

Minutes from the Commission Meeting held on

May 7, 1991

The Englewood Board of Commissioners met in regular session on May 07, 1991 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Cass with Commissioners Long, Brown, Casteel, and Peeler being present.

After a call for review of the minutes of the previous meeting, a motion was made by Casteel and seconded by Brown to accept the minutes as presented. All ayes.

Mr. Beckwith of the Tennessee Department of Transportation was present to inform the Board of any progress concerning the 4-laning of 411. He stated that the decision to bypass the town had been recently made and that the survey would begin soon. A map of the proposed bypass was reviewed and several questions were asked from the commission and from citizens as the reason for this decision. Mr. Beckwith informed the Board that going around town was a cheaper route, would improve the flow of traffic, and be less disruptive on homes and businesses. He also stated that after the survey and design were done, the state would return for a hearing. Mr. Beckwith also stated that the estimated cost of moving city utilities if the chosen route was through town would be \$310,000, the cost of going around town \$10,370.00. And through town-\$11,195.00. After discussion, The Mayor thanked Mr. Beckwith for coming to the meeting.

Bart Truell and Doug Williams then brought a complaint against the police department for an arrest made by Officer Tim Smith on April 13, 1991. After listening to the complaint, the Board was in agreement that an officer cannot be convicted or dismissed by the Board without an indictment against him and that their resources would be to take it before a grand jury.

Permission was then given to Dewayne Leeto use the area around the gazebo for a revival May 20-25th from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. A motion was then made by Peeler and seconded by Long to allow the use of the gazebo for this purpose. All voted aye.

Citizen Darrell McConkey then stated before the Board that he felt that Englewood had the best police department i the country and that Officer Tim Smith was the finest.

Concerning the alley behind the Dennis Hyde residence, he was informed that the city would use the back-hoe to ditch it, build up the road and the gravel.

After discussion concerning the need of Erskin Knox and his neighbor for mote water pressure. The Board agreed that a bigger line was needed, and that it would be about 700-800 feet of line from the Moses residence to their homes. A motion was then made by Peeler and seconded by Long to replace the existing line with a 2" line from the city limits to Bud Moses. All voted aye.

Concerning the hiring of pool personnel, manager applications were reviewed. These included Barbara Derrick, Clorette Martin, and Jeanette Derrick. After discussion, a motion was made by Long to hire Barbara Derrick as manager based on her past experience at the pool. The motion was seconded by Long. On a roll call vote, ayes were cast by Brown and Long with abstentions by Casteel and Peeler.

Lifeguard applications were reviewed for the pool with Joe Guy, Tiffany Sisson, and Autumn Cass being selected as regulars and Shea Nichols as fill-in. It was decided that pool hours would be: Closed-Mondays, Tues-Wed-Fri-Sat: 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Thurs-3:00 to 8:00p.m., and Sunday-2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Concerning the painting of the pool at an approximate cost of \$3,500, it was decided by a motion by Peeler and a second by Casteel to purchase a new liquid chlorinator for the pool this year and consider painting next year. All voted aye.

A motion was then made by Casteel and seconded by Brown to pay Hockman Pool Supply for repairs to the pool. All ayes.

Mayor Cass then submitted a bid for mowing of city property but the commission decided they were not interested at this time. Steve Lee had also stated that he was fertilizing soccer fields and wanted to know if the city wanted the ball fields fertilized. The commission declined.

Mayor Cass then informed the Board that Stan Womac had bought property across from Winchester's and wants city water. He informed the Board that he would have to install a 6" line and have state approval.

The Commissioners the discussed paving of some city streets. It was decided that an ad should be placed in the newspaper advertising for bids on street paving.

With no further business , a motion was made by Casteel and seconded by Brown to adjourn the meeting. All ayes.

Robert L. Cass
Mayor

C.A. Goodin
Recorder