

AGENDA

COMMON COUNCIL

SPECIAL SESSION

AUGUST 25, 1982

7:30 P.M.

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. AGENDA SUMMATION
- III. MESSAGES FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS
- IV. MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR
- V. PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS
- VI. LEGISLATION FOR DISCUSSION/VOTE - SECOND READINGS
  1. Ordinance 82-44 To Fix the Annual Salaries of All Elected Officials  
Committee Report: Do Pass 2-0-2
  2. Ordinance 82-53 An Ordinance Reviewing and Modifying the Budget of the Bloomington Public Transportation Corporation  
Committee Report: Do Pass 4-2-1
  3. Appropriation Ordinance 82-12 Ordinance for Appropriations and Tax Rates (1983 Civil City Budget)  
Committee Report: Do Pass 4-0
- VII. MINUTES FOR APPROVAL: August 18, 1982
- VIII. ADJOURNMENT

In the Common Council Chambers of the Municipal Building held on August 25, 1982, with the Council President Pat Murphy presiding over a special session of the Common Council.

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Councilmembers present: Morrison, Towell, Porter, Allison, Murphy, Dilcher, Olcott, Service, Hogan.

ROLL CALL

Council President Murphy gave the agenda summation.

AGENDA SUMMATION

Service announced the Town Theater's Fall Production of The Mikado and that there was a need for singers and actors for the production.

MESSAGES FROM  
COUNCILMEMBERS

Allison attended the open house for the mental health clinic and complimented the architects Odle-Burke for the impressive yet very functional design. Monroe County is fortunate to have this very much needed expanded facility.

Murphy complimented the work done by the street department in the N. Fess area. He then addressed the upcoming College Mall Auction being held to raise the proposed sum of \$10,000 to be used to erect a marker of some type in the Miller-Showers park to commemorate the All-America City Award. Mr. Murphy suggested that part of the proceeds be used to erect the plaque or marker, but that the rest of the funds raised be channeled into the various programs that were instrumental in Bloomington receiving the All-America City Award in the first place. Openings on the Human Resources and Status of Women Commissions were announced.

Council President Murphy read an encomium for Debbie Kayden Staff Assistant and Office Manager for Mayor Frank McCloskey. Debbie will be moving to the South Bend area of the state.

RESOLUTION 82-15  
ENCOMIUM FOR DEBBIE  
KAYDEN

The resolution was approved by an unanimous voice vote.

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to introduce and read Ordinance 82-44 by title only.

SECOND READINGS:  
ORD. 82-44  
TO FIX THE SALARIES  
OF ELECTED OFFICIALS

Clerk Williams read the ordinance by title only.

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to adopt Ordinance 82-44. Service read the legislative synopsis.

Murphy asked for comments pertinent to the Salary Ordinance and the general feeling was that considerable dialogue had taken place and that additional remarks would be repetitious.

The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 5, Nays:4 (Morrison, Porter, Service, Hogan).

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to introduce and read Ordinance 82-53 by title only.

ORD. 82-53. REVIEWING  
AND MODIFYING THE  
P.T.C. BUDGET

Clerk Williams read the ordinance by title only.

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to adopt Ordinance 82-53. Service read the legislative synopsis.

Olcott was not pleased with the .20 limit being automatically granted. He expressed concern that no effort to modify or streamline the BT has been made and that the transit system as it exists in Bloomington is out of line for a community of this size.

Allison said that her recent statement regarding the level of service was to be considered a guideline for the BT to use regarding routing, hours of service, and possible cuts. She continued by saying that she would vote for cuts next year if the system is not as efficient as it can possibly be.

Chuck Martindale said that he will try to maintain the transit level within guidelines set forth by the council.

Towell objected to statements by councilmembers suggesting the level of service changes; He did not feel that the council should be in a position to say that at this time. The Corporation has had to adopt a budget that the council voted on and one that was not submitted by them in the first place. He continued by saying that he thought it was unfair to set up a time-oriented motion regarding this corporation.

Morrison said that he resented the city promoting and supporting large business interests (College Mall) while the smaller businessman paves his own lot, maintains his own business area without being subsidized by the city.

Geoffrey Grodner, Chairman of the PTC, said that in response to many of the councilmembers comments the Board voted to approve the budget as presented originally. At this time the corporation was organizing into committees to deal with policy and goals, long-range plans, and to review the levels of cost and efficiency of service.

Hogan stated his objection to the formation of the Board in the first place.

The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 6, Nays: 3 (Morrison, Olcott, Hogan)

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to introduce Appropriation Ordinance 82-12 by title only.

APP. ORD 82-12  
CIVIL CITY  
BUDGET 1982

Clerk Williams read the ordinance by title only.

Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to adopt Appropriation Ordinance 82-12. Service read the legislative synopsis.

Towell and Morrison both complimented the administration for presenting a budget that was fiscally sound and responsible.

Hogan did not agree with the salary increases given and also did not agree with the formation of the PTC.

Service said that there were small portions of the budget that everyone could disagree with, but on the whole the administration was to be commended for the 1982 budget.

Morrison thanked Jeff Fanyo, Tim Mueller and J.C. Floyd for all of their assistance and help in his district, whenever anything needed to be done.

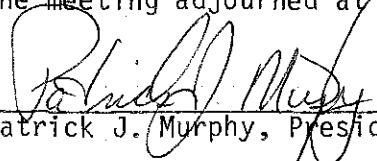
The motion received a roll call vote of Ayes: 8, Nays:1 (Hogan).

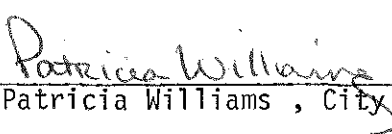
Olcott moved and Morrison seconded a motion to approve the minutes of August 18, 1982, as submitted. Motion carried by an unanimous voice vote.

APPROVAL OF  
MINUTES:  
AUGUST 18, 1982

The meeting adjourned at 8:20 P.M.

ADJOURNMENT

  
Patrick J. Murphy, President

  
Patricia Williams, City Clerk