

COUNCIL MEETING
May 9, 1988

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, May 9, 1988 at 7:00 P.M.,
Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor James Barnes
Commissioner Norman Collins
Commissioner Gail Crenshaw
Commissioner Jim Lauer
Commissioner Roger Logan

Council Absent: None

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

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Collins moved that the minutes of the April 25, 1988 meeting
be approved as recorded.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Logan moved that the payroll in the amount of \$14,649.75
and claims as listed be allowed:

Julianne Crowley, \$71.42
Illinois Municipal Treasurers Association, \$20.00
Municipal Treasurers Association of U.S. & Canada, \$65.00
James Barnes, \$61.85
Norman Collins, \$19.00
Oregon VFW Post #8739, Inc., \$114.00
Sterling Business Machines, \$718.92
Motorola, Inc., \$98.24
Ogle County Sheriff's Department, \$240.00
Oregon Chrysler Plymouth, \$11.50
Law & Order, \$15.00
Law Enforcement Equipment Company, \$38.00
Eby-Brown Company, \$166.10
West Publishing Company, \$191.50
Dan's Sunoco, \$151.65
Big John, \$55.00
Moring Disposal, \$11,035.42
American Hotel Register Company, \$88.42
Myers Testing & Equipment, \$52.50
Oregon Auto Supply, \$258.03
Patten Tractor & Equipment Company, \$49.65
Hank's Shop, \$16.00
Sieg Illinois Company, \$2.81
Ehmen Industries, \$106.96
Oregon Stone, Inc., \$1,803.27
Cecil B. Wood, Inc., \$110.75
Commonwealth Edison, \$2,003.34
Spangler's, \$205.30
IBM Corporation, \$599.00
Basler's Hardware, Inc., \$52.14
McClure Engineering Associates, Inc., \$6,744.85
Hough True Value Hardware, \$58.38
B. C. Energy & Service Co., \$1,219.45
Contel. of Illinois, Inc., \$576.77
American Water Works Association, \$53.00
Business Records Corporation, \$673.20
Marv's Backhoe & Trenching, \$225.00
Gary's Sunoco Service, \$10.50
Orkin Exterminating Company, Inc., \$65.00
Utility Equipment Company, \$33.49
W. S. Darley & Company, \$17.53
Seconded by Norman Collins.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Roll Call

Pledge of
Allegiance

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Student Government Council Members Kathy Lauer, Peggy Long and Charity Schwartz were in attendance. Kathy Lauer advised the Council of their recommendation for the bicycle ordinance as follows:

1. Ban bikes from the downtown sidewalks through business hours.
2. Place bike racks at the library, town square and by the pool.
3. Penalties - First offense - go talk to parents and see if the parents can't handle it. Second offense or more - confiscate the bikes and have the parents come and get it.
4. They do not feel that bikes should be banned from the downtown street area at all.

Commissioner Logan advised he feels that the present ordinance is sufficient. Commissioner Collins agreed with Commissioner Logan but would like to see a few minor amendments, such as contacting the parents on the first offense and the confiscation on any offense after that. Attorney Smith will make the changes on the proposed ordinance and present it at the next meeting.

Commissioner Logan moved that Ordinance #957, an ordinance adding Chapter 4, Article XIV - Tax Abatement, introduced and filed for public inspection on April 25, 1988, be passed.
Seconded by Norman Collins.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Lauer moved that Ordinance #958, an ordinance amending Chapter 10, Article III, "Parking", introduced and filed for public inspection on April 25, 1988, be passed.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Logan moved that Resolution #489 be passed.
Seconded by Norman Collins.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes moved that Resolution #490 be passed.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Commissioner Crenshaw moved that McClure Engineering Associates be authorized to obtain an EPA permit on behalf of the City of Oregon for an extension of the First Street watermain southward from the intersection of Adams Street and First Street. She further moved that the Mayor and City Clerk be authorized to sign the application for the said watermain extension permit.
Seconded by Roger Logan.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Mayor Barnes proclaimed May 20 and 21st, 1988 Poppy Day in Oregon.

Oregon VFW Post Commander Jim Patrick presented Chief Miller a citation in appreciation of his services for the City of Oregon on behalf of the Oregon VFW Post #8739.

Mayor Barnes introduced Carl Swon, representative of Continental Telephone Company, advising that he would be attending some of the council meetings and if anyone has any problem with Contel, he will be available to assist them.

The Council approved the issuance of a raffle license to Oregon Men's Slow Pitch Soft Ball Association.

Ken Giese, Coliseum Board Chairman, gave a report on the various improvement projects being done at the Coliseum.

Chief Miller advised that it is National Police Week and the department will be attending and participating in the celebration at Cherry Vale Mall this weekend.

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Commissioner Logan advised that the City did change group insurance coverage from Time Insurance to Central Life Insurance Company because of the premium increase of Time Insurance and Delta Dental Insurance.

Mayor Barnes asked how the Council felt about advertising for bids to sell the grand piano at the Coliseum. The Council agreed.

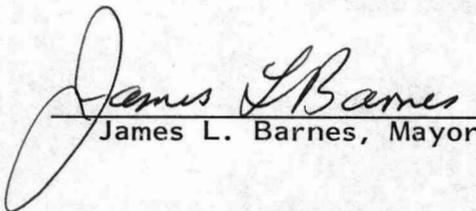
Mayor Barnes advised that the Carefree 4-H Club had planted flowers at Mix Park, Kiwanis Park and the Oregon Coliseum.

Commissioner Logan advised after reviewing the draft for the Bed and Breakfast Ordinance, he felt it should be confined to residential dwellings and would like to see the Council adopt the state code plus a few additions but not too many.

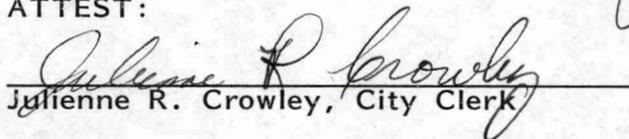
There being no further business, Commissioner Logan moved that the meeting be adjourned.
Seconded by Jim Lauer.

Roll Call: Ayes: Collins, Crenshaw, Lauer, Logan, Barnes. No nays.

Adjourn: 7:55 P.M.


James L. Barnes, Mayor

ATTEST:


Julienne R. Crowley, City Clerk

Adjournment
