

COUNCIL MEETING  
July 28, 1986  
Monday, 7:00 P.M., City Hall Building

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, July 28, 1986 at 7:00 P.M., Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor James Barnes  
Commissioner Norman Collins  
Commissioner Elma Braden  
Commissioner James Ludwig  
Commissioner Frank Svoboda

Roll Call

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

Pledge of  
Allegiance

Commissioner Svoboda moved that the minutes of the July 14, 1986 meeting be approved as recorded.  
Seconded by James Ludwig.

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Said motion carried as follows: Ayes: Collins, Braden, Ludwig, Svoboda, Barnes.

Commissioner Collins moved that the payroll in the amount of \$12,713.30 and claims as follow be allowed:

Payroll & Warrants

John Lindhorst, \$1,800.00  
James Barnes, \$23.00  
Conover Square Bakery, \$125.00  
James Barnes, \$12.50  
Flower Patch, \$48.00  
Julienne Crowley, \$126.53  
Julienne Crowley, \$47.16  
Explorer Post III, \$43.25  
Max Newcomer, \$1,649.06  
Carl E. Killion & Assoc., \$420.44  
Moehle, Smith & Nieman, \$166.66  
Municipal Code Corporation, \$2,000.00  
Jonas Martin Well Drilling Company, \$401.12  
Turnroth Sign Company, Inc., \$2,100.00  
Rock Valley Shopper, \$21.00  
James E. Wilson, \$4,753.00  
N. C. Anderson, \$423.00  
Sterling Business Machines, \$57.85  
George Poe Trees and Turf, \$977.55  
Jeff Whitsell, \$210.98  
Ray O'Herron Company, Inc., \$324.21  
Realistic Training Systems, \$63.00  
Bemis Motor Company, \$199.40  
Isham's Body Shop, \$25.00  
Time Insurance Company, \$1,930.35  
Myers Ready Mix, \$976.60  
Oxford Chemicals, \$56.43  
Pitney Bowes Credit Corporation, \$126.00  
Spangler's, \$226.05  
J. H. Patterson, \$505.23  
Blake Brothers Automotive, \$471.80  
Bruce Municipal Equipment, Inc., \$207.84  
Hach Company, \$36.77  
I. C. Webb & Assoc., Inc., \$89.40  
Utility Equipment Company, \$1,367.87  
Marv's Backhoe & Trenching, \$775.00  
N-I Gas Company, \$349.62  
Aqualab, Inc., \$54.00  
Sidener Supply Company, \$892.13  
Frank G. Svoboda, \$127.40  
Mercantile Trust Company, \$173.40  
John Lindhorst, \$900.00  
Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Mayor Barnes questioned two bills to be paid, one to Myers Ready Mix for the driveway approach for Hartzells on South Third Street and one for Svoboda for mileage. After discussion, it was voted on to approve the warrants.

Said motion carried as follows: Ayes: Collins, Braden, Ludwig, Svoboda, Barnes.

Commissioner Collins moved that Ordinance #925, Appropriation Ordinance, introduced and filed for public inspection on July 14, 1986 be passed. He further moved that the City Clerk be instructed to place a notice in the Republican Reporter newspaper July 29, 1986 advising the general public that said ordinance is being published in pamphlet form and that copies are available at the office of the City Clerk during normal business hours upon request.

Seconded by Elma Braden.

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Ordinance #925  
Appropriation Ord.

Said motion carried as follows: Ayes: Collins, Braden, Ludwig, Svoboda, Barnes.

Commissioner Collins moved that Ordinance #926, levying a tax to provide Working Cash funds for the City of Oregon commencing on the 1st day of May, 1986 and ending on the 30th day of April, 1987 be passed. He further moved that the City Clerk be directed to file one certified copy of said ordinance with the County Clerk of Ogle County.

Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

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Ordinance #926 -  
Working Cash Ord.

Said motion carried as follows: Ayes: Collins, Braden, Ludwig, Svoboda, Barnes.

Commissioner Collins moved that Ordinance #927, levying taxes for all corporate purposes of the City of Oregon for the fiscal year May 1, 1986 and ending April 30, 1987 be passed.

A discussion followed the motion. A citizen questioned the levy for Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund, expressing his opinion that the fund balance was high enough and a tax should not be levied. The Council agreed to eliminate the levy.

Said motion carried as follows: Ayes: Collins, Braden, Ludwig, Svoboda, Barnes.

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Ordinance #927  
Tax Levy

Howard Fox presented a plan for a tree survey and recommendation for the city. Commissioner Ludwig moved to enter into an agreement with Howard Fox to do a tree survey and recommendation. The cost not to exceed \$3,000.00.

Seconded by Norman Collins.

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Tree Survey

Said motion carried as follows: Ayes: Collins, Braden, Ludwig, Svoboda, Barnes.

Engineer's Report:

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1. Estimated costs for following water mains: Seventh Street from Webster south to Route #2. Loop Seventh to Eighth Street with 6 inch line south of Pines Road to Atwoods. Loop Eighth to Thirteenth Street to Well #4 line. Total Cost: \$87,000.00.

Fifth Street water line from Jefferson Street to Madison Street, \$25,000.00.

Mix Street - \$8,400.00 - \$4,500.00 to be reimbursed by Dave Martin. Cost: \$3,900.00.

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The Council agreed to proceed with the above listed projects for an estimated cost of \$120,000.00.

Mayor and Commissioners Reports:

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Commissioner Ludwig:

1. Would like the Council to review the street excavation bond limits. He would like to raise them.

Commissioner Svoboda:

1. Discussed waiving hook on fees to residents when the new water lines are installed for those who hook on during a limited time period. The Council agreed.

Commissioner Braden:

1. Advised the Council that Steve Tieman was demanding a jury trial on a dog ticket. The Council agreed to proceed with it.

Mayor Barnes:

1. Advised he had received a letter from a resident who had driven his car into a hole at Franklin and Second Street. He inquired whether this was city property and part of the roadway. The engineer will check the location and advise.

Commissioner Collins:

1. Called for a meeting at 5:00 P.M., Tuesday, July 29, 1986, City Hall, to discuss raises.

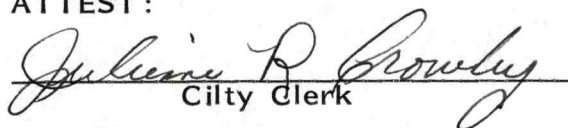
There being no further business, Commissioner Braden moved that the meeting be adjourned.  
Seconded by Norman Collins.

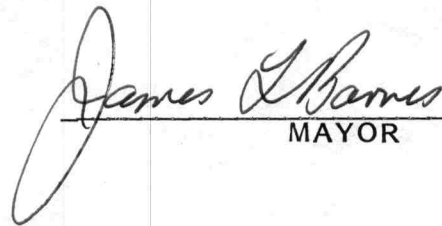
Adjournment

Said motion carried as follows: Ayes: Collins, Braden, Ludwig, Svoboda, Barnes.

Adjourn: 8:35 P.M.

ATTEST:

  
City Clerk

  
MAYOR