

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on April 18, 1972 at 7:30 P.M. with Mayor Flanary presiding.

Present: V.O. Flanary, Robert Leonard, Ike Fultz, W.F. McElroy

Absent: Archie Woods

Also Present: Milas D. Franks, City Manager

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Hoke I. Horne appeared before Council and inquired as to plans for a safe way for children to walk to elementary school. Mr. Franks advised that at the present time the city would only be able to finish the walk on East Park Avenue. He also advised that in future he hoped the city would be able to have walkway off Oak Street to school but at present time another walkway wasn't possible until the 40 unit Housing Project is completed. 5994

A group of citizens from 400 block of Kentucky Avenue appeared before council with Bill Greene, as spokesman, and presented petition voicing objection for the acquisition & inclusion of property on 400 block of Kentucky Avenue in the proposed N.D.P. Project. 5995

On motion by Robert Leonard, seconded by Ike Fultz and carried by unanimous vote council moved that the area of 400 Block West of Lost Creek on Kentucky Avenue be omitted from the Neighborhood Development Program Project, a copy of said motion to be sent to Norton Redevelopment & Housing Authority and to Harland, Bartholomew & Associates.

Ruby Edwards was present at council meeting and inquired as to whom you contact regarding objection to Route #23 coming thru and taking your property. 5996

Mayor Flanary recognized Jimmy Fawbush from Miss Yearly's history class. 5997

Mr. Hoge Horne appeared before council and discussed holes in street, hauling of dirt by city to property across from Steak & Shake. Mr. Franks advised the city had to get rid of dirt and that G.C. & V. Development Corporation were paying to have it hauled. He stated he had some dirt he would like to have hauled to fill in lot down town. He was advised that city didn't have trucks to do this kind of work at present time. 5998

Councilman Fultz requested street light near John Boggs residence starting up Hamner Avenue. Mr. Franks advised that Planning Commission had been requested to prepare a city wide lighting plan and consider assuming the responsibility but they had never taken any action. Council instructed the City Manager to contact the Planning Committee to see if they were going to do anything on it or whether some other action would have to be taken. 5999

Mr. Franks discussed with council twice a week garbage pick-up. He advised that he would like to begin this pick-up May 15th thru October 13th. Council was in agreement with the twice a week pick-up. 6000

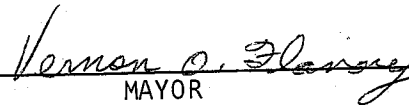
Mr. Franks advised council that the city had received grant approval in the amount of \$4000.00 from Highway Safety Commission for remodeling of court room. He advised he hoped to begin work on this at once. 6001


Councilman Fultz inquired if stop light at 11th & Park Avenue had been installed. Mr. Franks advised that the light had been installed and was working. 6002

Mr. Wright Dawson, Executive Director, Norton Redevelopment & Housing Authority appeared before council and presented status of new housing project which has been temporarily stopped. 6003

On motion by Robert Leonard, seconded by Ike Fultz and carried by unanimous vote council moved that they would go into executive session to consider extension of water and sewer to proposed development by Mr. George Hunnicutt. 6004

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


MAYOR


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