

OCTOBER 23, 1969

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The City Council of the City of Idaho Falls met in a Recessed Regular Meeting, Thursday, October 23, 1969 at 7:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers at Idaho Falls, Idaho. There were present at said meeting: Mayor S. Eddie Pedersen; Councilmen Mel Erickson, Jack Wood, Gordon Nelson, Dale Parish, and Jim Freeman, Also present: Roy C. Barnes, City Clerk; Arthur Smith, City Attorney; Luther Jenkins, City Controller; Rod Gilchrist, City Planner; Don Lloyd, Public Works Director.

Minutes of the last Recessed Regular Meeting held October 9<sup>th</sup>, 1969, were read and approved.

The Mayor called Mr. Edwin Martin Kahler, retiring City employee, to the Council table, escorted by his immediate supervisor, Mr. Earl Chapple. Mr. Kahler was commended by the Mayor for the proficient manner in which he cared for the parks area on both side of the river. The Mayor said this was a constant topic of congratulatory discussion by tourists. The Mayor also noted that Mr. Kahler, since he started as a City employee in April, 1964, had been able to care for both sides of the river, whereas previously, this work was done by two men. The Mayor commended Mr. Kahler for his dedicated services and wished him well during his retiring years. Mr. Kahler was presented with an inscribed billfold and then received congratulations from all City officials around the Council table.

License applications for ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR, F. & L. Electric, Model Electric; JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN, Lloyd Hockhalter, Bob Moss, Floyd Gifford, Darrel W. Oler, Murrell Brenner; MASTER PLUMBER, Kerr Plumbing; JOURNEYMAN PLUMBER, Thayne D. Kunz; JOURNEYMAN CLASS C, WARM AIR HEATING & GAS FITTING, Joe Scheer with Wiemer Heating; BEER, (Canned and bottled, not to be consumed on the premises), Ralph Cowham with Safeway #365, were presented. It was moved by Councilman Erickson, seconded by Freeman, that these licenses be granted, subject to the approval of the appropriate Division Director, where required. Roll call as follows: Ayes, 5; No, none; carried.

The City Clerk drew attention to the fact that he had, in the interests of time, published legal notice of a zoning hearing on November 6<sup>th</sup>, 1969, without formal Council approval. It was moved by Councilman Wood, seconded by Erickson, that this action be duly ratified. Roll call as follows: Ayes, 5; No, none; carried.

This memo from the Purchasing Department was presented and read:

City of Idaho Falls  
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Purchasing Agent

COMFORT STATION FOR PARK

Honorable Mayor and Councilmembers:

Tabulation of bids for comfort station for park is attached.

Evaluation of bids received show Aiman Construction Co. submitting the low bid of \$3987.00 for comfort station complete with plumbing.

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This recommendation subject to your approval.

s/ W. J. Skow  
Purchasing Department

It was moved by Councilman Freeman, seconded by Erickson, that the low bid of Aiman Construction Company be accepted for the project as described. Roll call as follows: Ayes, 5; No, none; carried.

Councilman Wood moved that the Council's previous informal action granting approval for the submission to HUD of the re-certification of the Workable Program for Community Improvement be duly ratified. This motion was seconded by Councilman Freeman. Roll call as follows: Ayes, 5; No, none; carried.

With reference to the property at 1165 Blaine, previously discussed at the Council Meeting of October 9<sup>th</sup>, 1969, City Attorney Smith reported that his Department had commenced legal action and a complaint was being dictated toward the objective of quieting title.

With reference to cleaning up certain properties on Eagle Rock Street, City Attorney Smith then reported that his Department was in the process of getting complaints filed. He said that, according to his findings, there are about four property owners involved whose properties, for one reason or another, do not comply with City Code.

There being no further business, it was moved by Councilman Freeman, seconded by Nelson, that the meeting adjourn at 7:55 p.m., carried.

ATTEST: s/ Roy C. Barnes  
CITY CLERK

s/ S. Eddie Pedersen  
MAYOR

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