

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on November 19, 1985 at 7:30 P.M. with Mayor Hunnicutt presiding.

Present: Robert Raines, George Hunnicutt, Milas Franks, Cliff Daniels

Absent: Roy Roberts

Also Present: C.R. Brown, City Manager & Kenneth Asbury, Attorney

Invocation was given by Rev. Claude Quillen.

On motion by Milas Franks, seconded by Robert Raines and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that minutes of November 6, 1985 be approved as presented with amendment to Section 13311 to read "A proposed Amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Norton was recommended to amend." 13317

Consideration of Adopting a New Base Map for the City of Norton, (Second Reading).

Council discussed this matter at length. Eileen Brickey of the West Norton area spoke on this subject. 13318

On motion by Milas Franks, seconded by Cliff Daniels and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved the adoption of New Base Map as presented and amended eliminating designation of 16th Street, on second reading.

Presentation of the Audit of the City of Norton, for fiscal year 1984-85, by Thrower & Thrower.

Mr. Bardin Thrower highlighted the audit to Council. Council briefly discussed the audit with Mr. Thrower. 13319

Extension of the Audit Contract for two more years, as Per the Conditions of the 1983 Bid. Council discussed this matter briefly. 13320

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Milas Franks and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved to extend the contract for an additional two more years.

A Joint Resolution of Board of Supervisors of Wise County, the City Council of the City of Norton, and the Town Councils of the Town of Appalachia, Big Stone Gap, Coeburn, Pound, Wise, and St. Paul, Virginia, signifying their approval and intent to participate in an Enhanced 911 Emergency Telephone System.

Council discussed this resolution at length. 13321

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Robert Raines and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that "A Joint Resolution of the Board of Supervisors of Wise County, The City Council of the City of Norton, Virginia, and the Town Councils of the Towns of Appalachia, Big Stone Gap, Coeburn, Pound, Wise and St. Paul, Virginia signifying their approval and intent to participate in an Enhanced 911 Emergency Telephone System" be approved as presented.

A Resolution Amending the Grievance Procedure of the City of Norton, Virginia, that was adopted 11-6-85.

Mr. Asbury, City Attorney, addressed the Resolution Amending the Grievance Procedure.

On motion by Milas Franks, seconded by Cliff Daniels and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Norton, Virginia adopted on the 19th Day of November, 1985 Amending the Grievance Procedure in the City of Norton, Virginia, be passed. 13322

Discussion of Late Payment Penalties as Pertains to Water & Sewer.

The City Manager brought council up-to-date on this subject. Council discussed this matter at length.

Councilman Franks suggested that the City Manager look at the adequacy of charge for cutting water on and off. Pull this charge out separately from penalty. Look at deposit as to amount - plus cost of cut off. The City Manager was instructed to gather this data and bring back in January for the prior six months. 13323

Discussion of Advertising for Professional Services, Planning, to Assist the City of Norton.

This matter was discussed at length with each of the councilmen speaking on the subject. 13324

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Robert Raines and carried by the following votes: Raines, Franks, Daniels, YES; Hunnicutt, NO; Council authorized City Manager to advertise for professional services in the area of Planning and Urban Development.

Discussion of Progress on Consolidating the Code of the City of Norton.

Mr. Asbury, the City Attorney brought council up-to-date on this matter. Council discussed this matter with Mr. Asbury. 13325

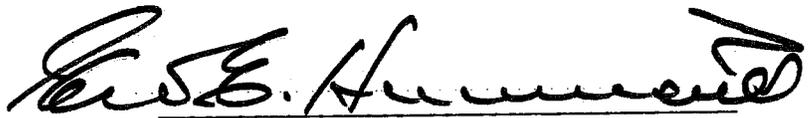
Discussion of Progress on the Land Book of the City of Norton and the Computer.

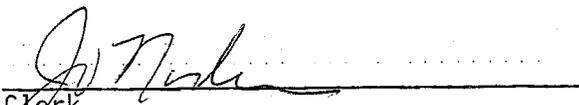
Mr. Brown addressed this subject, advising council that the land book was now on the computer. 13326

Comments by the City Manager - City Hall will be closed on November 28th and 29th. Advised that Mr. Asbury, Sam Ewing and himself did go to Richmond and that report was expected to be here in next day or so showing changes that were arrived at in that meeting. 13327

Work session, Tuesday, November 26th at 7:00 P.M. with School Board and Executive Session following to discuss pay classification plan proposed by SESCO. 13328

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


Mayor


Clerk