

Regular Meeting
Monday, April 16-1956

A regular meeting of the Council was held on Monday, April 16 and called to order at eight o' clock, P.M.

Present: Mayor Eversole, Atty. Bettis, the Recorder and Councilmen Anderson, Beck, Hill, Hulbert, Kraft and Oathes.

The minutes of the previous meeting of April 2 were read and on motion, seconded and carried declared approved.

Communications and Petitions

Communication signed by Fred Saxton, President of the Lions Club, relative to the proposed forming of a "Community Council" for the purpose of discussing and carrying out important projects for the welfare of the citizens of Canby, and announcing a meeting to be held on Monday, April 30 in the Canby Library room.

Letter from the Insurance Bureau, stating that the closing of Grant street over the So. Pacific tracks would have no bearing on the present or future grading of Canby, as to insurance rates.

Copy of P.U.C. Order No. 34468 fixing the speed thro' Canby of S.P. trains on the main track at a maximum of 50 miles per hour and 15 on passing and switching tracks. Also ordering the City to install street lights at the Elm Street crossing, expense of installation and maintenance to be borne by the City.

Furthermore ordering the So. Pacific Co. to install at the Ivy Street crossing and Elm Street crossing-flashing light signals, one half the expense to be paid by the R.R. Co. and one half by the City, except that if Canby closes the Grant Street crossing to the public, the entire cost to be at the expense of the S.P. Co.

(see copy of Order in files for other details)

The following petitions were then presented to the Council:

To construct a Sanitary Sewer in the alley between NW 5th. Avenue and NW 4th. Avenue, from North Fir St. to North Cedar st. and south along North Fir st. to the sewer lateral in Block 16 of Canby; signed by twenty property owners interested.

To install sanitary sewer service on Ferry Road, from Virginia Avenue to Wait Avenue; signed by G.E.Decker, Joe McCormick and Earl Oliver.

Whereupon it was moved by Oathes, seconded by Hulbert and carried, that the above mentioned sewer petitions be approved and the engineers be instructed to furnish plans and estimates.

The Recorder then read a petition or complaint relative to unsanitary condition prevailing at No. 421 SW 6th. Avenue and an outside toilet at 608 So. Elm street.

In this connection, on motion by Beck, seconded by Hulbert and carried, the Recorder was instructed to advise the property owners that these conditions must be corrected immediately, in accordance with Ordinance No. 360.

It then appearing, that from time to time, requests are received for the use of the second story room in the City Hall, on motion by Hill, seconded by Oathes and carried, it was voted not to act favorably to such requests as to holding regular meetings of any organizations.

It was then moved by Oathes, seconded by Hill and carried, that the Cutsforth Market state liquor application be approved, without added expense.

Mayor Eversole then stated that at this time he would like to appoint, with the approval of the Council, Glen Cutsforth to serve on the Budget Committee in place of Archie Markee, resigned. (no objection)

It was then moved by Beck, seconded by Oathes and carried, that the Telephone Co. be requested to install a phone at the Cemetery office.

It was then moved by Beck, seconded by Hill and carried, that notices to dog owners be printed and copies be mailed out with the Light and Water bills.

The matter of the application of Messrs. Arestad and Dreher for the City's utilities service for their five acre tract adjacent to Canby on the north was then taken up and the following motion was presented:

Moved by Oathes, seconded by Kraft and carried, that Arestad & Dreher be notified, that if they will apply for annexation to Canby as to their proposed five acre sub-division adjacent to Canby on the north, and also induce owners of territory bounded by the Territorial Road and Ferry Road to the City limits, to also apply for annexation, the Council will cause to be placed on the ballot at the next November election, both applications and if approved by the voters, Canby's Light and Water facilities will then be available to the property owners at their own expense.

No other business appearing, the meeting then adjourned.

Approved:

R. B. Eversole
Mayor

H. B. Evans
Recorder