

The Public Works Commission requested the Council to approve the acceptance of the low bid of \$51,200.00 made by Consolidated Construction Co. for modification of the Bonnie Doone Sewage Disposal Plant.

Councilman Plummer's motion for acceptance by Council was seconded by Councilman Maness and approved.

Mr. Lamont L. Parsons was recognized by the Council on a request to hold public dances at the old 301 Truck Stop location on Dunn Road. Several persons were present in opposition to the action.

After a brief discussion, Councilman Plummer moved that Council deny the request. Motion seconded by Councilman Rose and Carried.

Upon motion by Councilman Plummer, seconded by Councilman Maness, the Council voted to advertise a public hearing to be held at the regular meeting of April 9th for rezoning two lots on Owen Drive from R-10 Residential District to P-1 Professional District.

The Council, upon motion by Councilman Rose, seconded by Councilman Maness, also voted to advertise a public hearing for April 9th to consider an amendment to the zoning ordinance which would allow parking as a special use permit in the R-10, R-6 and R-5 Residential Districts.

The Council, upon motion by Councilman Rose, seconded by Councilman Maness, further voted to hold a public hearing on April 9th to consider an amendment to the Zoning Ordinance concerning changes in the dimensional requirements of the C-3 Heavy Commercial District.

Upon motion by Councilman Plummer, seconded by Councilman Maness, the Council voted approval of final Plats for Part "A", VanStory Hills, Section V to resubdivision Charles T. Haigh Property, subject to approval by City Engineering Department & Public Works Commission.

The Council, upon motion by Councilman Plummer, seconded Councilman Maness, voted approval to a request by Planning Director Rumbough for employment of personnel for 701 Project for the summer.

Upon motion by Councilman Plummer, seconded by Councilman Rhodes, the Council voted approval of a final plat for Lot 13, Block F, Glendale Acres, Section II, subject to the condition that all utility tapping fees be paid, that house sewer be extended to as near sewer service connection as possible and that sewer be connected to sewer system as soon as sewer is made available.

The following Taxi Driver Permit Applications were approved by the Council upon motion by Councilman Plummer, seconded by Councilman Maness:

Lonnie D. Williams Charles C. Sports
William C. Allen

At the suggestion of Councilman Plummer, a special meeting of the Council was set for 8:00 P.M., on Monday, March 19th for the discussion of Taxicab Operator Certificates and again for general discussion at regular meeting on Monday, March 26th.

Mr. Ray read a letter from Riddle, Floyd, Godwin requesting the Council to order paving, without a petition, of a section of Tarwick Avenue in Glendale Acres.

Councilman Rhodes moved for advertisement of a public hearing on March 26th. Motion seconded by Councilman Rose and carried.

City Attorney Tally reported on the sale of McArthur lot on March 9th. One bid was received from Mr. Fulton Tyler for the advertised price of \$7,500.00. Bid will remain open for 10 days as prescribed by law.

Mr. Ray advised Council of bid opening for city's fleet liability insurance coverage on March 15th. The Council gave tentative authorization to Mr. Ray to accept the low bid offered.

Mr. Ray read a letter from Mr. Charles Clark, Fayetteville Chamber of Commerce, in which Mr. Clark urged the city to become a member of the Rivers and Harbors Congress.

Mayor Butler voiced his endorsement of the suggestion and of the city becoming a member of the Cape Fear Basin Development Association as well.

Councilman Plummer moved that the city join both organizations at a membership fee of \$100.00 to the Rivers and Harbors Congress and \$25.00 to the Cape Fear Basin Development Association. His motion was seconded by Councilman Rhodes and carried.

The Council, upon motion by Councilman Rhodes, seconded by Councilman Plummer, authorized the owners of the Rose Hotel to replace a fuel oil tank on the West side of their building, corner of Hay and Winslow Streets, provided the tank is replaced according to the instructions of the Building Inspector & Fire Chief.

The Council, upon motion by Councilman Plummer, seconded by Councilman Rose, voted to hold a public hearing on March 26th on a petition for paving Manchester Street between Greenland Drive and Pearl Street.

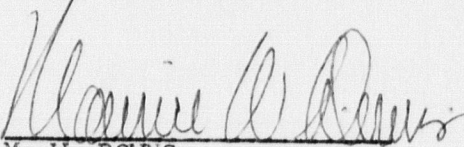
Mayor Butler advised the Council of a meeting of the U. S. Conference of Mayors to be held in Florida, May 13th thru May 16th.

Mr. Tally briefly outlined the purpose of the meeting and the benefit which could be obtained by city officials at such meetings.

Mayor Butler endorsed the attendance of all city officials and senior department heads at such meetings and suggested the adoption by the Council of a resolution permitting attendance at such meetings.

Councilman Rhodes moved for the adoption of a resolution to permit attendance by a representative or representatives of the city at such meetings as specifically authorized by the Council. His motion was seconded by Councilman Rose and carried.

There being no further business before the Council and upon motion by Councilman Maness, seconded by Councilman Rhodes, the meeting was adjourned at 9:30 P.M.


M. W. DOWNS
City Clerk