City Commission meeting - March 25, 1991 - 7:00 p. m. - City Hall

MUNICIPAL AID ROAD FUND HEARING

Mayor Gilley called the hearing to order with several citizens in attendance. He called for suggested uses of the 1991-1992 road funds. Each of the commission had compiled a list, (copy attached), of the streets they had observed as in need of either resurfacing or repair. There were also several alleys named that needed grading and/or gravel. The commission requested the clerk to take all of their lists and make one for them to consider. She agreed to do so. The Mayor called for additional comments or suggestions. With none to be heard, the Mayor declared the hearing closed.

AGENDA

1. Minutes of the previous meeting

With no discussion or comments to same, Comm. McGuffey presented a motion to accept the minutes as printed, seconded by Comm. Belcher. Roll call and vote - Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Lacy yes.

2. Treasurer's report

After reviewing this report and with no additions or corrections to be presented, Comm. Belcher presented a motion the report be accepted as presented, seconded by Comm. McGuffey. Roll call and vote - Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Lacy yes.

3. <u>Second reading Ordinance #91-1 910.1-Adopting statement of goals and</u> objectives for the 1990 Comprehensive Plan for Warren County, Kentucky

Comm. McGuffey presented a motion the second reading of the above stated Ordinance by accepted, seconded by Comm. Lacy. Roll call and vote - Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Lacy yes.

4. Discussion- new street Ordinance compiled by the City Attorney

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Mayor Gilley requested the clerk read this Ordinance, (copy attached), in its entirety for those in attendance. She did so. After the reading Comm. Lacy ask if the rest of the city streets were paved with 6" blacktop. Comm. Belcher replied no. Comm. Lacy wondered if this new ordinance wouldn't be more expensive to comply with than the present specifications. All agreed it would be. Comm. McGuffey presented a motion to rescind the existing ordinance, table the proposed one and have the city contact all of the building contractors involved with subdivision work within the city limits to see if they would pay for one-half of the paving of their streets. Mayor Gilley said we couldn't do this as it would leave the city without an ordinance to rely on should someone apply for a building permit. All agreed. Comm. Lacy wondered if the city had the funds available to them to do all of the street work suggested at the Municipal Aid Road Hearing plus the streets contained in the sub-divisions. The clerk felt there were ample funds. Comm. McGuffey then presented a motion, the clerk forward certified letters to the four builders that this Ordinance would affect and ask them if they would agree to pay half for the completion and paving of their streets, along with a copy of the proposed ordinance, and ask them for a reply and opinion to same before the April meeting, seconded by Comm. Belcher. Roll call and vote - Belcher yes, Gilley yes, McGuffey yes, Lacy yes.

5. Other

Martha McGuirk and Bernadine Morehead, representing the Smiths Grove Woman's Club were in attendance and addressed the meeting. Ms. McGuirk wondered if the commission had noticed the five planters they had informed the commission about at the last meeting were in place. She said the Woman's Club intended to plant the three that had nothing in them to match the two that contained shrubs. Mayor Gilley wondered if she

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had any idea who would keep them watered once they were planted. Ms. McGuirk said it was their intent to try to get people around the city to adopt a planter and be responsible for the watering of them. She said in conjunction with their Community Uplift Project, they had contacted North Warren and Oakland elementary to have a poster contest among the sixth graders. She said there would be 13 winners and each of them would receive a silver dollar and a certificate for their efforts. The Woman's Club will display these posters throughout the city for citizens to observe. She announced that April 6th would be the spring clean-up day for the city. She had a copy of the flyer they were going to have printed to handout in the city to inform the city that this was going to occur and to tell people there would be dumpsters available at the county fire department as well as a county truck that would go around the city to pick up bagged items and take them to the dumpsters that Monarch Environmental will provide. Ms. McGuirk also said the Woman's club sponsors an art contest annually and the winning entries would be on display at the library April 13th. The winners in the high school category receive a bond and the winner at the middle school level receive a set of uncirculated coins. She hoped all would take the time to go to the library to see these pictures. She also said the club would have a harpist in concert at North Warren April 20th. She urged everyone to attend if at all possible.

With no more business to be presented, a motion to adjourn was heard.

Approved: James R. Gilley Mayor Attest: Dorothy J. Neal City Clerk