

May 21, 1960

A special called meeting of the City Council was held in the City Managers' Office on the above date with Mayor B. E. Ball presiding.

Present: B. E. Ball, F. W. Glass & Clarence Holcomb
Absent: Sol Cury & W. R. Hamner

The Mayor stated that the purpose of this meeting was to discuss the recent census taken in Norton.

After a brief discussion, on motion by Clarence Holcomb, seconded by F. W. Glass and carried by unanimous roll call vote, the following resolution was passed: #1673

THAT WHEREAS, the Bureau of the Census of the United States of America, through its local representatives, has recently announced the tentative census for the City of Norton, and, WHEREAS, the City Manager of said City has, since said announcement, made a detailed check of two of the smaller sections of said City, listing the names of all persons who were living in said sections on April 1, 1960, which said tabulation shows eight additional names in the western section of the City and twenty-five additional names of persons residing in the northern section of the City over and above those counted and tabulated by the Official Census Takers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Norton does hereby formally protest the enumeration of the Census of said City as recently announced from the Office of the District Census Enumerator in Abingdon, Virginia, and does hereby request a complete check of the census of said City in order that the total figure of the population of said City may be true and accurate.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting, and a copy of same mailed to W. Fred Callihan, Census District Supervisor, Abingdon, Virginia, and Joseph R. Norwood, Regional Field Director, Bureau of Census, Charlotte, North Carolina.

S/ Jo Noder
Clerk of Council

There being no further business before the council, same adjourned.


Clerk


Mayor