

Grand Junction, Colorado

August 23, 1950

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction met in regular adjourned session at 7:30 P. M. Councilmen present and answering at roll call were Hanson, Carson, Harper, Colescott, Hoisington and President Martin. Also present were City Manager Toyne, City Attorney Banks and City Clerk Tomlinson.

C. A. WALT SWORN IN. Mr. C. A. Walt who had been appointed as Councilman from District "B" to fill the unexpired term of Philip G. Dufford who resigned, was sworn into office by the City Clerk.

CANVASS ELECTION VOTES. The votes for the franchise election which was held August 22nd were then canvassed by the Council, and the following report was made:

#### TALLY SHEET

We, the undersigned, acting as canvassing board, hereby certify that we have canvassed the returns of the Special Municipal election held in the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, on August 22nd, 1950, and from the said canvass find the results to be as follows:

That 369 ballots were cast in District "A"  
That 644 ballots were cast in District "B"  
That 220 ballots were cast in District "C"  
That 532 ballots were cast in District "D"  
That 573 ballots were cast in District "E"

Districts at said election

The votes for the Ordinance granting the franchise were as follows:

"An Ordinance Granting a Franchise by the City of Grand Junction, Mesa County, Colorado, to Public Service Company of Colorado, its Successors and Assigns, for the Purpose of Furnishing Electricity and Electric Service and Gas and Gas Service to the City of Grand Junction and its Inhabitants and to Authorize said Company, its Successors and Assigns, to Locate, Build, Construct, Acquire, Purchase, Extend, Maintain and Operate into, Within and Through said City of Grand Junction, a Plant or Plants, Substations, and Works, for the Purchase, Manufacture, Generation, Transmission and Distribution of Electricity and Gas, Either Natural, Artificial or Mixed, and to Furnish, Distribute and Sell said Electricity and Gas to the City of Grand Junction, and the Inhabitants Thereof, for Light, Heat and Power or Other Purposes by Means of Pipes, Mains, Conduits, Cables, Poles and Wires Strung thereon, or Otherwise, On, Over, Under, Along, Across and Through all Streets, Alleys, Viaducts,

Bridges, Roads, Lanes, and other Public Ways and Places in Said City of Grand Junction, and Authorizing said Company, its Successors and Assigns, to Use Certain Streets and Public Places for the Purpose of Furnishing said Services; and Fixing the Terms and Conditions Thereof, and Providing for Rates and Standards of Service Therefor."

DISTRICT	"A"	"B"	"C"	"D"	"E"	TOTAL	MAJORITY
FOR	352	626	207	512	545	2242	2142
AGAINST	16	13	13	20	28	90	

/s/ R. G. Martin  
 /s/ F. A. Hoisington  
 /s/ Harry O. Colescott  
 /s/ Porter Carson  
 /s/ Oscar Hanson, Jr.  
 /s/ John C. Harper  
 /s/ C. A. Walt

CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

It was moved by Councilman Hoisington and seconded by Councilman Harper that the report of the Canvassing Board be accepted. Roll was called on the motion with all of the members of the Council voting "AYE." The President declared the motion carried.

MESA COUNTY HEALTH UNIT ASSURED OF COOPERATION FOR 1951 BUDGET. Councilman Hanson and Hoisington reported that they had spent several hours at the Health Committee meeting on Monday evening concerning the 1951 budget for the Mesa County Health Unit. They wish to report to the Council within the next few days by written report as they wish to explain in detail a number of policies. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Hoisington that the Council would assure the Mesa County Health Department and County Commissioners that they would continue to participate financially in the health program and would probably go along with the requested amount of \$9,960 but that definite action would be taken on Sept. 6th at the regular meeting of the Council. Roll was called on the motion with all members of the Council voting "AYE." President Martin declared the motion carried.

C. A. WALT APPOINTED ON COMMITTEES. President Martin appointed C. A. Walt to serve on the Fire and Police Committee, the Finance Committee and as the chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Committee.

COLO. MUNICIPAL LEAGUE ON PROPOSED LEGISLATION. The Colorado Municipal League asks that the Council notify their legislators if they want to suggest any policies on either the civil defense or slot machine proposed legislation. It was moved by Councilman Carson and seconded by Councilman Harper that the letter be accepted and filed. Motion carried.

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

/s/ Helen C. Tomlinson  
City Clerk