

Minutes of a Meeting of the City Council
held January 3, 1949

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Hester.

Roll call: Present--Drews, Duncan, Strother, Siefker, Thiel, Tufford,
Van Dyke.

Absent-- Davis

The minutes of the meeting of December 6 were read and approved.

Correction of clause in deeds pertaining to land being purchased for
treatment plant explained by City Attorney Swift.

Application of Vic Snyder for license for wrecking cars, read,
Mr. Snyder being present, making explanation to council. Drews-Duncan
motion to grant request. Motion carried.

Mr. Leonard Frink as spokesman for remonstrances to ordinances on
license fees. Referred to joint meeting of Police and Finance committees,
to be arranged by chairmen. Report then to be given back to council for
action.

6-A Applications read for City Health Officer from Dr. Wilcox and Mr. Benson.
Drews-Van Dyke motion for Dr. Wilcox, carried.

6-A Application read for City Attorney by Herb Swift. Thiel-Duncan motion
for Herb Swift, carried.

6-A Application read from R. O. Rogers for City Marshal and Chief of Police.
Tufford-Duncan motion for Rogers, carried.

Recommendation by Strother for G. Weller Probasco as city engineer,
seconded by Drews. Motion carried.

Recommendation by Siefker for Cliff Spaulding as Fire Marshal seconded
by Duncan. Motion carried.

Recommendation by Duncan for C. R. McGee as City Auditor, seconded by
Drews. Motion carried.

Application read from Donald Landauer of Springbrook for parking permit.
Duncan-Thiel motion to reject, carried.

Request for street light corner of East Second St. and Parkview Drive
referred to Chairman Van Dyke.

Bond of office for city treasurer filed.

6-B Chief Rogers monthly report filed.

6-B Petition of Carl Butler for closure of alley way between First and
Hancock, off Howard Street, filed. Drews-Thiel motion to have city attorney
draw up papers for vacation of Butler alley, carried.

Kelsey Hinshaw to open S. Morton St. Strother-Drews motion to table,
carried.

Lack of action on Highway Commission project on Fourth St. to College St.,
to First St., due to controversy. Drews-Duncan motion to go on record as
being in favor of State Highway Commission designating Fourth Street from
River to College and College St. from Fourth to First as part of Highway #219,
carried. R. H. Baldock to be contacted and notified by committee.

Condition on East Second Street referred to street committee.

Bids opened and read on Police car.

5-B
Butler Chevrolet 786.75
Inloes-Dugan 655.00
Bobs Auto 736.00

Drews--Duncan motion to table till next meeting, carried.