

FY 1991-1992 Proposed Budget Hearing - May 28, 1991

Mayor Gilley called the hearing to order with all commissioners in attendance. He called for questions, discussion or changes in the proposed budget. Comm. Belcher asked the clerk exactly how many funds were available to his street department for disbursement. The clerk replied there was, at the present time \$24,414 and any portion of the intended \$44,752 in the general fund carryover could be appropriated as the commission saw fit, into any of the five appropriated departments. With no further discussion to be heard, Comm. McGuffey presented a motion the proposed budget now be enacted into ordinance, seconded by Comm. McGuffey. Roll call and vote - Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Crisp yes, Lacy yes.

CITY COMMISSION MEETING - MAY 28, 1991 - CITY HALLAGENDA1. Minutes of the previous meeting

Mayor Gilley called for additions or corrections to these minutes, there were none to be heard, Comm. Belcher floored a motion to accept them as written, seconded by Comm. McGuffey, roll call and vote - Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Crisp yes, Lacy yes.

2. Treasurer's report

The commission reviewed this report, and with no additions or corrections, Comm. McGuffey presented a motion it be accepted as printed, seconded by Comm. Lacy. Roll call and vote Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Crisp yes, Lacy yes.

3. Discussion - proposed street ordinance

Comm. Belcher opened this discussion, stating he had talked with the County Road Engineer and he informed him that if the city had accepted the Warren County comprehensive Plan that the city would be bound by the specifications set out by that commission for any future sub-division streets or other new streets. Comm. McGuffey wondered if the commission could rescind the present ordinance and pave the four streets that were in question and then enact the proposed new

ordinance. The clerk replied that the commission could enact a resolution of their intentions, have the streets paved, and then enact the new, proposed ordinance. Mayor Gilley reminded the commission they had sent certified letters to the four contractors in question and the city had replies from only two of them. Comm. McGuffey wondered what was fair since only two of them had responded, Jimmy Jackson and Stanley Rice. Comm. Belcher said there were four in question, what about fixing the two that had agreed to pay their half and not the other two, Webb Ave. and Ridgecrest. After considering this, Comm. McGuffey presented a motion to resurface the balance of Stanley Rice's street and the balance of Jimmy Jacksons with them paying for half of the cost involved, seconded by Comm. Lacy. Roll call and vote - Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Crisp yes, Lacy yes. The clerk said she would need assistance in preparing the bids for advertising. Comm. Belcher said he would contact Scotty's Construction and Kenway to get their assistance of this advertisement.

4. Other

The Mayor introduced Karen Akers, who lives on Fourth St. and ask her if she cared to address the commission. Ms. Akers said she wanted a street light erected near her home. She said the previous Halloween their 1989 Camaro had been egged and if there was a light there she felt it would ease a lot of problems on the street. The Comm. thought in their opinion there was ample lights in the area, but all agreed to check the area and report at the June meeting. Mayor Gilley said he thought there was a set distance between lights and there were already several on the street. Ms. Akers

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said the light that was near Kenneth Priddy's house and by Ms. Mossie Woods didn't give off any light because they were blocked by the large trees in their yards. She said there was a pole in front of Strunk's property that could house a light and would benefit a lot of the neighborhood. This will be discussed further at the June meeting.

Regarding street lights, the Clerk ask the commission and the police chief to check the are on Sunset between First and Kirby as there had been a citizen complain that that area was also very dark. They agreed to do so.

Old Business

The clerk said that in response to the commission's inquiry if Ms. Johnetta Britt wanted to buy the final Community Development lot for \$700, she didn't want to pay that much for it.

With no further business to be brought before the commission, a motion to adjourn was heard.

Approved: James R. Gilley
Mayor

Attest: Dorothy J. Neal
City Clerk