

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
April 21, 1977
7:30 p.m.

COUNCIL CHAMBERSSPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the City Council of the City of Milwaukie, Oregon was held on the 21st day of April, 1977. The following councilpersons were present:

Allen Manuel

Mayor Bill E. Hupp

Joy Burgess

Charles Swan

Absent:

Jerry Hutchison (excused)

Also present:

Donald Graf, Budget Committee

Joe Bernard, Budget Committee

Wallace Bischoff, Budget Committee

Diane Brock, Budget Committee

Harold L. Schilling, City Manager

Dorothy E. Farrell, Secretary

The meeting was held for the purpose of a public hearing on planned use of revenue sharing moneys, and other business.

PUBLIC HEARING - PLANNED USE OF REVENUE SHARING

Public hearing was declared open. Speaking on revenue sharing requests were:

Marcus R. Dukes, 6519 SE Laura Avenue, suggested assisting people pay their utility bills

Nova Young, 4748 SE Arden Street, suggested a part-time director for senior citizen activities

A letter was received from Irwin S. Adams, 2453 SE Lake Road, for revenue sharing funds for improvement of downtown Milwaukie.

Public hearing was declared closed.

CONTINUATION OF APRIL 18 MEETINGRESOLUTION NUMBER - 17-1977 - SUPPORTING LIBRARY LEVY

Continuation of April 18 meeting was called to order. It was MOVED by Swan, SECONDED by Burgess, to read Resolution Number 17-1977 (A RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE CONCEPT OF A COOPERATIVE LIBRARY SERVICE AS BEING IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY RESIDENTS AND SUPPORTING PASSAGE OF THE LEVY TO BE SUBMITTED AT THE ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, MAY 17, 1977, AND URGING ALL QUALIFIED ELECTORS TO VOTE IN SAID ELECTION) and Resolution Number 18-1977 (A RESOLUTION REPEALING RESOLUTION NUMBER 43-1975 AND ESTABLISHING A PRO RATA REFUND OF THE ANNUAL CHARGE FOR USE OF THE LEDDING LIBRARY BY NON-CITY RESIDENTS UPON THE PASSAGE OF THE COUNTY-WIDE LIBRARY SERVICE LEVY ON MAY 17, 1977) by title only. MOTION CARRIED unani- mously. It was MOVED by Hupp, SECONDED by Swan, to adopt Resolutions 17-1977 and 18-1977. MOTION CARRIED unanimously.

DISCUSSION OF POLICY ON SENIOR CITIZEN ASSISTANCE

Councilman Manuel discussed the broad concept of assistance to needy persons, stating Council should consider whether or not to continue a possible program of rebates or lowered sewer rates if the state also institutes such a program. He would want to institute a program that would get to most of the qualifying individuals. He

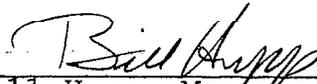
feels a lower sewer rate program is inequitable, because there are many people living in apartments or not hooked up to sewers. There was discussion of others in need, such as handicapped persons and low income persons of all ages. A suggestion was hiring a person called "Social Services Outreach Director," to help citizens take advantage of all the state and federal programs available. It was Council consensus to ask staff to describe such a program, and a proposed job description, as well as resources required. Manuel felt it would require two people, one to work with senior citizens, and another to work with all age groups.

OTHER BUSINESS

1. City newsletter will be published about May 1, to be delivered to postal patrons.
2. City has a contract with former City Engineer to assist in engineering services until we have a Public Works Director and City Engineer.

Meeting adjourned at 9:05 p.m., and Council went into executive session, under ORS 192.660 (2)(a), to discuss bargaining matters

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 p.m.



Bill Hupp, Mayor

ATTEST:



Dorothy E. Farrell, Secretary