

Grand Junction, Colorado

January 5, 1944

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

The minutes of the meeting held December 15th were read and approved.

A renewal of the beer license for Joe Simonetti was requested. The application being in the name of Mae's Grocery and the location 226 Pitkin Ave. It was moved by Councilman Campbell and seconded by Councilman Hoisington that the application be approved and the license granted. Motion carried.

An emergency salary ordinance entitled, "AN ORDINANCE TEMPORARILY INCREASING WAGES AND SALARIES OF CITY EMPLOYEES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY" was introduced and read. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Hoisington that the ordinance be passed and adopted as an emergency ordinance, numbered 672 and published in The Daily Sentinel. Roll was called on the motion with the following result: Councilmen voting AYE - Carson, Harris, Hoisington, Boston, Treece, Campbell and Robb. Councilmen voting NO - None. All of the Councilmen voting AYE, the President declared the motion carried.

The following resolution was presented and read;

RESOLUTION

IT IS RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, that Bruce Brownson, as City Manager of said City, is hereby appointed, authorized and directed, in its name and behalf, to sell Lot 18, Block 23 in the City of Grand Junction, County of Mesa and State of Colorado, owned by said City and not used or held by it for any park or governmental purpose, for not less than the sum of \$600.00, upon such terms and conditions as he, in his discretion, may determine, and to execute and deliver a good and sufficient quit claim or special warranty deed of conveyance of said property to the purchaser thereof, and to cause the seal of said City to be affixed thereto and attested by the City Clerk.

It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Boston that the resolution be passed and adopted as read. Roll was called on the motion with all members of the City Council voting AYE thereupon. The President declared the motion carried and the resolution duly passed and adopted.

City Manager Brownson reported that all indications were that for the present at least, 3 per cent gas tax funds may only be used for improvements to city streets designated as state highways or alternate routes. Mr. Vail has indicated that he would give consideration to applications for funds to be used on streets which could logically be designated as alternate routes. South Seventh Street from Struthers to Crawford Avenue and Struthers from Fifth to Seventh both need to be improved. It was moved by Councilman Campbell and seconded by Councilman Treece that the City designate South Seventh Street and Struthers Avenue as alternate Highways. Motion carried.

Copies of reports on the Water survey sent by Black & Veatch were given to the Council for their study.

It was moved by Councilman Hoisington and seconded by Councilman Carson that the meeting adjourn until Wednesday, January 12th, at 7:30 o'clock. Motion carried.

/s/ Helen C. Tomlinson
City Clerk