

CAVE SPRING CITY COUNCIL  
JUNE 12, 2007  
BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING 6:00 P.M.  
REGULAR MEETING FOLLOWING

PRESENT Mayor Rob Ware, Councilmembers Donnie McCain, Nellie McCain, Ken Landers, Kenneth Kelley, and Tony McIntosh were present. Attorney Gene Richardson was absent due to a death in his family.

PUBLIC HEARING

CALL TO ORDER Mayor Ware called the public hearing to order. He then opened the floor for questions or concerns regarding the proposed 2007-2008 budget. There were none. The Mayor then closed the public hearing.

REGULAR MEETING

CALL TO ORDER Mayor Ware called the meeting to order.

PLEDGE TO FLAG Nellie McCain led the pledge to the American flag.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

TRACY PACKER Mr. Packer addressed the Council regarding water pressure on Ridge and Valley Roads. He stated this problem has occurred several times in the past six years and replacing impeller in pump on Padlock Mtn. Road corrected the problem. Mr. Packer expressed concern that the City needs to look into this problem since he continually has low pressure every other day. When asked if his house was on the highest lot in the area, he stated his was second to Earl Russell's. Mr. Packer also expressed concern that the addition of customers on King's Bridge Road in the future will increase pressure problems on Ridge Road.

KEN WHEELER Mr. Wheeler had asked to be on agenda, but he was unable to come due to personal emergency.

LARRY WRIGHT Mr. Wright, a customer with a residence on a very high hill at 5100 Fosters Mill Road, addressed the Council regarding excessive water bills for the last two months. He believes that water leaks in his area have caused the water to be pulled back out of his lines causing him to have double readings. The Mayor said he wanted to look at the customer's booster pump and study the matter.

SAMS' BBQ OWNER Mr. Sams addressed the Council regarding the sewer problems he has at 6 Rome Road. He stated the only thing they can run down the sewer is water—no solid waste. The Mayor told him that possibly the line connecting him to the main sewer line has collapsed, and the only alternative for Mr. Sams would be to run another line to the manhole on the lot behind his business. The Mayor said he would have the City look into the problem.

FRANK ROMANO Mr. Romano submitted the idea for a memorial for veterans in Cave Spring using American flags and wooden crosses as used in Centre, Alabama in the median on Highway 431 between Centre and Leesburg. The Mayor asked Mr. Romano to obtain more information and get with them at a later date.

APPROVAL OF PAST MINUTES MOTION: Ken Landers made motion to approve minutes of May 8, May 29, and June 7, 2007. Kelley seconded. All voted yes.

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DAY CARE REPORT This report was presented in written form.

DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY This report was presented in written form. The Memorial Day cookout sponsored by the DDA netted \$100.

POLICE REPORT This report was presented in written form.

COURT REPORT This report was presented in written form.

FIRE DEPT. REPORT This report was presented in written form.

WATER REPORT This report was presented in written form.

ADJUSTMENTS MOTION: Donnie McCain made motion to approve listed adjustments except the accounts of Black, Steele Estate, and New Hope. Kelley seconded. All voted yes.

CLERK'S REPORT This report was presented in written form. The Council was informed that campaign disclosure forms must be filled out and turned in before June 30, 2007.

MOTION TO PAY BILLS MOTION: Nellie McCain made motion to pay bills. Kelley seconded. All voted yes.

OLD BUSINESS There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS

1<sup>st</sup> READING 2007-2008 BUDGET MOTION: Nellie McCain made motion to put 2007-2008 Fiscal Year Budget on first reading. Landers seconded. All voted yes.

PURCHASE REQUEST-FIRE DEPARTMENT The Fire Department has submitted a request to purchase new light bar for Rescue Truck. The Mayor stated this should be held over until new fiscal year.

ANNEXATIONS This item was postponed until Gene Richardson, Attorney, is present.

PURCHASE REQUEST-POLICE COMPUTER The Police Department has requested the purchase of a desktop computer. The Mayor asked this to be postponed until the called meeting/work session.

ADJOURN MOTION: Kenneth Kelley made motion to adjourn. Landers seconded. All voted yes. Mayor adjourned the meeting.

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