

REGULAR MEETING OF  
Canby City Council, May 1, 1961.

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

Roll Call: Present - Mayor Oliver, Councilmen Giger, Graham, Housen, Markee, and Stefani. Absent - Councilman Anderson.

Others Present - Supt. Cox, Police Chief Younce and Fire Chief Christiansen.

Minutes of the meeting of April 17 were read and approved.

A letter from Bonneville Power Adm. announcing its daylight saving time schedule, was read and noted, and the financial report for Urban Planning to Mar. 31, was read.

A letter from the Oregon Internment Assn, advising against the use of bronze markers in cemeteries, was read and discussed. The Council decided that it would not be in the best interest of the cemetery and its patrons to change the rules which stipulate the use of granite and marble. Councilman Stefani recommended that those persons who were known to be contemplating the purchase of bronze markers, be notified by letter of existing regulations.

Suggested amendments to Senate Bill #487 were discussed and the Council decided to stand on its previous registered objections to the bill.

Councilman Anderson arrived at the meeting at 8:25 p.m.

Mr. Walter Schmeiser appeared before the Council, requesting a trailer permit for a 10 x 55 foot trailer to be placed near the City limits on S.E. 4th Street. The Council reviewed the trailer ordinance and after considerable discussion, it was moved by Councilman Anderson, seconded by Graham and carried unanimously that a six months temporary permit be granted and that the Ordinance be complied with, with respect to sanitation etc.

Monthly reports were read by the Fire Chief, Police Chief, City Supt. and Recorder. The Recorder reported on the Traffic Court Conference which he attended in Eugene. Supt. Cox reported the Hydronix Co. was not able to furnish the sewage pump as per bid, so a similar pump was secured from Cornell Mfg Co and installation was reported as nearing completion.

The Supt. reported an application from Newport Const. Co. for power delivery service, near the west city limits, to operate a rock crusher. The installation was being made at Newport Co. expense.

A letter from Southern Pacific was read, approving a previous request for a blacktop walk across the right-of-way on Elm Street.

Supt Cox read a letter of appreciation from the Methodist Church for street and parking improvements in that area.

A motion was made by Councilman Giger, seconded by Markee and carried unanimously by roll call vote, that claims against the City be approved and warrants drawn on the Treasurer in payment thereof.

Attorney Bettis arrived at the meeting at this time.

Ordinance No. 438, AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO STREET LIGHTING RATES, COMMERCIAL LIGHTING AND POWER RATES, COMMERCIAL WATER AND SPACE HEATING RATES, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 370 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY, was read on final reading. It was moved by Councilman Giger, seconded by Anderson and carried unanimously by roll call vote that Ordinance No. 438 be adopted and made a part of the City laws.

It was moved by Councilman Stefani, seconded by Giger and carried unanimously that the City Park lights be paid by the City along with the street lights and that the Canby Lions Club be billed for the metered monthly useage at the ball park at a straight 7 mil. rate, to reimburse the general fund.

Frank Kendall appeared before the Council to exhibit revised plans for relocating the library in the present fire station, renovating the council chambers and constructing a building to house fire equipment at the rear of the City Hall. The Council reviewed the plans and recommended minor changes.

Councilman Giger reported on an insurance committee meeting April 26, and a meeting with the Rural Fire Board. The fire board approved a \$30 per month salary rise for the Fire Chief effective July 1 as previously approved by the Council.

Councilman Stefani reported the roads in Zion Cemetery have been regraded and leveling of the unimproved section was in process.

Park Commissioner Graham reported that a continued study of the park near the Molalla River indicated that flooding conditions made improvements useless. It was suggested that a sinking fund be started for the financing of future park development.

Police Commissioner Housen reported that a publicity program for the proposed charter amendment providing for City licensing, was being complied.

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

Supplement to minutes of May 1, 1961.

The Council agreed that City employees should be paid on the sixteenth and first days of each month unless either of those days or the last working day of a pay period should fall on a week end. In such cases, employees would receive their pay on the first work day after the week end.