The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on March 6, 1973 at 7:30 P.M. with Vice Mayor Fulks presiding.

Present: Ike Fulks, Robert Leonard, W.F. McElroy, Jim Humphreys

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

Absent: Archie Woods, Mayor

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Jim Campbell, President of the Band Boosters, Inc. and Kelly Willis appeared before council requesting that the City contribute something for the bands' trip 6240 to Washington and asked that council give consideration to budgeting annually a fund of at least \$2,000 to be used by Band Boosters, Inc. to help defray expenses of band trips.

Council discussed this matter at lengthwith all concerned.

On motion by Jim Humphreys, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by unanimous vote council moved that the above matter be tabled until next regular council meeting.

Mr. Paul Dotson of Paul's Music Store appeared before council regarding parking situation for loading & unloading in vicinity of his store. He spoke on the many 6241 tickets he had received for violations in no Parking Zone. He asked that the Council give him permission to load & unload for not over 20 minutes either in the alley or in front of his store. Council advised that after the matter was taken up with the Chief of Police - they thought it would be possible to work out something on this situation.

Mr. Franks advised council that he would like to have a work session on the proposed budget for next year before meeting with School Board. Council agreed to meet Thursday, March 8th at 6:30 P.M. for work session.

Mr. Franks advised council he was unable to get all information needed for cost of Bridge replacement on Route 58.

Council briefly discussed county annexation committee. Council instructed Mr. Franks to request a meeting with Board of Supervisors and City Council to clarify the report of the County Annexation Committee. 6244

Mr. Franks advised council that 1973 City Stickers were being sold earlier this year to coincide with the sale of State Motor Vehicle Tags. 6245

Mr. Franks advised council of the change that had been made to Lenowisco Charter. Council voiced no objection to this change. 6246

Mr. Franks advised council that James Daniels term had expired on Housing Appeals Board.

On motion by W.F. McElroy, seconded by Robert Leonard and carried by unanimous vote council moved that James Danields be reappointed as Chairman of Housing Appeals Board for a term of 5 years, said term to expire 2-18-78.

Councilman Fulks inquired as to status of Old Lay Hardware Building on 5th & Virginia Avenue. He also asked about the Old Hawthorne Coal Co. building on Kentucky Avenue. 6248

Mr. Wright Dawson presentedh ghway map showing proposed location of Route 23 By-Pass. Council authorized Mr. Franks to travel to Richmond to State HighwayDept.6249

and express their concern over the possible deletion of the grade separation at 4th Street.

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