

Grand Junction, Colorado

February 22, 1939

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, met in special session at 4:00 o'clock P. M. Councilmen present and answering at roll call were: Ross, Holcombe, Enstrom, Boston, Carson, Oates, and Groves. City Manager Soderstrum, City Attorney Hinman, and City Clerk Tomlinson were present.

Owing to the necessity for calling a meeting of the Council on short notice, and each member having been duly notified, it was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Holcombe that the provision set forth in Ordinance No. 502 providing that notice be served upon the individual Councilmen be waived, and that said call is hereby ratified. All members of the Council voted AYE, and the President declared the motion carried.

Captain A. A. Lewis of the Police Department of Wichita, Kansas, who has been making a survey of the Grand Junction Police Department, was called before the Council and made a partial report on the developments he has found and a few recommendations he will make. After the Council heard Captain Lewis' report, it was the consensus of opinion that the City should secure a new Police Chief, offering Mr. Decker a position on the Police Force, if he should desire it. Upon the recommendations of Captain Lewis, it was decided to try to secure a man who is at present on the Police force in Wichita, to come to Grand Junction, as Police Chief.

An emergency ordinance, entitled, "AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING SALARIES", was presented and read. It was moved by Councilman Holcombe and seconded by Councilman Carson that the Ordinance be passed and adopted as an emergency ordinance, numbered 605, and published. Roll was called on the motion with the following result: Councilmen voting AYE - Ross, Holcombe, Enstrom, Boston, Carson, Oates, and Groves. Councilmen voting NO - None. All of the Councilmen voting AYE, the President declared the motion carried.

It was moved by Councilman Enstrom and seconded by Councilman Carson that the meeting adjourn. Motion carried.

/s/ Helen C. Tomlinson
City Clerk