

COUNCIL MEETING
Monday August 23, 2010
City Hall Council Chambers

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday August 23, 2010, 7:00 P.M. City Hall Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor Thomas R. Stone, Sr.
Commissioner Jim Lauer
Commissioner Tom Miller
Commissioner Bob Rees
Commissioner Ken Williams
City Clerk Charlene Ruthe
Chief Darin DeHaan
City Attorney Paul Chadwick

Commissioner Bob Rees started the pledge of allegiance.

Mayor Tom Stone read letters of Commendation for Joe Brooks and Josh Fillers. Officer Josh Fillers assisted Cpl. Joe Brooks on an arrest July 31st that resulted in recovering twenty-six grams of cocaine and six grams of cannabis.

Commissioner Bob Rees moved to approve the August 9, 2010 minutes, Seconded by Commissioner Jim Lauer.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Ken Williams moved to approve the payroll in the amount of \$31,991.24 and claims as listed:

Blackhawk Lumber, \$9.16
Butitta Bros., \$43.66
Byron Bank, \$23.70
Byron Bank, \$104.97
Chana Saw & Stove, \$73.74
City of Oregon, \$20,000.00
Comcast, \$89.90
Dynamic Horizons Computer Service, \$65.00
Emmalyn Spickler, \$280.00
Fearer & Nye, \$333.33
Frontier, \$123.18
Harms Landscape, \$1,759.00
Illinois Municipal League, \$240.00
James Taylor, \$80.00
Lindgren, Callihan, Van Osdol & Co., \$9,835.00
Martin & Company, \$806.52
MDES, \$5,230.07
MDES, \$29,247.26
Mike Bowers, \$101.94
Mike Bowers, \$27.50
Municipal Code Corp., \$400.00
NAPA, \$249.76
Ogle County Collector, \$122.03
Oregon Rotary Club, \$903.00
Oregon Super Valu, \$11.92
Pines Meadow, \$392.30
Polo Cooperative Assoc., \$4,748.25
Postmaster, \$88.00
Rock River Outfitters, \$50.00
Rock River Ready Mix, \$93.00
SBBM, \$54.00
Secretary of State, \$99.00
Sjostrom & Sons, \$212,351.28
Steve Benesh & Sons, \$12,850.00
Stillman BancCorp, \$8,864.00
US Cellular, \$49.74

Letters of
Commendation
for Police
Officers

Approved
minutes

Payroll/Claims

Verizon Wireless, \$268.56
Seconded by Commissioner Tom Miller.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

The Technical Amendment to Utility Tax Ordinance No. 2010-105 has been put on hold.

Commissioner Tom Miller moved to approve Ordinance No. 2010-101 Rooming House Ordinance, Seconded by Commissioner Ken Williams.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

A Proclamation for "Tootsie Roll Days" September 10th and 11th was read by Mayor Tom Stone.

Commissioner Tom Miller moved to go approve the Raffle License for AOP Tractor Classic, Seconded by Commissioner Ken Williams.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Williams, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Tom Miller and Casper Manheim, the Building Inspector, have been working on six properties in the city limits that need to be either condemned or brought up to code.

Commissioner Ken Williams handed out the audit for everyone to review before the next meeting.

Commissioner Bob Rees had picture of the plant upgrade.

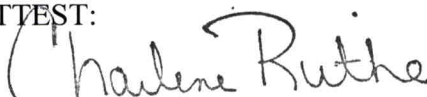
Commissioner Jim Lauer thanked the Street Department guys for cleaning up the area where the swimming pool was located. It's been leveled off and seeded. Grass is already starting to grow.

Commissioner Jim Lauer moved to adjourn the meeting, Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Roll Call: Lauer, Miller, Rees, Stone. No Nays.

Adjourn: 7:20 P.M.

ATTEST:


Charlene Ruthe, City Clerk


Thomas R. Stone, Sr., Mayor

Ord. put on hold

Approved Ord. Rooming Houses

Tootsie Roll Days

Approved Raffle for AOP

Properties in question

Handed out Audit

Pictures

Thanked St Dept.

Adjourn