

**Minutes from the Commission Meeting held on
December 1, 1992**

The Englewood Mayor and Board of Commissioners met in regular session on December 1, 1992 at 6:00 p.m. After a call to order by the Mayor, roll call revealed that Brown, Long, Peeler, Casteel, and Cass were present.

A call for review of the minutes was then held. With a motion by Casteel and a second by Peeler to accept the minutes as presented. All ayes.

Mrs. James Gibson was then present to complain to the Board that she was being required to pay sewer charges when she cannot reach the sewer as her trailer is back too far on the lot. The Board was informed that a sewer tap was available and that the previous residence there had been hooked up. After discussion of the matter, a motion was made by Peeler and seconded by Long to table the matter until the sewer elevation can be shot. All ayes.

Frank Clingenpeel, who is assisting the town with their dog problem, informed the Board that he cannot give rabies shots, that they must be administered by a veterinarian. Concerning the dog kennels at the Clingenpeel residence, the Mayor reported that he had several complaints concerning barking from neighbors. He further stated that it might be in the best interest of all if a place away from the residential area could be found to house the animals. In agreement, the Board decided to look into finding alternative housing for the animals before the next meeting.

Police Chief Jack then requested that the annual supplemental pay given to the certified police officers by the state be given to the officers before Christmas. Noting that the supplemental pay would not come to the city before possibly April of next year, a motion was made by Long and seconded by Peeler to give the certified officers one-half of the proposed pay supplement now, based on the expected amount of \$480 per officer, and one-half when the full amount is received by the city. All ayes.

Upon a motion by Casteel and a second by Brown, Ordinance 111092, lowering of speed limit on certain streets was passed on second reading. All voted aye.

Discussion then ensued concerning the alum sludge pond at the water plant. It was stated by the Mayor that the pond had been full for four years and it must be cleaned out at least on a temporary basis. The temporary solution is to dig a pit, put gravel and drainage in so that the sediment can dry out, and then it can be transported to the landfill. The Board decided to look at the problem before the next work session.

Based on a recommendation by Long that the firemen be raised from \$7.50 per call to \$10.00 per call. Commissioners Cass and Casteel stated that they had no fault with the increase but that it should be addressed at budget time. A motion was then made by Long and seconded by Peeler to raise the amount paid to the firemen from \$7.50 per call

up to 2 hours to \$10 per call up to 2 hours, with \$3 paid per hour afterwards. Upon roll call, Brown, Peeler, and Long voted aye with Cass and Casteel opposing. Motion carried.

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

Robert L. Cass
Mayor

Carolyn Goodin
Recorder -