

The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the Municipal Court Room on September 21, 1982 at 7:30 P.M. with Mayor Hunnicutt presiding.

Present: George Hunnicutt, W.F. McElroy, Cliff Daniels, Vic Jones, Roy Roberts

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

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that minutes of Sept. 7, 1982 be approved as presented. 10624

Mr. C.H. Daubert of Berniece Drive appeared before Council regarding drain line being stopped up causing damage to his property. Council briefly discussed this matter with Mr. Daubert and referred the matter to City Manager for action. 10625

Mr. Ray Salyers, representing the Norton Rescue Squad, appeared before council and made request for financial aid from City of Norton. Mr. Salyers advised council that they had been before the Wise County Board of Supervisors and had been advised by them they would not receive funds since the City of Norton had already received \$90,000.00 in coal severance tax money and they felt the City should give the Rescue Squad their share. Council discussed this matter at length with Mr. Salyers and other Rescue Squad members who were present. 10626

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by Vic Jones and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved that such amount of money that is already available be made available to the Rescue Squad immediately. The City Manager is to contact Board of Supervisors and see what can be worked out.

Recommendation by the Planning Commission from their September 16th Meeting as pertains to the Shopping Center. The City Manager presented council with a draft of minutes of City Planning Commission wherein they recommended to the City Council that the Paramount Company sewer line plans be approved and accepted in accordance with the State Health Department's letter dated Sept. 14, 1982. The City's Administration was in disagreement for this to be done until all difficulties are resolved in their entirety. Mr. Jim Brown spoke on this matter and stated Paramount's position. Council discussed this matter at length. Don Earles, Attorney for City on this matter brought council up to date on this matter. 10627

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved they go into executive session for purpose of discussing pending litigation. 10628

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved they go back into regular session.
Mayor Hunnicutt declared Council back in regular session.
Mayor Hunnicutt advised that council has determined that the present time they will take no action on this matter. Council discussed this matter at length with Mr. Jim Brown, stating the city's position with regard to moratorium with State Water Control Board. They also advised they thought this matter will be taken care of in October 5th meeting. 10629

On motion by W.F. McElroy, seconded by Roy Roberts and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that the following Resolution be passed: "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Norton, Virginia Designating the Local Superintendent of Public Welfare as the Local Director of Social Services." (Insert) 10630

Nomination to Mountain Empire Older Citizens, Inc. to Respond as Lead Agent in Planning District One for Lone Term Care delayed until October 5th meeting. 10631

Nomination of Dominican Nursing Service to the Regional Long Term Care Coordinating Committee - Delete from agenda - will not be brought back by administration. 10632

Mr. Brown presented bid for Heating System in City owned home at 406 Chestnut Street. Council discussed this matter briefly with the City Manager.

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved that City Manager be authorized to proceed with the installation of the heat pump system in the City property at 406 Chestnut Street and funds come from General Fund Surplus. 10633

Bid for water pipe that is funded by a previous grant.

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by Cliff Daniels and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved that accept the bid of Stevens Supply Corporation as recommended by City Manager, in an approximate amount of \$20,500.00 to be taken from General Fund Surplus account which fund was erroneously taken from C.D. Account. 10634

Bid for Street Paving. Council discussed this matter briefly.

On motion by Cliff Daniels, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by unanimous roll call vote, Council moved that accept bid of W. & L. Construction in the amount of \$24.25 per ton. 10635

Council discussed condition of streets in line with the drainage system in downtown Norton. Council discussed this matter at length and directed the City Manager to look into matter and see what can be done to help the situation. 10636

Bid for Roof Repairs over Council Chambers. The City Manager presented bids received today for roof repair. Council discussed these bids at length. The City Manager recommended the bid of Abingdon Roofing Company, Inc. Council directed the City Manager to check this company out and bring back to council at later date. 10637

W.F. McElroy moved that nominate Robert Isaac as member of City of Norton Planning Commission.

On motion by Vic Jones, seconded by Roy Roberts and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that nominations be closed.

Mayor Hunnicutt declared Robert Isaac reappointed as member of City of Norton Planning Commission for term beginning 7-31-82 to 7-31-86. 10638

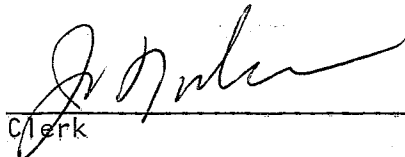
Board of Public Welfare Appointment held up. 10639


Prosecuting Attorney for City of Norton - Carry over until later date. 10640

On motion by Roy Roberts, seconded by W.F. McElroy and carried by unanimous vote, Council moved that Linville Reed be recommended for nomination to Regional Employment Training Council. 10641

Councilman Jones brought to council's attention previous action taken by council on dedicating the bridge to Orby Cantrell. He suggested the plaques be purchased and program planned for this ceremony. 10642

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


Clerk


Mayor