

SPECIAL MEETING OF
Canby City Council, November 26, 1962.

The meeting was called to order by the Mayor at 8 p.m.

Roll Call: Present - Mayor Oliver and Councilmen Giger, Graham, Housen, Onion, Read and Stefani. Absent - None.

Others Present: Sup't Cox, Asst Sup't Bentz, Acting Police Chief Lindsay, Fire Chief Christiansen, Attorney Bettis, Cemetery caretaker Yoder, Civil Defense Director Harper and 31 citizens representing various departments of civil defense or in the interest of civil defense and public safety.

Mayor Oliver announced the purpose of the meeting to closer correlate the phases of the civil defense program with each other and with the City Council. The Mayor announced that Director Harper's recent election to the City Council would necessitate the appointment of a new director. After those present identified themselves in behalf of civil defense activities, Director Harper outlined the program in Canby as follows: Public Utilities under the direction of Lee Cox; Fire Protection under Norman Christiansen; Policing under Burt Lindsay; Police Reserve under Clayton Yoder; Registration and Inquiry under the BPW direction of Evelyn Johnson and Natalie Burns; Red Cross under Richard Heinz; Communications under Emmett Roberts and Gene Newton; Food Conservation under the Lions Club with Hal Fish as Chairman; Mass Feeding under the Grade school cooks with Mrs. ~~Tom~~ Marvin as chairman; Transportation and Salvage under the JC's with Bob Peoples as chairman; Petroleum Conservation under Virgil Giger and Public Relations under Tom Gerber.

Policies and practices for the closer relationship of the various departments with the director and Council was discussed at length, including better radio frequency tie-ins and combining the activities of the BPW with the Red Cross.

Director Harper Reported on the prospects of having a 200 bed hospital with 30 day emergency equipment and supplies, to be located in the old grade school building. That will necessitate training men to set up and maintain the equipment and a staff of doctors, nurses, aids, cooks etc., Harper said.

Sup't Cox reported that a visit to the surplus property depot in Salem revealed that the City's hold order on an auxilliary power unit had not been received and that the available unit had been released to a Madford hospital, but that another unit might be transferred to this area from Idaho.

The names of Col. Rudolph Stewart and Frank Roberta were submitted as possible appointees for director. Mayor Oliver and Councilman Read agreed to contact these men in regard to their availability and acceptance. A suggestion was made that a deputy director be appointed to assist the director.

Mayor Oliver commended the civil defense units which participated in the Columbus Day disaster. He also commended those present for the good representation of departments at the meeting and the progress made toward a better local organization.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:40 p.m.

Earl Oliver
Mayor

Richard
City Recorder