AGENDA

COMMON COUNCIL

SPECIAL SESSION

MAY 11, 1983, 7:30 P.M.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. AGENDA SUMMATION
- III. MESSAGES FROM COUNCILMEMBERS
- IV. MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR
- V. PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS
- VI. LEGISLATION FOR DISCUSSION/VOTE SECOND READINGS
 - 1. <u>Resolution 83-19</u> To Authorize the Filing of a Grant Application Under Urban Parks and Recreation Recovery Act of 1978.
- VII. ADJOURNMENT

In the Common Council Chambers of the Municipal Building held on May 11, 1983, at 7:30 P.M., with Council President Kathy Dilcher presiding over a Special Session of the Common Council. MAY 11, 1983

Councilmembers present: Morrison, Towell, Porter, Service, Dilcher, Murphy, Olcott, Gross. Absent: Hogan (Vacation).

Council President Dilcher gave the agenda summation.

Service expressed disappointment regarding the cuts to social agencies by the Monroe County Council. Despite severe financial cut backs for governmental funding, people still are in desperate need and the cuts should be made in areas that do not directly affect social services.

There was no Mayoral message.

Alfred Bennett, of the Department of Corrections, discussed the proposed site for the Work Release Center located on 3.7 acres of land on Packinghouse Road. The remoteness of the site (one-half mile from the nearest residence), its proximity to nearby industry and the assurance that the location of the facility would not be a threat to the community at large are all strong factors in support of this location. Twenty-five beds would be available for Monroe County residents, thereby easing the judicial burden locally. The primary purpose of work release is to facillitate the gradual re-entry into the community. Work Release residents will pay room and board, taxes, child support. The planned structure will be about 12,000 sq.ft.

Service asked about transportation to and from the area. Bennett said that would be provided by the correction department.

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to introduce and read Resolution 83-19 by title only. Clerk Williams read the resolution by title only.

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to adopt Resolution 83-19. Dilcher read the legislative synopsis.

Pat Patterson said that the application would be completed on Friday of this week and mailed immediately. The grant would be used to replace playground equipment, resurface the play area, repair the shelter, and replace some landscaping. A platform behind the Westside Community Center would be used by various groups in the community.

Morrison commended Olcott for his years on the Parks Board, particularly his efforts for the Ninth Street Park.

Frank Ragan said that the monies were not secure, but the city did have a good record with the Federal agencies and was optimistic regarding approval.

Dilcher asked about matching funds. Patterson said that 30% would come from CDBG, 70% would come from Urban Park and Recreation Grants. Dilcher asked where our part of the matching funds would come from. Ragan said that was not determined at this time and that is is not necessary to have the matching funds in order to apply for the grant.

The resolution received a roll call vote of Ayes: 8, Nays: 0.

The meeting adjourned at 7:55 P.M.

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ADJOURNMENT

Katherine Dilcher, President Bloomington Common Council

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MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

RESOLUTION 83-19 TO AUTHORIZE THE FILING OF A GRANT APPLICATION UNDER URBAN PARKS AND RECREAT-ION RECOVERY ACT.