

FEBRUARY 22, 2001

The City Council of the City of Idaho Falls met in Regular Council Meeting, Thursday, February 22, 2001, in the Council Chambers at 140 South Capital Avenue in Idaho Falls, Idaho.

There were present:

Mayor Linda Milam
Councilmember Mike Lehto
Councilmember Bruce Rose
Councilmember Joe Groberg
Councilmember Ida Hardcastle

Absent was:

Councilmember Brad Eldredge
Councilmember Mary Klingler

Also present:

Shan Perry, Assistant City Attorney
Rosemarie Anderson, City Clerk
All available Division Directors

The City Clerk read a summary of the minutes for the February 8, 2001 Regular Meeting. It was moved by Councilmember Lehto, seconded by Councilmember Rose, to approve the minutes as printed. Roll call as follows:

Aye: Councilmember Hardcastle
Councilmember Rose
Councilmember Lehto
Councilmember Groberg

Nay: None

Motion Carried.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

The City Clerk presented several license applications, including BARTENDER PERMITS to Frank H. Adams, Samantha B. Croft, Michael A. Martinez, Robert F. Pettingill, and Jana L. Renford, all carrying the required approvals, and requested authorization to issue these licenses.

It was moved by Councilmember Lehto, seconded by Councilmember Rose, to approve the Consent Agenda in accordance with the recommendations presented. Roll call as follows:

Aye: Councilmember Rose
Councilmember Lehto
Councilmember Hardcastle
Councilmember Groberg

Nay: None

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Motion Carried.

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

Mayor Milam indicated that this was the time for citizens to appear who had issues for the City Council that are not otherwise listed on the Agenda.

Jerry Jayne, 1568 Lola Street, appeared to state that he has seen billboards around town advertising Idaho Falls Power. He expressed his concern over the name change from the City of Idaho Falls to Idaho Falls Power. He stated that the billboards should be promoting conservation of electrical energy instead of promoting growth. He suggested that the City should provide an increasing block rate for electricity to encourage people not to waste so much electricity. There are business signs that are lit when the business is closed. We should not try to promote growth in the City, which would use more of the electrical energy.

Mayor Milam suggested that Mr. Jayne visit with the Idaho Falls Power Director to discuss details for energy conservation efforts by Idaho Falls Power. Mayor Milam stated that the name change was done as a result of surveys that were conducted. Many people within the City limits did not know where their electricity was coming from. She explained, further, that most of the advertising that is being conducted now discusses many of the energy conservation efforts promoted by Idaho Falls Power.

The Police Chief submitted the following memo:

City of Idaho Falls
January 24, 2001

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor Milam and City Councilmembers
FROM: J. K. Livsey, Chief of Police
SUBJECT: CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

I respectfully request that the attached proposed Ordinance "enacting Section 9-1-9 of the City Code of Idaho Falls, Idaho; providing that the use of engine compression brakes within the City limits shall be unlawful; providing for severability; and establishing effective date" be heard at the City Council Meeting of February 22, 2001.

Thank you for your consideration.

s/ J. K. Livsey

Following a brief explanation of this Ordinance, Councilmember Hardcastle requested the Assistant City Attorney to read the following Ordinance by title:

ORDINANCE NO. 2407

AN ORDINANCE ENACTING SECTION 9-1-9 OF THE CITY CODE OF IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO; PROVIDING THAT THE USE OF ENGINE COMPRESSION BRAKES WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS SHALL BE

UNLAWFUL; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND
ESTABLISHING EFFECTIVE DATE.

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The foregoing Ordinance was presented by title only. Councilmember Hardcastle moved, and Councilmember Groberg seconded, that the provisions of Idaho Code Section 50-902 requiring all Ordinances to be read by title, and once in full, on three separate dates be dispensed with, the Ordinance be passed on all three readings, and, further, give authorization for the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the necessary documents. Roll call as follows:

Aye: Councilmember Lehto
Councilmember Rose
Councilmember Groberg
Councilmember Hardcastle

Nay: None

Motion Carried.

The Parks and Recreation Director submitted the following memo:

City of Idaho Falls
February 21, 2001

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council
FROM: David J. Christiansen, Parks and Recreation Director
SUBJECT: JOINT PARKING AGREEMENT WITH ALLIANCE COVENANT CHURCH

Attached for your consideration is a Joint Parking Agreement between the City of Idaho Falls and Alliance Covenant Church of Idaho Falls. This Agreement allows participants at each facility the ability to use both parking lots at specified times. The Contract was prepared by the City Attorney and is therefore submitted for your approval.

s/ David J. Christiansen

It was moved by Councilmember Hardcastle, seconded by Councilmember Rose, to approve the Joint Parking Agreement between the City of Idaho Falls and Alliance Covenant Church of Idaho Falls and, further, give authorization for the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the necessary documents. Roll call as follows:

Aye: Councilmember Hardcastle
Councilmember Lehto
Councilmember Groberg
Councilmember Rose

Nay: None

Motion Carried.

The Public Works Director submitted the following memo:

FEBRUARY 22, 2001

City of Idaho Falls
February 16, 2001

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and City Council
FROM: Chad Stanger, Public Works Director
SUBJECT: BID AWARD – 14TH STREET CANAL LINER

On February 6, 2001, bids were received and opened for the 14th Street Canal Liner Project. A tabulation of the bid results is attached.

Public Works recommends award of this bid to the low bidder, HK Contractors, Inc. in the amount of \$36,615.00; and, authorization for the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the documents.

s/ Chad Stanger

It was moved by Councilmember Lehto, seconded by Councilmember Groberg, to accept the low bid from HK Contractors, Inc. to complete the 14th Street Canal Liner Project and, further, give authorization for the Mayor and City Clerk to sign the necessary documents. Roll call as follows:

Aye: Councilmember Groberg
Councilmember Rose
Councilmember Hardcastle
Councilmember Lehto

Nay: None

Motion Carried.

There being no further business, it was moved by Councilmember Lehto, seconded by Councilmember Rose, that the meeting adjourn at 7:47 p.m.

CITY CLERK

MAYOR
