

Grand Junction, Colo.,

April 20, 1927.

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado met in regular session at 7:30 o'clock P. M. with President Bell presiding. Those present and answering at roll call were Councilmen Bear, Meders, Fairley, Ellison, Logsdon, Moslander, Bell. City Manager Thompson, City Attorney Hinman, and City Clerk Niles were present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting held April 6th, 1927 were read and approved.

The matter of the City of Grand Junction paying for the balance on the policemen's uniforms was brought up and discussed.

Councilman Moslander moved, seconded by Councilman Meders that the bill be returned to the police department with instructions for them to pay it. Upon which motion the following vote was cast: Councilmen voting "Yea", Meders, Moslander, Bell. Councilmen voting "No", Logsdon, Bear, Ellison, Fairley. A majority of the Councilmen voting "No", the President declared the motion lost.

Councilman Fairley moved, seconded by Councilman Ellison that the police committee investigate this affair and report at the next meeting. Motion carried.

Mr. Rump appeared before the Council and requested that a committee be appointed to meet with him regarding the street railway and bus situation. President Bell appointed Councilmen Ellison, Moslander, Bear, Meders, together with City Manager Thompson, to meet with Mr. Rump. The President also stated that any new member of the City Council who desired, might meet with this committee.

Mr. Horace T. DeLong presented plans and specifications for the filling station which was requested by Mr. F. W. Daun at the meeting of the City Council, March 16th, 1927. This filling station to be erected on the corner of 6th and White Avenues. Mr. Thompson, City Manager presented plans which he had received recently from Mr. S. R. DeBoer, City Planner, and showed the Council that this property was included in the District "A" of the Zoning Plan, and also that it would be in the new fire limits.

Councilman Logsdon moved, Councilman Bear seconded that the permit be granted, in accordance with the plans and specifications and provided that the building be erected under the direction of the City Manager, especially such details as distance back from the corner, placing of driveways, cutting the sidewalks, etc. Motion carried.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Harris presented a written request that they be granted permission to erect and operate a dance platform on the vacant ground on the corner of Seventh Street and Colorado Avenue. This platform to be approximately 60 feet by 90 feet in dimension and to have a canvas tent covering and to be operated between May 15th and Sept. 1st, 1927. These dances to be operated under supervision of the Police Department.

Councilman Fairley moved, Councilman Bear seconded that this permit be rejected, as this property is located in the fire limits of the City of Grand Junction and does not conform to the fire ordinances. Motion carried.

The matter of sending out notices to all registered electors who did not vote at the Municipal election, held April 5th, 1927 was brought up and discussed.

Councilman Moslander moved, seconded by Councilman Meders that the City Clerk be authorized to send a notice to every registered elector who did not vote in said election, and that if any elector desired to have his name retained on the registration list, he should appear before the City Clerk and show why he did not vote, before thirty days from the date said notices were sent out. Motion carried.

The bond of Ten Winterburn, electricition, having the approval of the City Attorney was presented. Councilman Bear moved, seconded by Councilman Meders, that the bond be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

The Proof of Publication of the Proposed Ordinance enetitled "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FIFTH PROVISIO OF NO. 403 PASSED AND ADOPTED AUG. 4, 1926, AND ENTITLED" AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2 OF ORDINANCE NO. 311 PASSED MARCH 1, 1922, AND ENTITLED, "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS, THE CONSTRUCTION THEREIN OF CERTAIN LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS, and Providing A METHOD OF PAYMENT THEREFOR" was presented and read.

Councilman Bear moved, seconded by Councilman Logsdon that the Proof of Publication be accepted and ordered filed. Upon which motion the following vote was cast. Councilmen voting "Yea", Ellison, Logsdon, Bear, Fairley, Councilmen voting "No", Moslander, Meders, Bell. A majority of the Councilmen voting "Yea" the President declared the motion carried.

Councilman Bear moved, seconded by Councilman Logsdon that the Proof of Publication be brought up for final passage. Upon which motion the following vote was cast: Councilmen voting "Yea", Ellison, Logsdon, Bear, Fairley, Councilmen voting "no", Moslander, Meders, Bell. A majority of the Councilmen voting "Yea", the President declared the motion carried.

Councilman Ellison moved, seconded by Councilman Bear that the proposed ordinance entitled, "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE FIFTH PROVISIO OF NO. 403 PASSED AND ADOPTED AUG. 4, 1926, AND ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 2 OF ORDINANCE No. 311 PASSED MARCH 1, 1922, AND ENTITLED, "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS, THE CONSTRUCTION THEREIN OF CERTAIN LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS, AND PROVIDING A METHOD OF PAYMENT THEREFORE, be passed and adopted, numbered 418, and published. Upon which motion the following vote was cast. Councilmen voting "Yea", Ellison, Logsdon, Bear, Fairley. Councilmen voting "No", Moslander, Meders, Bell. A majority of the Councilmen voting "Yea", the President declared the motion carried, and the ordinance duly passed and adopted.

The fact that a number of people in the City had not as yet built ash pits was brought up and discussed. Councilman Moslander moved, seconded by Councilman Bear that the City Manager be instructed to publish a notice to the public stating that all violaters of the ash pit ordinance not complying with this ordinance on or before May 2, 1927, be prosecuted according to the provisions of the ordinance. Motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, on motion of Councilmen Fairley, seconded by Councilman Moslander, the meeting adjourned, until April 27th, 1927 at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

/s/ Helen C. Niles
City Clerk