

Grand Junction, Colorado, August 29, 1916.

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction convened in regular session at four o'clock p. m., in the City Hall, with Mayor Cherrington in the chair.

Upon call of roll, the following Commissioners responded as present; Cherrington, Rankin, Vorbeck, Blackstone, Holmburg.

The minutes of the regular meeting of August 22d were read and approved.

Mr. King appeared before the Council and asked for a reduction in the water rental on the premises at 561 Colorado avenue on the ground that only a portion of the house was occupied.

Moved by Commissioner Rankin, seconded by Commissioner Blackstone, that the rate for water on the property at 561 Colorado avenue be fixed at \$1.50 per month until January 1st, 1917.

The motion being put, each Commissioner as his name was called, voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Rankin, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Blackstone, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the motion was declared carried.

The following resolution was introduced and read:

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, In accordance with an agreement between the City of Grand Junction and Mr. Ben Safley, three water bonds of \$1,000.00 each, due December 1st, 1914 and extended, will be payable December 1st next, and

WHEREAS, said Ben Safley will accept payment for these bonds at an earlier date; be it, therefore,

RESOLVED, That the Commissioner of Finance and Supplies be, and he is hereby instructed to transfer \$3,000.00 from the Water fund to the Water Sinking Fund, so that the said bonds may be taken up and redeemed as soon as there are available cash funds, in order that interest may be saved for as long a period as possible.

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Blackstone, that the resolution as read be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Rankin, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Blackstone, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the resolution passed and adopted.

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Blackstone, that the Mayor be instructed to notify the manager of the Book Cliff Railroad Co. to remove the fence built on dedicated road running north from Main street on Rice street, and if said fence be not removed within ten days after such notice, the Mayor is hereby instructed to have the same removed.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Rankin, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Blackstone, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the motion was declared carried.

Moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Rankin, that the Council employ the Grand Junction Brass Band to give a concert next Sunday, September 3d, at 4 o'clock p. m., in Whitman Park, and that the Council agree to pay \$1.00 to each player and \$2.00 to the leader, the total cost of concert not to exceed \$15.00.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Rankin, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Blackstone, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners having voted yea, the motion was declared carried.

On motion of Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Blackstone, the Council adjourned until to-morrow, August 30, at 4 o'clock p.m.

/s/ Charles K. Holmburg
City Clerk.