

**CITY OF BROOKINGS
COMMON COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
City Hall Council Chambers
898 Elk Drive, Brookings, OR 97415
December 20, 2000
7:00PM**

I. CALL TO ORDER

Council President Larry Curry called the meeting to order at 2:00PM.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Administrative Secretary Sharon Ridens

III. ROLL CALL

Council Present: Council President Larry Curry, Councilors Frances Johns and Lorraine Kuhn, a quorum present.

Council Absent: Mayor Bob Hagbom and Councilor Keith Pepper, both excused

Staff Present: City Manager Leroy Blodgett and Administrative Secretary Sharon Ridens.

Media Present: Chuck Hayward, Curry Coastal Pilot

Other: Councilor Elect Rick Dentino, and approximately 7 other community citizens

IV. ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS/FINAL ORDERS

A. Ordinances

1. *Approval of Ordinance No. 00-O-542, an ordinance to repeal Ordinance No. 00-O-541, which adopted a procedure for processing claims for compensation made pursuant to Article I, Section 18, Oregon Constitution as amended by Initiative Measure 7.*

Council President Curry states reason for special Council Meeting to consider repealing Ordinance No. 00-O-541, which was adopted on December 5, 2000, as a procedure for processing claims for compensation made pursuant to Article I, Section 18, Oregon Constitution as amended by Initiative measure 7. A proposed ordinance was provided to Council by packet in advance. Curry asked for City Manager Blodgett to provide an overview of the ordinance.

Blodgett informed Council the original ordinance had been drafted quickly to meet the December 7, 2000, deadline stated in Measure 7. Since then, Measure 7 has had an injunction placed on it. Therefore, pending a law suit from 1000 Friends on any cities having such an ordinance in effective, the League of Oregon Cities recommended all cities repeal their ordinance pertaining to Measure 7 and then draft a new ordinance later. Our City

Attorney John Trew agreed.

Council President Curry asked for any discussion from the Council or comments from the audience. There was no discussion from the Council. Ray Passley of 16005 Carson Lane, Brookings spoke in favor of Measure 7. Herbert Sanders of 916 Easy St, Brookings, also made comments on Measure 7.

Council President Curry advised in accordance with the City's Charter, Chapter VIII, Section 31, the Council may adopt an ordinance at a single meeting by the express unanimous vote of all council members present and entitled to vote, provided the ordinance is read first in full and then by title. He then asked City Manager Blodgett to read the ordinance in full. Blodgett read Ordinance No. 00-O-542 in full. There was no further discussion.

Councilor Johns moved, Councilor Kuhn seconded, and the Council voted unanimously to have the second reading of Ordinance No. 00-O-542, in the matter of an ordinance to repeal Ordinance 00-O-541, be read by title only.

Curry asked Blodgett to read the ordinance by title only. City Manager Blodgett did so. There was no discussion.

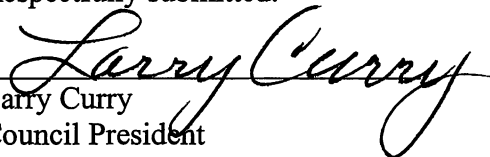
Councilor Kuhn moved, Councilor Johns seconded, and the Council voted unanimously to adopt Ordinance No. 00-O-542, in the matter of an ordinance to repeal Ordinance No. 00-O-541, which adopted a procedure for processing claims for compensation made pursuant to Article I, Section 18, Oregon Constitution as amended by Initiative Measure 7.

Council President Curry advised the ordinance was adopted.


XII. ADJOURNMENT

Councilor Johns moved, Councilor Kuhn seconded, and the Council voted unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 2:13PM.

Respectfully submitted:


Larry Curry
Council President

ATTEST:


Randy Reed
Finance Director/Recorder