

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on August 5, 1975 at 7:30 P.M. with Mayor Fulks presiding.

Present: Ike Fulks, W.F. McElroy, Roy Roberts

Absent: Jim Humphreys, George Hunnicutt

Also Present: Milas D. Franks, City Manager & Montie Meeks, Attorney

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by the following roll call votes: W.F. McElroy, Yes, Ike Fulks, Yes, Roy Roberts Yes, council moved that resignation of Carroll Tate as member of N.I.D.A. Board be accepted 7178 and that Linville Reed be appointed as member of N.I.D.A. Board to fill the unexpired term of Carroll Tate, resigned, said term to expire January 1, 1979.

The City Manager reported on status of R.R. Property in question on South Side of Park Avenue, this being property the city desires for traffic circulation & parking plan. Council instructed the city manager to continue to pursue this matter. 7179

The City Manager advised council of letter received from State Highway Department advising the city that Virginia Department of Highways would be unable to paint traffic lines as they had previously been doing. Council discussed this matter 7180 with the city manager and instructed him to pursue other alternatives for accomplishing this work.

Mayor Fulks stated he would like to know why the Job Corps Workers only cleaned up along highways to city limits and never helped within the City. Council asked 7181 the City Manager to see what he could find out regarding this matter.

The City Manager reported on the availability of funds for purchase of 7182 Presbyterian Church Lot. He stated he would have a resolution to that effect on next council meeting agenda.

The City Manager advised council that paving schedule had been worked up and that list of streets will be presented at next council meeting. 7183

The City Manager presented the Council with contract agreement between City and Norton Housing Authority for review and action at next council meeting. 7184

The City Manager presented letter agreement from N.I.D.A. to Charles McNeil, in regard to modifications to the lease agreement of Park Avenue Property, for council's information. 7185

The City Manager advised council that the City of Norton's Urgent Needs Grant Application in the amount of \$100,000.00 had been received and that Congressman 7186 Wampler would be in Big Stone Gap on Wednesday at 4:00 P.M. to make presentation of the Grant.

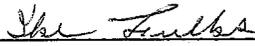
The City Manager reminded council of City Employee picnic to be held Saturday at 1:00 P.M. at Flag Rock Recreation Area. 7187

Mayor Fulks brought to council's attention the following: 7188

1. Lions Club request for their signs to be replaced.
2. Asked if some kind of enforcement could be done to stop so much littering on streets.
3. Inquired as to whether speed signs in Dorchester had been put up.

4. Asked if water in reservoir had been checked recently. The City Manager advised we were not approaching critical stage.

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

  
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Mayor

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Clerk

