

The Common Council of the City of Bloomington met in special session on August 27, 1979, in the Common Council Chambers in the Municipal Building and conducted the following business:

These minutes are a summary - a taped recording is on file in the City Clerk's office.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Morrison, Towell, Young, Kinzer, Richardson, Olcott, Blume, Middleton, Allison

ABSENT: None

There being nine (9) members present and no (0) members absent and nine (9) members representing a quorum the session was officially opened by Councilpresident Allison.

AGENDA SUMMATION

Councilpresident Allison read the Agenda.

MESSAGES FROM COUNCILMEMBERS

Councilpresident Allison said that people need to make sure their animals are licensed.

MESSAGES FROM THE MAYOR

Mayor McCloskey said they had been in conference with people from Indianapolis in reference to their grant application for the Crestmont Park and Third Street Park. He said they were advised to make the application for just Crestmont Park.

Mayor McCloskey said he thought the 1980 budget was a good one. He said it did increase services to the city and he gave the new paramedic program as an example.

Councilmember Middleton asked if the personnel in the fire department was enough to provide training for the paramedic program.

The Mayor said it could be covered in a three-month period.

Councilmember Middleton said he did not want them to come to the Council later and ask for more money or additional staffing.

Larry Fleener, Bloomington Fire Chief, said they did not anticipate the need for additional money.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

There were no petitions and communications.

LEGISLATION FOR DISCUSSION/VOTE - SECOND READINGS

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 79-11 1980 CIVIL CITY BUDGET

Councilmember Richardson moved and Councilmember Morrison seconded the motion to introduce APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 79-11 and read by title only. Voice vote. So ordered.

Deputy City Clerk Lacewell read APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 79-11 by title only.

Councilmember Richardson moved and Councilmember Morrison seconded the motion to adopt APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 79-11.

Councilpresident Allison read the legislative synopsis.

Councilmember Richardson said that he thought overall the budget was excellent. He said he was still concerned about a few areas, for example the Planning Department's zoning review process. Richardson

added that he would also like to see the community better educated on Rehabilitation grants for their neighborhoods.

Councilmember Blume said that he agreed they have a good budget but that he did not agree with Jeff about the problems in the Planning Department.

Councilmember Morrison said he thinks this budget is one of progress and performance.

Councilmember Towell said he wanted to make an appeal to save the recycling program.

Councilmember Middleton said he felt the budget was adequate to meet the needs of Bloomington.

Councilmember Blume and Councilmember Morrison said they would support the recycling program.

ROLL CALL ON APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 79-11

AYES: Morrison, Towell, Young, Kinzer, Richardson, Olcott, Blume
Middleton, Allison
NAYS: None

There beign nine (9) ayes and no (0) nays APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE 79-11 is adopted.

RESOLUTION 79-24 TO SUPPORT THE SUBMISSION OF THE URBAN PARKS AND RECREATION RECOVERY PROGRAM GRANT APPLICATION

Councilmember Richardson moved and Councilmember Morrison seconded the motion to introduce RESOLUTION 79-24 and read in its entirety. Voice vote. So ordered.

Deputy City Clerk Lacewell read RESOLUTION 79-24 in its entirety.

Councilmember Richardson moved and Councilmember Morrison seconded the motion to adopt RESOLUTION 79-24.

Councilpresident Allison read the legislative synopsis.

Councilmember Richardson moved and Councilmember Morrison seconded the motion to amend RESOLUTION 79-24 to delete any reference to Third Street Park in the resolution title, in the third paragraph, in Section 1, and in the synopsis and to refer to Crestmont Park as the Crestmont Park Complex. Voice vote. So ordered.

Bill Wilson, Director of Parks and Recreation explained to Council that the Crestmont Park Complex was having some erosion problems that needed to be repaired and problems with vandalism that they thought could be relieved with better lighting of the park.

Councilmember Kinzer asked if they were going to further develop new parks at the expense of older parks not being maintained at a reasonable level.

Wilson said he did not anticipate that happening.

Councilmember Olcott said he was concerned with how to keep motorcycles out of the parks.

ROLL CALL ON AMENDMENT

AYES: Morrison, Towell, Young, Kinzer, Richardson, Olcott, Blume,
Middleton, Allison
NAYS: None

There being nine (9) ayes and no (0) nays the amendment passes.

Adopted as amended Ayes: 9, Nays: 0.

Approve:

Tomlea Allison

Attest:

Jynda Lacewell