

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
JUNE 5, 1972

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 8:10 PM, by Mayor Guinn at the KVNA Building, Bethel.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Dale, Guinn, Hoffman, Murphy, Romer
ABSENT: Zahradnicek, Cooke (late)

Just before the discussion of the truck, Councilwoman Cooke walked in. The sole purpose of the meeting was to discuss the purchase of a new fire truck. The Firemen, along with Chief Savaria, Asst. Chief Richardson, presented to Council the three bids that were received and told Council the pro's and con's of the bids. The discussion continued on and points were brought out on why the firemen preferred the Crown Firecoach pumper over Mac. and American La France.

Councilman Hoffman brought out the fact that the City of Bethel was receiving \$13,000.00 a year from Revenue Sharing for fire protection. That money could pay for the truck, so the City would not be putting any City money into it, just State money.

After all the discussion and agreement was over, Jim Savaria did request Council to purchase the Crown Firecoach according to Bid A.

More discussion followed about the Crown specs, with Council asking about financing. Chief Savaria said Crown offered financing. It was a 8 year plan with 5 1/2 % interest per year. 10% down with a yearly payment thereafter.

M/M Murphy, Hoffman the City of Bethel purchase the Crown Firecoach Bid A, cost of a little over \$49,000.00.

Mayor Guinn asked for discussion-

Asst Chief Richardson presented the blue print of the truck. Following the presentation there was discussion between Ed Hoffman and Chuck Herold, which got out of hand with John Guinn calling for a point of order.

Roll Call Vote was asked for on the motion.

YES: Cooke, Guinn, Hoffman, Murphy, Romer
No: Dale

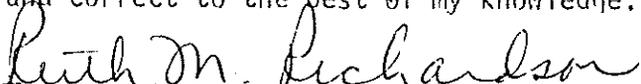
Motion passed

M/M Hoffman, Dale to adjourn

Motion passed by unanimous voice vote

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 PM.

I hereby certify these minutes to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge.


Ruth H. Richardson, City Clerk

