

Minutes of the regular meeting of the San Anselmo City Council held January 9th 1962

PRESENT COUNCILMEN: Smith, Franchini, Reichmuth, Little

ABSENT COUNCILMAN: Rouse

Mayor Little, Presiding

Mayor Little welcomed and introduced Mrs. Stinchcomb and 6th grade students of Brookside School.

Councilman Franchini moves approval of minutes of December 12th & 27th. Councilman Reichmuth seconds same. Passed unanimously

NWPRR TUNNEL ABANDONMENT - Councilman Franchini stated he feels it would hurt the community to abandon tunnel and moves to back San Rafael in their fight against the railroad.

Councilman Reichmuth feels council should remain neutral.

Councilman Smith feels city has a responsibility to citizens and should support San Rafael and seconds motion. Motion passed on following vote:

AYES COUNCILMEN: Smith, Franchini, Little

NOES COUNCILMAN: Reichmuth

HUB LANDSCAPING - Mr. Kapranos presented preliminary plans for landscaping of Hub Intersection - City Administrator stated he has had no chance to go over this with Mr. Kapranos and would like to do so. Council very pleased with plan presented and Mayor Little thanked Mr. Kapranos. City Administrator to get together with Mr. Kapranos on this matter.

SUBDIVISION REDWOOD ROAD - tentative map of subdivision on Redwood Road in the name of Richard White.

City Administrator recommends referring this back to Planning Commission for their review. Russell Spatz chairman of Planning Commission spoke on slope policy. Mayor Little stated slope policy is excellent and council should go on record supporting same. Councilman Franchini moves to refer back to Planning Commission for further study with recommendation from council same conform to slope policy. Councilman Smith seconds same. Passed unanimously

Matter of elective officers held over for return of Councilman Rouse.

Councilman Franchini moves to authorize City Administrator to sell junk at Corporation yard for \$35.00. Councilman Reichmuth seconds same. Passed unan.

CITIZENS COMMITTEE to study parks and recreation discussed by council. Seven to be appointed to serve for six month period.

Mayor Little read the following names as suggested by council.

Fr. Kelly	Max Martin	Dwight Nelson
M.M. Murray	Jerry Cahill	Robt. Maher
Mrs. Wm.C. Anderson	Mary Hedin	Daniel Dibert

Councilman Smith feels before voting he would like to go over list.

Mayor Little recommends the following seven to serve:

Fr. Kelly	Robt. Maher	Mary Hedin
M.M. Murray	Dwight Nelson	Mrs. Wm.C. Anderson
Daniel Dibert		

Councilman Franchini moves to accept list as recommended. Councilman Reichmuth seconds same. Motion passed on following vote:

AYES COUNCILMEN: Franchini, Little, Reichmuth

PASSING COUNCILMAN: Smith

BIDS for pickup truck for Fire Department having been checked by Fire Chief and City Administrator and they recommend low bid of DeLong Chev. Co.

Councilman Franchini moves to accept low bid of DeLong Chev. Councilman Reichmuth seconds same. Passed unanimously

RESOLUTION 895 Adopting and submitting a budget for expenditure of State Allocated Engineering Funds. Councilman Reichmuth moves adoption. Councilman Smith seconds same. Passed unanimously

ORDINANCE 477 Regulating trees in San Anselmo first reading in full.

VENDORS ORDINANCE - City Attorney stated he has drafted several ordinances but same not satisfactory, talked with Mr. Keller League of California Cities and they are making a study of same. Matter held over for further study.

City Administrator read a memo on collection of taxes by county and recommends to council to approach supervisors to have county collect same with no extra cost.

Councilman Reichmuth moves to adopt an ordinance and have county collect taxes. Councilman Smith seconds same. Motion passed on following vote:

AYES COUNCILMEN - Smith, Reichmuth, Little
NOES COUNCILMAN - Franchini

ORDINANCE 476 "Transferring taxes to county tax collector first reading in full.

RESOLUTION 896 "Claims and demands for the month of December 1961 in the amount of \$50,799.49. Councilman Smith moves adoption. Councilman Reichmuth seconds same. Passed unanimously

City Administrator recommends to council to have phone booth removed from in front of City Hall. Councilman Reichmuth moves to instruct City Administrator to contact Telephone Company to remove same or relocate booth elsewhere. Councilman Franchini seconds same. Passed unanimously

Councilman Reichmuth inquired if letter had been sent to Douglas Oil Co. thanking them for removing large sign at service station. City Administrator advised letter already sent.

Councilman Reichmuth spoke on road conditions whether money could be collected as special road fund when new houses are being constructed and asked City Engineer to investigate and see what can be done to assist in road care. City Attorney advised it would be thru an assesment.

Letter of thanks to go to all who assisted in Christmas decorations.

MEETING ADJOURNED 9:45 P.M.

Anita Gannon, City Clerk