

COUNCIL MEETING
May 26, 1992

The Council of the City of Oregon met Tuesday, May 26, 1992, 5:30 P.M., Council Chambers.

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

Roll Call

Council Absent: Commissioner Frank Svoboda

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

Mayor Barnes opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Pledge of
Allegiance

Commissioner Priller moved that the minutes of the May 11, 1992 meeting be approved as recorded.
Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

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

Commissioner Aurand moved that the payroll in the amount of \$18,752.55 and claims as listed be allowed:

Payroll And
Warrants

Julianne Crowley, \$300.00
Bemis Motor Company, \$34.02
Clark, Boardman, Callaghan, \$92.41
Commonwealth Edison, \$4,409.34
Ehmen Industries, \$637.21
Moehle, Smith & Nieman, P.C., \$120.00
Hometown Newspapers, \$209.76
Hoyle Road Equipment Company, \$78.10
Illinois Dept. of Corrections, \$27.75
Jonas Martin, \$63.00
Moring Disposal, Inc., \$18,877.29
Mid-West Associated, Inc., \$32.83
Northern Illinois Gas Company, \$463.76
Pitney Bowes Credit Corporation, \$256.00
J. H. Patterson Company, \$184.90
Quality Industries, Inc., \$1,798.40
Sidener Supply Company, \$559.76
Sreco Flexible Sewer Rodding Equipment Company, \$54.44
Sterling Business Machines, Inc., \$42.50
Verdin Company, \$38.50
Viking Chemical Company, \$735.63
I. C. Webb & Associates, Inc., \$8.33
Emmitt Martin Backhoe Service, \$5,003.00
Seconded by John Priller.

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

Commissioner Aurand moved that the City advertise for bids for the painting of the water storage tank, with bids to be opened June 18, 1992 at 11 A.M. in the Council Chambers.
Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

Adv. For
Bids-Water
Tank

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

Mayor Barnes moved that the City advertise for bids for the Wastewater Treatment Plant improvements with bids to be opened on June 18, 1992 at 11:30 A.M., Council Chambers
Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Adv. For
Bids-Disposal
Plant

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

Commissioner Medlar moved to approve the Planning Commission recommendation regarding the fairground property.
Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Planning
Comm.
Recommend.

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

Commissioner Aurand moved to amend the payroll and warrant motion to include the Emmitt Martin Construction warrant.
Seconded by John Priller.

Amend
Warrant
Motion

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

The Council advised that they have no objection to Dave Kitzmiller volunteering for the fire department but he is not to use a city vehicle to respond to a call.

Reports

Commissioner Aurand advised that our group medical insurance rates would be going up July 1, 1992.

Commissioner Aurand advised that he was going to look into getting a package together with needed capital improvements to finance, perhaps by issuing working cash bonds.

Mayor Barnes advised that at one time the Council had talked about entering into an intergovernmental agreement with the Park District and levying a museum tax and asked if the Council would like to do that. The Commissioners agreed to pursue this.

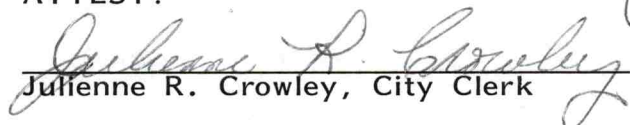
Commissioner Aurand advised that the Council gave the approval for Willett, Hofmann Engineers to go over the plans on the disposal plant work for the price of \$7,000.00. Aurand stated that Supt. Warrenfeltz was concerned that they were not making the changes necessary. That Willett, Hofmann was afraid of being sued by McClure if they made changes. Warrenfeltz stated that they would make minor deletions but would not make any major changes. Attorney Smith advised that Willett, Hofmann Engineer Bernie Klingenberg should be asked to come to the next meeting to clarify their position on this matter.

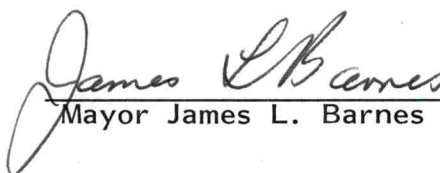
Commissioner Medlar moved that the meeting be adjourned.
Seconded by Robert Aurand.

Adjournment

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

ATTEST:


Julianne R. Crowley, City Clerk


Mayor James L. Barnes