

COUNCIL MEETING
MAY 28, 2002

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The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday May 28, 2002, 7:00 P.M. Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor Mike Arians
Commissioner Tom Izer
Commissioner Gerald Medlar
Commissioner Tom Stone
City Clerk Charlene Ruthe
Attorney Wendy Howarter
Chief Thomas Miller

Wendy Howarter started the pledge.

Mayor Mike Arians read a Proclamation for motorcycle awareness proclaiming the month of May 2002 as motorcycle awareness.

Proclamation
Motorcycle
awareness

Debbie Dickson director of AOP would like to start the line up for the parade a block west so instead of starting on 6th Street and Jefferson they would like to start on 7th Street and Jefferson. This would allow further expansion of the farmers market. Mike Bowers will contact someone from IDOT to see if this would be a problem. Each year a permit needs to be applied for from IDOT regarding the parade route.

AOP Parade
route

Commissioner Tom Stone moved to approve the May 13, 2002 minutes, Seconded by Commissioner Gerald Medlar.

Approve
minutes

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Thomas Izer moved to approve the May 13, 2002 executive session minutes, Seconded Tom Stone.

Approve Exe
minutes

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Gerald Medlar moved that the payroll in the amount of \$19,194.38 and claims listed be allowed:

Payroll/claims

Alerts, \$594.00
ARC Design, \$1,327.50
Bemis Motors, \$569.60
Bonnell Industries, \$293.66
Budget Lock & Key, \$27.95
Byron Blacktop, Inc., \$264.00
Cintas, \$50.90
ComEd, \$2,483.80
Randy Cropp, \$300.00
Dan's Goodyear, \$675.88
Betty Ferris, \$433.75
G&S Tree Service, \$360.00
Gall's, Inc., \$159.95
Hawthorn Suites, \$252.52
Spinello Locksmiths, \$377.55
Moring Disposal, \$9,345.00
Mr. K's, \$164.97
Ogle Co. Collector, \$13.74
Ogle Co. Life, \$35.20
Oregon Park District, \$50.00
Parkside Uniforms, \$80.24
Police Chief's Budget Advisory, \$49.00
Pomps, \$272.00
Quill, \$75.94
Rogers Ready Mix, \$42.00
The Ultimate Party Band, \$900.00
US Cellular, \$176.05

West Group, \$170.00
Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Gerald Medlar moved to approve Resolution No. 634 protesting the reduction of the State Income Tax and Photo Processing, Seconded by Commissioner Thomas Izer.

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

The Plan Commission recommendation to rezone Water Street from Webster to Gale Street was tabled for further information.

Mayor Mike Arians met with Mike Burris from CMT to discuss the driveway problem at 102 S 10th Street owned by Todd Myers. A camera was run to make sure that the settlement was not due to failure of the pipe. Ehmen ran the camera through and they did not find anything unusual with the pipes everything looked normal. The project to replace the orange berg pipe was completed in August of 1999. In October of 2000 the Myers put in a blacktop driveway. March of 2002 the resident noticed that a sink hole was developing in the middle of his driveway. Todd Myers questioned why they ran the new sewer line up the driveway. This is probably where the original pipe was, so to save on the cost it was ran in the same place. This was tabled for a map from Todd Myers to show where the sewer connection comes from the house.

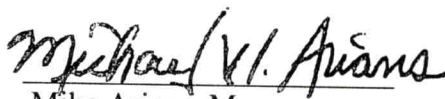
Commissioner Thomas Izer has received complaints regarding the parking of vans, trucks, and SUV at the intersections in the downtown area. These two areas in question already have signs indicating no parking of trucks or vans. They do not address SUV's. A suggestion was made to have a height requirement rather than no trucks or vans. No action was taken at this time.

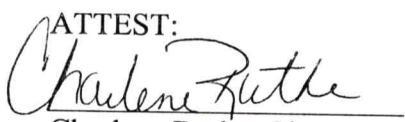
Commissioner Bob Rees announced that the alumni group worked hard at the Depot. They worked on refinishing the wood work.

Commissioner Gerald Medlar moved to adjourn the meeting, Seconded by Commissioner Thomas Izer.

Roll Call: Izer, Medlar, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

7:40 P.M.


Mike Arians, Mayor

ATTEST:

Charlene Ruthe, City Clerk

Claims

Res#634
Protesting
reduction of
St Income Tx

Tabled Pl
Comm Rec

Todd Myers
driveway
problem
discussed

Commissioner
report

Adjourn