

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on July 3, 1979, at 7:30 p.m. with Mayor Hunnicutt presiding.

Present: George Hunnicutt, W. F. McElroy, Robert Collier, Cliff Daniels, Frank Fischer

Also Present: G. M. Newman, City Manager, and Kenneth Asbury, City Attorney

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. Don Jack Mullins, Consultant Engineer, presented report on Hamner Hill Water Study. Council discussed this matter briefly with Mr. Mullins.

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Dr. George Culbertson also spoke on pressure to his residence on Ridge Avenue.

Dr. George Culbertson was present and requested permission to continue C.V.C. Projects, which has been operating out of old school building until middle of August. He stated there would be meetings on July 10, 17, 31, and August 7, 1979. Unanimous vote secured permission.

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The City Manager briefly discussed payment of invoice from Southern Engineering Company for work done in regard to Old Dominion Power Company proposed rate increase. He advised that Gregg Peery, Asst. County Administrator, would give notice of what is due by each of the other entities involved.

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Mayor Hunnicutt read letter from Don Pippin, representing Clinch Valley Manor Nursing Home for an additional request for 58 beds.

On motion by W. F. McElroy, seconded by Robert Collier, and carried by unanimous vote, Council agreed to endorse Mr. Pippin's application for 58 additional nursing home beds for Clinch Valley Manor Nursing Home.

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The City Manager requested that Off-site drainage ordinance be tabled for the present time. Council was in agreement for this matter to be tabled for present time and that the City Manager continue to pursue the matter and after he gets ordinance in shape for consideration, bring back to Council for their consideration.

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On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Robert Collier, and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved they go into executive session to discuss possible land disposition and personnel matter.

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On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Robert Collier, and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved they go back into regular session.

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Mayor Hunnicutt declared Council back in regular session. Mayor Hunnicutt stated they had come to basic agreement on mutual shop site with with Wise County. Also will be taking an option on dog pound subject to approval of city attorney who will report back to Council. Also had been offered American Legion Property of about four acres of land.

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Frank Fischer, and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved that accept the deed to the land from American Legion. Also instruct the City Attorney to prepare deed to the City and pay authorized expenses in preparing this deed.

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Mayor Hunnicutt presented bill from Ed Tate for services rendered in recent water improvements at dam.

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On motion by W. F. McElroy, seconded by Frank Fischer, and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved that pay Edward Tate amount of invoice submitted in amount of \$1,305.66 for water improvements at dam.

Council agreed for appointment to School Board to be tabled until next Council meeting.

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Settlement and request for cancellation of Elementary School roof guarantee from Johns-Manville referred to City School Board.

The City Manager presented letter from State Library Board and Regional Library Board regarding approval appropriations for regional library.

On motion by W. F. McElroy, seconded by Robert Collier, and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved the approval of appropriation by State Library for Regional Library in amount of \$98,192.00.

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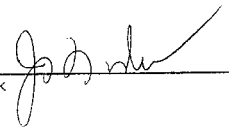
Earle Brown was present and presented report on tank at head of 4th Street. He stated he thought the water tank was in dire need of painting job. He stated these painting contractors had agreed to do this job of painting for \$4500.00. Council discussed this matter with Mr. Brown at length.

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Council instructed the City Manager to negotiate with these paint contractors to check out inside of tank on 4th Street as well as outside. Also check on the 11th Street tank.

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

  
Mayor

  
Clerk