

July 2, 1953

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held in the temporary town hall on the above date at 7:30 P.M. with all members present.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Frank Horsman and Mr. John R. Davis appeared before council and petitioned council to rezone Lot 26 Block 10 from residential to business district. #168

After due consideration council referred this matter to the newly appointed planning commission for report.

The Town Attorney reported to council that all right of way in connection with the 11th Street Viaduct had been cleared with the exception of the parcel belonging to C.H. & John Gannaway.

On motion made and duly seconded the Town Attorney and town manager were authorized to make a final offer for the right of way necessary across the Gannaway property in the amount of \$4,000 and in the event this offer was not acceptable to the owners, condemnation proceedings were authorized. #169

By a motion made and duly seconded the following were appointed as members of the Town of Norton Planning Commission: W.P. Kanto, Sol Cury, F.B. Kline, C.W. Cooper and the town manager. #170

By a motion made and duly seconded the following were appointed as members of the Board of Zoning Appeals: R.T. Flanary, W.H. Witt, J.B. Taggart, C.J. Jessee, and Jack Helms. #171

An application for off-premise beer license was read from Joe Tate. On motion made and duly seconded council approved the issuance of an off premise beer license to Joe Tate. #172

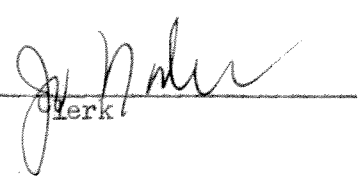
By a motion made and duly seconded the town manager was authorized to employ Mr. M.B. Thrower to audit the Town's books for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953. #173

By a motion made and duly seconded the town manager was authorized to bid on the Tyrus Hylton property on Kentucky Avenue which the County is selling for taxes in an amount not to exceed \$750.00. On roll call voted all voted YEA. #174

By a motion made and duly seconded Mr. Ross F. Walker was unanimously elected as Town Manager of Norton effective August 10th at a salary of \$6,000 per annum. #175

There being no further business before the council same adjourned.

  
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Mayor

  
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Clerk