

Grand Junction, Colorado

May 15, 1935

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, met in regular session at 7:30 o'clock P. M. Councilmen present and answering at roll call were: Ross, Oates, Boston, Roberts, Enstrom, and President Carson. Councilman Holcombe was absent. City Manager Soderstrum, City Attorney Bowie, and City Clerk Tomlinson, were present.

The minutes of the meeting held at 10:00 o'clock A.M. May 6th, and the regular adjourned meeting held May 8th were read and approved.

The following applications for the sale of 3.2% beer were presented:

Mrs. Esther McGann, 120 Pitkin Avenue - R. L. Ward, 4th & Rood Ave. Eugene Longo, 322 South 2nd St.

It was moved by Councilman Enstrom and seconded by Councilman Oates that the applications be accepted and licenses issued when the State licenses have been issued. Motion carried.

The following applications for the sale of 3.2% beer were presented. These being renewals under the new State law, whose licenses have not expired, yet. Mr. Soderstrum explained the situation to the Council, and stated that all 3.2 licenses are for a period of one year from date of issuance, that is, if the date of issuance was as of May 15th, the new license would not expire until May 15th, 1936. This would extend the length of the present license beyond the date of expiration of the license under the old law. He suggested that they be charged for only that portion of the new license fee that would be so extended. If a license expired in June, one month's credit, or \$2.00, would be given to the applicant; July, two month's credit, or \$4.00, etc.

Lucile Duncan, Hotel DeHamburger, 118 Main St.

G. L. Robb, White Kitchen, 120 N. 4th St.

Ella Harrison and Anna Chellew, Big Boy's Cafe, 128 S. 4th St.

It was moved by Councilman Enstrom and seconded by Councilman Ross that the applications be accepted and licenses issued when the State licenses have been issued, and that they be given respective credits on their licenses as outlined by Mr. Soderstrum. Motion carried.

Mr. Soderstrum explained that restaurants selling beer, and liquor stores were in much the same position, with the exception that these licenses expire on December 31st, therefore they should be charged for only the portion from the termination date of their present license until the 31st day of December, as follows:

Licenses expiring in August should pay 5 months at \$12.50 per mo.  
Licenses expiring in October should pay 2 months at \$12.50 per mo.

Oliver liquor store and Anore Raso, whose licenses do not expire until Jan. and Feb. 1936, respectively, should be granted a new license without depositing any further fees.

It was moved by Councilman Roberts and seconded by Councilman Enstrom that the applications be accepted and licenses issued when the State licenses have been issued, and that they be given respective credits on their licenses as outlined by Mr. Soderstrum. Motion carried.

The following applications for liquor licensed drug stores were presented:

Reynolds Pharmacy, Copeland Apothecary, and Mesa Drug Co.

It was moved by Councilman Enstrom and seconded by Councilman Roberts that the applications be accepted and licenses issued when the State licenses have been issued. Motion carried.

Mr. R. L. Sherwood presented an application for a restaurant beer and wine license for a restaurant to be located at 4th & Colorado. Mr. Soderstrum pointed out that the State law provides no license shall be granted within 500 feet of any school for the sale of liquor by the drink, in any restaurant not already established.

It was moved by Councilman Ross and seconded by Councilman Enstrom that the license be not granted. Motion carried.

Mr. D. Frank Payne presented an offer to the Council to purchase the special assessment tax sale certificates against the Phoebe Edward's property for 60% of the face value of the certificates, and without interest and penalties.

It was moved by Councilman Ross and seconded by Councilman Roberts that the City Manager be instructed to inform Mr. Payne that the Council would sell him the certificates for 75% of the face value. Roll was called on the motion with the following result: Councilmen voting AYE, Ross, Oates, Boston, Roberts, Enstrom, and Carson. Councilmen voting NO, None. All of the Councilmen voting AYE, the President declared the motion carried.

An application from Jas. Hards was presented, asking to be allowed to install a curb gas pump at 251 Colorado Ave. It was moved by Councilman Ross and seconded by Councilman Roberts that the application be denied. Roll was called on the motion with the following result: Councilmen voting AYE, Ross, Oates, Boston, Roberts. Councilmen voting NO, Enstrom and Carson. A majority of the Councilmen voting AYE, the President declared the motion carried, and the request denied.

The matter of hiring more Policemen was brought up and discussed and was referred to the Finance Committee.

It was moved by Councilman Ross and seconded by Councilman Roberts that the meeting adjourn. Motion carried.

/s/ Helen C. Tomlinson  
City Clerk