

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on March 1, 1983 at 7:30 P.M. with Vice Mayor McElroy presiding.

Present: W.F. McElroy, Cliff Daniels, Vice Jones, Roy Roberts

Absent: George Hunnicutt

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

On motion by Vic Jones, seconded by Roy Roberts and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that minutes of February 15, 1983 be accepted as mailed. 10791

The City Manager presented a "Resolution of City Council Signifying a United Effort with Reference to the TV Cable Franchise in the County, City, and Towns served by Century Cable TV Company." Council briefly discussed this matter. 10792

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by the following votes, Council moved that the "Resolution of City Council Signifying a United Effort with reference to the TV Cable Franchise in the County, City and Towns served by Century Cable TV Company" be passed: Daniels, Jones, McElroy, YES; Roberts, abstained. (Insert)

Mr. Brown presented a "Resolution Defining Signature and Access Requirements for various City Accounts, Investments and Certificate Storage". Council discuss this resolution at length. 10793

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that "A Resolution Defining Signature and Access Requirements for Various City Accounts, Investments and Certificate Storage be passed with adding access to Safe Deposit Box in first paragraph and deleting Section 5". (Insert)

The City Manager presented an "Ordinance to Amend and Re-Ordain the Parking Meter Ordinance of the City of Norton, Virginia."

Mr. & Mrs. Congo and Mr. Prater spoke on the parking situation. Council discussed this proposed ordinance briefly.

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that the following Ordinance to "Amend and Re-Ordain the Parking Meter Ordinance passed on November 3, 1982 of the City of Norton, Va." be passed. (Insert) 10794

The City Manager presented "An Ordinance Providing for the General Assessment, Reassessment and Equalization of Real Estate in the City of Norton and Appointing an Assessor:. Council briefly discussed this Ordinance.

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that the following Ordinance "of the City Council of the City of Norton, Virginia, Providing for the General Assessment, Reassessment and Equalization of Assessments of Real Estate in the City of Norton, Virginia, Appointing a Professional Real Estate Assessor and Prescribing his Duties, Term of Office, Compensation, and Clerical Assistance " be passed. (Insert) 10795

The City Attorney presented for council's consideration proposed change in Ordinance on Precious Metals and Dealers in Precious Metals.

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Roy Roberts and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that City Manager be authorized to advertise for public hearing the proposed changes in Ordinance on Precious Metals and Dealers in Precious Metals. 10796

The City Manager advised council the City was sponsoring a safety Program Thursday at 3:30 P.M. in the Court Room for all City Employees. He invited the council to attend if they would like. 10797

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by Cliff Daniels and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that go into executive session per the provisions of 2.1-344 (A) (2) and 2.1-344 (A) (6) of the Code of Virginia to discuss real estate and legal matters. 10798

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that go back into regular session.

Vice Mayor McElroy declared council back in regular session.

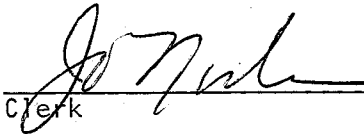
Vice Mayor McElroy reported that in discussion of real estate and exchange of property that Council discussed exchange of property of U.S. Government in which we have a reserve for water line rights for fifty years.

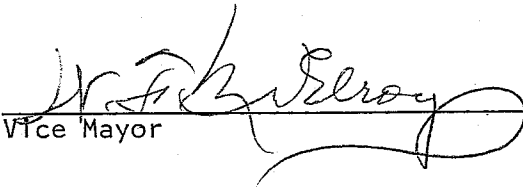
On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved that authorize the Mayor to execute dded for property exchange with U.S. Government. 10799

Vice Mayor McElroy ask the City Manager to address the other subject discussed. Mr. Brown reported that the Judge has ruled at this time that the City of Norton did not have standing in the case of the Town of Wise and County of Wise in their proposed boundry line adjustment suit and at this time the City of Norton will not appeal that decision. 10800

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that Council has been advised of the result of the suit and it is the desires of City Council that special appointed attorney not take any further action to appeal this case. 10801

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


Clerk


Vice Mayor