

COUNCIL MEETING
September 13, 1993

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday, September 13, 1993,
5:30 P.M., Council Chambers.

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

Council Absent: None

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

Commissioner Svoboda moved that the minutes of the August 23, 1993
meeting be approved as recorded.
Seconded by John Priller.

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

Commissioner Aurand moved that the payroll in the amount of \$23,080.94
and claims as listed be allowed:

Marvin Alderks Tire Service, \$52.50
B. C. Energy & Service Company, \$1,173.26
Badger Meter, Inc., \$350.00
Basler's Ace Hardware, \$304.83
Bemis Motor Company, \$17.03
Big John Portable Toilet, \$60.00
Branson Electric Company, \$749.80
Central Management Services, \$4,549.92
Commonwealth Edison, \$1,730.64
Clark Boardman Callaghan, \$346.13
Frank Cook, \$90.00
Daily Analytical Laboratories, \$105.00
Diversey Corporation, \$336.97
Eby-Brown, \$35.16
Eller & Willey Block Company, \$110.40
EZ-Liner Industries, \$86.95
Ehmen Industries, \$869.23
Fischers, \$34.61
GTE North, \$633.50
Theresa Shows, \$58.95
Hoyle Road Equipment, \$156.00
Kishwaukee College, \$6.75
Lindgren, Callihan, Van Osdol & Company, \$7,230.00
Merrill Service Center, \$73.92
Mott Brothers, \$33.00
Municipal Clerks of Illinois, \$30.00
Municipal Code Corporation, \$918.29
Northwestern Illinois Municipal Clerk, \$20.00
Oregon Auto Parts, \$228.67
Oregon Country Club, \$32.20
Oregon Ready Mix, \$68.25
Oregon Stone, Inc., \$1,564.26
Oregon Super Valu, \$80.53
Pines Meadow Veterinary Clinic, \$38.20
Pitney Bowes, \$148.50
G. L. Sassaman Construction, \$247.50
Sidener Supply Company, \$40.94
Sieg Auto Parts, \$27.09
Spectrum Printing, \$54.00
Systems Concrete Lifting, \$300.00
Time Insurance Company, \$149.00
Illinois D.A.R.E., \$20.00
Moring Disposal, Inc., \$20,663.81
Petty Cash-Julianne Crowley, \$140.43
James Barnes, \$700.00
Julianne Crowley, \$500.00
Gerald Medlar, \$700.00
Municipal Clerks of Illinois, \$25.00
John Priller, \$700.00
Frank Svoboda, \$700.00
Frank Svoboda, \$49.92
Robert Jones, \$160.67

Roll Call

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Payroll And
Warrants

Seconded by Gerald Medlar.

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

Commissioner Medlar moved that the request from McDonalds for a sign variance be denied.

Seconded by John Priller.

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

Commissioner Svoboda advised that the Fairground's water mains have had two positive tests and as far as the sewer is concerned, they will be televised next week. The lift station is not acceptable at this time. Civil Engineers is to be contacted by Attorney Smith and be given two weeks to complete the project.

Commissioner Priller moved to approve the expense of \$2,350.00 to Bonnell Industries to remove rust and paint the street department's 1977 Chevrolet truck, as outlined in their proposal.

Seconded by Robert Aurand.

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

Commissioner Priller moved to accept the proposal by Myers Concrete for the construction of street and parking area in front of Conover Square of \$5,600.00.

Seconded by Robert Aurand.

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

Mrs. Howard Karper advised that she had talked to Frank Svoboda about her large water bill and Frank advised he would bring it up at the council meeting. Attorney Smith advised that the outside reader was defective and when it was replaced, the inside reader had registered correctly which caused that large usage to be shown. Attorney Smith advised her that the home owner is responsible for what water goes through the meter. Attorney Smith advised this was not a council problem. He feels that Commissioner Svoboda, City Clerk and Karpers can work out a payment schedule.

Mayor Barnes advised that a company is going to build on Pines Road and we would be advertising for bids for the water line.

Mayor Barnes advised that the City wants to get certified by October 13 with the FCC in regard to cable rates.

Moe Kielsmeier questioned when the sewer was going to be cleaned in his area of North Second Street. Commissioner Svoboda advised it would be cleaned.

Commissioner Priller moved to go into Executive Session to discuss employment for the street and water departments.

Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

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

Minutes of Executive Session under separate file.

Commissioner Priller moved to reconvene to regular session.

Seconded by Robert Aurand.

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

Commissioner Priller moved to hire Raymond Hawn for the street department and Steve Coomer for the water department with a starting salary of \$17,500; in 90 days an additional \$1,000.00 and in six months salary to go to \$20,000.00; require a physical with back x-ray; positions to be on a six month probation period.

Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

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

McDonald's
Request

Reports

Repair Truck

Conover
Square Street
& Park. Area

Citizen
Complaint

Reports

Exec. Session

Reconvene to
Reg. Session

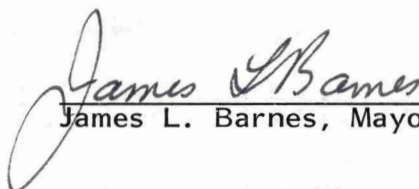
Hire
Employees

Commissioner Aurand moved that the meeting be adjourned.
Seconded by Frank Svoboda.

Adjournment

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

Adjourn: 7:00 P.M.


James L. Barnes, Mayor

ATTEST:


Julianne R. Crowley, City Clerk