

AGENDA  
COMMON COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION  
7:30 PM, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1989  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS

I. ROLL CALL

II. AGENDA SUMMATION

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR DECEMBER 21, 1988, JANUARY 2, 1989 AND JANUARY 11, 1989

VI. REPORTS FROM:

1. Councilmembers
2. The Mayor and City Offices
3. Council Committees

V. APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

VI. LEGISLATION FOR SECOND READING AND RESOLUTIONS

1. Ordinance 89-1 To Amend Title 15 of the Bloomington Municipal Code Entitled "Vehicles and Traffic".

Committee Recommendation: Do Pass 8 - 0

2. Resolution 89-1 To Approve an Amended Interlocal Cooperation Agreement Among the City of Bloomington, Monroe County and Park 48, Inc. for Development Improvements.

Committee Recommendation: Do Pass 8 - 0

VII. LEGISLATION FOR FIRST READING

1. Ordinance 89-2 To Amend Chapter 11.08 of the Bloomington Municipal Code to Add a Section 11.08.045 "Hazardous Activities" Dealing with Ice Skating and Ice Fishing.

2. Ordinance 89-4 To Amend the 1989 Salary Ordinance for the Utilities Employees of the City of Bloomington.

VIII. PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR (This section of the Agenda will be limited to 45 minutes maximum, with each speaker limited to five (5) minutes.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

In the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building held on Wednesday, January 18, 1989, at 7:30 P.M. with Council President Regester presiding over a Regular Session of the Common Council.

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Regester gave the agenda summation.

AGENDA SUMMATION

The minutes of December 21, 1988, January 2 and January 11, 1989 were approved by a voice vote.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Roll Call: Kiesling, Olcott, Regester, Young, White, Fernandez, Service. Absent: Gardner, Hogan.

ROLL CALL

Kiesling thanked everyone who participated in the D.A.R.E. and especially Officer Friendly for the fine job he does.

MESSAGES FROM  
COUNCILMEMBERS

Young also thanked everyone who attended the "graduation" ceremony for the Project Dare and she congratulated Jim Graft for a job well done. Service announced the upcoming public forum on Thursday, January 19, 1989 regarding the Fell Iron clean-up. The EPA will be here to discuss the situation with concerned citizens. Service also read the list of Council and Mayoral board and commission vacancies.

White echoed everyone's D.A.R.E. remarks and said he attended the Marlin School program. He said we were fortunate to have the resources to put into this fine program and praised the community for also helping to fund this very good program. He also announced that Steve Hogan is on his way to Washington D.C. to participate in the Inaugural Festivities and White expansively empowered Hogan to celebrate for the rest of us.

Fernandez said that Westinghouse's quarterly report regarding the consent decree implementation is on the newstands. He asked for public input.

Kiesling announced that the CDBG committee would meet the next evening at 5:15 and that again input would be appreciated.

Mike Davis, representing the Mayor asked the Council to keep a Saturday in February open, possibly the 11th or the 18th for the next meeting of Bloomington Tomorrow..

MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR

There were no appointments to Boards or Commissions. Regester invited the public to participate.

BOARD \* COMMISSION  
(NONE)

It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 89-1 be introduced and read by title only. Clerk Williams read the ordinance.

LEGISLATION FOR SECOND  
READING/VOTE  
ORDINANCE 89-1  
TO AMEND TITLE 15

It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 89-1 be adopted. Olcott gave the committee report: Do-Pass 8-0.

He also moved that an amendment in Section IV be introduced changing the address of the loading zone from east to WEST Seventh Street.

Dean Behnke said that most items in the ordinance were fairly clear but that he was taking another look at the Walnut Street intersection and how it coordinates with the Henderson Street/Winslow light. He had hoped to have the light turned on this week, but the new signal is not in sync with Walnut and it would be best to wait and install a new controller and do it all in one phase. At one point there was discussion about a split phase and also a turn lane built by the developer. On paper the project works but there is also some concern

that the light will also change the traffic flow. Second St and High St does not really compare, again it works on paper the way the lights are timed, but the intersection itself does not work that well. Behnke said that a new controller for Walnut St. would cost about \$9,000 and that he would like the Council to pass the ordinance with the understanding that the light would not be turned on for several weeks. The major problem is the evening peak hours

Regester expressed concern that the situation will worsen at peak times and that that was the reason for the project in the first place. He asked about split phasing at peak times rather than for 24 hours. Behnke didn't think that was a good solution. Going back to the High Street intersection, Behnke said the lights were on the same cycle and the programmer can break down each cycle as to east/west/left turn south or north. "We need to make alterations to the Walnut St. signal when the Henderson signal goes on and he asked that the 4 Way Stop be removed. "The problem is the peak hours," Behnke said.

Regester, attempting to clarify the situation said that if Walnut is done, will the light be turned on with or without the turn lanes and would Behnke consider reprogramming to left, right, or straight if a serious problem develops. Behnke said he would like to run it by a traffic controller expert; that perhaps we could look at building a blister in the pavement. We have the right of way and it might be possible to have the street department go out there and do that.

Kathy Saunders expressed concern about removing the 4 way stop, that accurate code entries be maintained and perhaps Behnke would consider a 90 day order to cover the sign/light period.

The amendment received a roll call vote of Ayes:7, Nays:0  
The ordinance, as amended, received a roll call vote of Ayes 7, Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-1 be introduced and read by title only. Clerk Williams read the resolution.  
It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-1 be adopted. Olcott gave the committee report: Do-Pass 8-0.

**RESOLUTION 89-1  
INTERLOCAL REGARDING  
PARK 48**

Susan Montgomery said that the work on the sewer main and force lifts would begin within the next week and that this resolution was essentially the same as the one passed by the council, earlier. There was no further discussion and the resolution received a roll call vote of Ayes:7, Nays:0

It was moved and seconded that the following ordinances be introduced and read by title only by the Clerk for first reading.  
Ordinance 89-2 To Amend Chapter 11.08 of the BMC to add a Section 11.08.045 "Hazardous Activities Dealing with Ice Skating and Ice Fishing"  
Ordinance 89-4 To Amend the 1989 Salary Ordinance for the Utilities Employees of the City of Bloomington.

There were no petitions or communications from the public.

PETITIONS \* COMMUNICATIONS


It was determined that the Council would NOT meet next week.

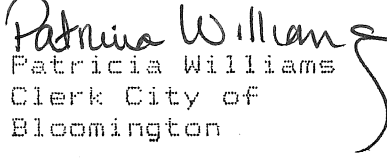
The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 P.M.

ADJOURNMENT

APPROVE;

ATTEST:

  
James C. Register, President  
Bloomington Common Council

  
Patricia Williams  
Clerk City of  
Bloomington