

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on April 2, 1974 at 7:30 P.M. with Mayor Fulks presiding.

Present: Ike Fulks, Jim Humphreys, W. F. McElroy, Roy Roberts

Also Present: Milas Franks, City Manager and Montie Meeks, City Attorney

Absent: Robert A. Leonard

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. James Hamilton appeared before Council inquiring of status of TV Cable Line to her property on Shawnee Avenue. Council instructed the City Manager to look into this matter further. Mrs. Hamilton also requested road repairs on Shawnee Avenue. 6513

Mr. Don Sproles, representing Horne Brothers of Paramount Coal Company appeared before Council requesting water and sewer services to their property in new development just outside City on Route 23 at Esserville. Council discussed this matter at length with Mr. Sproles advising of the City's moratorium on water extension outside the City. 6514

On motion by Jim Humphreys, seconded by W. F. McElroy and carried by unanimous roll call vote Council moved that salary schedule as proposed by City of Norton School Board of \$58,268.00 be passed. 6515

Council agreed to have Budget Work Session at 6:30 P.M. on April 5th. 6516

Council discussed briefly Grievance Procedure Option. Matter tabled until next Council Meeting. 6517

Mr. Franks advised Council of Highway Preallocation hearings in Bristol on April 9, 1974 and also final allocation hearings in June. 6518

Mr. Franks discussed with Council annual Clean-up Week. He advised that Wise County Chamber of Commerce was Chairmaning an area wide clean-up campaign beginning April 22, 1974 thru May 4, 1974. 6519

On motion by Jim Humphreys, seconded by W. F. McElroy and carried by unanimous vote Council moved that the City Clean-up Campaign be for two weeks beginning April 22, 1974 thru May 4, 1974. 6520

Councilman McElroy said he would like to see a survey made of old junk cars prior to Clean-up week so that they could be taken care of at this time. 6521

Mayor Fulks inquired about cleaning up old delapidated buildings. He also asked that the City Manager find out why the ~~Job Corps~~ STATE CORPS men only picked up trash to the City Limits. 6522

Mayor Fulks also spoke on trash on Murphy Street, old refrigerators, etc. 6523

Mayor Fulks advised Council he had proclaimed the week of April 30, 1974 as Sorority Week. 6524

Mr. Franks advised Council that Contractor for Flag Rock Recreational Area had moved in. 6525

Attorney Meeks presented Court Order of appointment of Cecil Gardner, Bill Necessary, and Zeplin Lee as members of Real Estate Appraisal Board for City of Norton.

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Bob Isaac inquired as to what had been done regarding Community Marquee? The City Manager advised he had not secured price yet but had written for same.

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Council discussed sidewalk around Post Office and their request to have it repaired. Matter referred to City Manager to see if hazardous.

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Council briefly discussed moving of State Police Building. No action taken.

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The City Manager discussed briefly with Council proposal for Computer. Matter tabled for further study.

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There being no further business to come before the Council same adjourned.

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MAYOR

Jerry Low Linton

CLERK OF COUNCIL