

Grand Junction, Colorado

January 6, 1943

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: Carson, Ross, Hoisington, Boston, Robb and Campbell. President Treece was absent. Also present were City Manager Brownson, City Attorney Banks, and City Clerk Tomlinson.

The minutes of the regular meeting held December 16th were read and approved.

It was moved by Councilman Hoisington and seconded by Councilman Ross that Councilman Robb act as President of the Council Pro-tem. Motion carried and Councilman Robb took the Chair and presided during the meeting.

The following entitled proposed ordinance was introduced and read: "AN Ordinance Amending Ordinance No. 606, which was an amendment to the present Milk Ordinance. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Hoisington that the ordinance be passed for publication. Motion carried.

City Manager Brownson reported that Mr. Reed Miller owned two street lights on North Second by the side of his garage and for years has paid for having them lit at night, but that at the present time he is closing at 6 P.M. and had offered the City the use of the standards if they cared to take over the payment for the lighting of same. It was decided that the City would not do anything at present about the lighting of these two lamps.

Mr. Brownson, City Manager, recommended to the Council, that on account of the rationing of gas and tires, and the resulting lessening of traffic, that the following stop signs be removed for the present:

On Main Street at the North side of 9th Street, and both sides of 10th, 11th, and 12th.

On Grand Ave. at West, Rice, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 6th, 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th.

On South 7th Street at Ute, Pitkin, South and First Ave.

On 12th Street at Rood, White, Ouray, Chipeta, Gunnison, Hill, Teller, Belford, the West side of Elm Ave.

It was moved by Councilman Campbell and seconded by Councilman Carson that the Council accept the recommendations of the City Manager and remove the signs. Motion carried, with Councilman Ross voting "No."

Some time ago a revocable permit was issued to the County to use a tract of land located at the north edge of the Sewage Disposal plant for a stock drive. Mr. Adams, County Attorney would like to either have a deed to this property from the City or have it dedicated for public use. The matter was referred to the City Manager and City Attorney to work out some plan for dedicating this property to the public use.

The Red Lands Co. have requested that the City give them a deed to a small tract of land near the NoThoroughfare Wash, so that they may control the dumping of trash at that location. This matter was referred to the City Attorney for investigation.

Mr. Brownson brought up the matter of fixing up the dog pound, and the Council instructed him to go ahead with his plans and fix a fit place for dogs to be impounded.

Francis Stringer requested that the arrangement made that his wife work part time as Assistant Treasurer be continued until the 1st of May. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Boston that the request be granted. Motion carried.

The matter of the City Attorney's salary for 1943 was brought up and discussed. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Hoisington that the City Attorney's salary for the coming year be set at \$150 per month. Roll was called on the motion with all members of the Council voting AYE. The President declared the motion carried.

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

/s/ Helen C. Tomlinson  
City Clerk