawn up to allow the event on May 17, 1997.

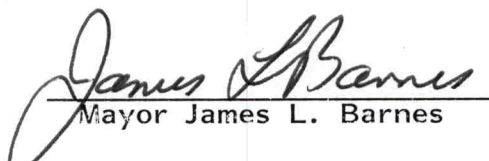
There being no further business, Commissioner Aurand moved to adjourn. Seconded by Chrissie Myers.

Roll Call: Ayes: Aurand, Myers, Suneson, Barnes. No nays.

Adjourn: 6:15 P.M.

ATTEST:


Julianne R. Crowley, City Clerk


Mayor James L. Barnes

Proclamation

Census

Citizen
Request

Festival

Seminar

Post Prom

Adjournment