

Regular meeting of December 24, 1957.

Council was called to order by Mayor Dedman at 8 pm. Roll call, present; Councilmen Anderson, Beck, H. Giger, V. Giger and Pond. Absent Oathes. Also present was Attorney Bettis, Supt Dunn and Recorder Lawrence.

Communications were read from State Board of Health. Recorder is to send copy to Dr. Dinsmore asking him to attend convention.

Recorder read Cemetery and Records Court reports. ( see files for reports)

Mr. Hawkins appeared before council asking for an extension of time to hook up to sewer. Mr. Hawkins is to be notified later of the councils decision.

Report from the Chairman of the Committee for New Fire Truck H. Giger. Their recommendation is to purchase the American LaFrance, cab ahead truck for \$20,953.00.

Beck moved, 2nd by Pond that the report of the Committee for Fire Truck bid be accepted and the city accept the bid of the American LaFrance Corp for their truck at cost of \$20,953.00. After considerable discussion between the council, American LaFrance and Roneys representatives, the motion was carried unanimously.

The Recorder was instructed to return bonds and checks to other bidders, with letter thanking them for their bids, and to hold the American LaFrance Corp. check until the truck is delivered and accepted. Delivery date is to be 120 calendar days after contract is signed by both parties.

Recorder spoke on city hall problems. The city light books have never been audited( stated by two representatives from Bonneville Power Admn), meter books have numerous errors, subject of paid holidays for city employees. He requested permission to hire a part time employee for approximately two weeks to help catch up with the log of work.

H. Giger moved, 2nd by Beck that the Mayor and Recorder execute contract with the American LaFrance Corp for the purchase of fire apparatus, described in their bid and that the contract be made subject to an adoption of an city ordinance directing execution of the contract. Motion carried.

Beck moved, 2nd by Pond that the light dept books be audited by Mr Derr in January 1958 for one year. Motion carried.

H. Giger moved, 2nd by Beck that the Recorder be authorized to hire temporary help for about two weeks to straighten up meter books. Motion carried.

Pond moved, 2nd by Beck that any employee to be hired by the city be required to produce at least 2 current letters of recommendations. Motion carried.

Chief Younce made Police report. Chief Christiansen made Ambulance and Fire report.

H. Giger moved, 2nd by Beck that the city pay one third of purchase of a ten HP motor for the fire boat for the Fire Dept. Motion carried.

Beck moved, 2nd by Pond that the bills be paid and warrants drawn on the treasury. Motion carried.

Supt. Dunn made report on proposed changes in speed zones, etc.

1. 25 mile zone S. Elm be changed to 20 mile zone from Hiway to SW 6th.
2. Post 20 mile zone on SW 4th from S. Elm west to Pacific Hiway.
3. Post slow signs on SW 2nd and SW 3rd between S. Elm and S. Ivy.
4. Post 20 mile zone all 4 sides Wait Park.
5. Post 20 mile zone & school zone on NW 4th from N Grant to N. Cedar.
6. Place Stop signs on Wait Ave at N Ivy and N Juniper.
7. Place "Checked by Radar" on all streets coming in and leaving town.
8. Place City Limit signs where required.

Anderson moved, 2nd by Beck that the report be accepted and posted. Motion carried.

Supt Dunn gave report on specs and plans for vault.

Beck moved, 2nd by Pond that the council accept plans and specs by Supt Dunn and notice for bids be published in local paper. Motion carried.

Mayor Dedman appointed Beck, Chairman, V. Giger, Anderson and Dunn on Water well system for city.

Discussion on Yoder working for cemetery and police at same time during Younces vacation. After investigation it was found that Yoder was not paid during this period for any police work.

Beck moved, 2nd by H. Giger that the sum of \$250.00 be transferred from General Emergency Fund to the Park Fund. Motion carried.


Attorney Bettis read 1st reading of Ordinance 406( Contract between City and American LaFrance Corp.)

H. Giger moved, 2nd by Beck that Ordinance 406 be accepted at 1st reading and ordered posted at 3 public places for a period of 14 days. Motion carried. A special meeting for December 18th will be held for the purpose of the final reading of this ordinance.

Beck moved, 2nd by V. Giger that the city extend hook up date for Mr. Hawkins until October 1st 1958, providing that he pays his sewer charge at April 1st 1958, and the Recorder notify him by letter. Motion carried.

H. Giger moved that the meeting be adjourned, 2nd by Beck. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 11.30 pm.

  
Bertha Dedman  
Mayor,

  
F.G. Lawrence  
Recorder