

Grand Junction, Colorado

June 16, 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, Treece and President Robb. Councilman Campbell was absent. Also present were City Manager Brownson, City Attorney Banks, and City Clerk Tomlinson.

The minutes of the regular meeting held June 2nd were read and approved.

The Agreement between the Mesa County Service Center Inc. and the City of Grand Junction, expired on May 1st, and an agreement to renew same until May 1st, 1945 was presented. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Treece that the City Manager and City Clerk be authorized to sign and execute the agreement for the lease of the Y.M.C.A. to the Mesa County Service Center Inc. Roll was called on the motion with all members of the Council present voting AYE on the motion.

At this time Councilman Boston entered the meeting.

The Watch Tower Society requested the use of the Lincoln Park Auditorium for a convention to be held August 20, 21 and 22. They also requested the use of the Moyer Pool for their emersion services on Sunday A.M. August 22nd. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Hoisington that the request be denied. Roll was called on the motion with the following result: Councilmen voting AYE - Carson, Ross, Hoisington, Boston, Treece and Robb. Councilmen voting NO, None. All of the Councilmen present voting AYE, the President declared the motion carried.

Thomas McCall and Son have completed their contract for the construction of the hangar extension and classroom at Walker Field with the exception of a few minor items. The City Engineer has approved the work and recommended the payment of 90% of the contract price of \$1,527.00 amounting to \$1,374.30. It was moved by Councilman Ross and seconded by Councilman Carson that the City Clerk be instructed to draw a warrant in favor of Thomas McCall and Son in the amount of \$1,374.30, in payment for 90% of their contract for the construction of the hangar and classroom at Walker Field. Roll was called on the motion with all members of the Council voting AYE. The President declared the motion carried.

Mr. Brownson read a letter from Frazer Arnold, the Adjutant General, State of Colorado Military Department in regard to a plan of organization of the Colorado State Guard, the Third Battalion of which would have its headquarters in Grand Junction. Several other organizations received similar letters, with the recommendation that a meeting be called for the purpose of organization. It was regularly moved and seconded that a meeting

of all those notified be held Tuesday evening, June 22nd and 8 P.M. in the Council Chamber for the purpose of considering the organization of the Third Battalion to the Colorado State Guard. Motion carried.

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

/s/ Helen C. Tomlinson  
City Clerk