



CITY of BETHEL

P. O. Box 537 • Bethel, Alaska 99559

543-2297 — Area Code 907

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
NOVEMBER 24, 1975

KVNA BUILDING

7:30 P.M.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Hoffman at 7:35 P.M.
Present: Alexie, Guinn, Pike, Elliott, Peltola
Absent: Andrew

Minutes of November 11, 1975 were read by Campbell.
Corrections: Under New Business, Item B. AVCP Housing Authority
it should read John Moses instead of John Nevak.
M/M Elliott to accept the minutes as corrected.
Voice vote, unanimous in favor. Motion passed.

COMMUNICATIONS

There were three letters which will be attached to the minutes.

MANAGERS REPORT

Managers report was given verbally by Campbell. On the School Bus Turnaround, I contacted Dan Johnson; and he told me briefly that he can turn the bus around at the Subdivision Turnaround empty and pick-up the students. Also no one has called in for the Parliamentarian.

MAYORS REPORT

Mayor Hoffman reported that Sonny's Contractor has been hauling dirt; and we could have him haul dirt for the Subdivision Turnaround. November 29, 1975 I am going to attend the Banquet for Ted Steven's Birethday in Anchorage, and shake hands with President Ford. Also AVCP Housing Authority has had a meeting and they are going to study the Bethel Heights Housing to see if it's feasible to take over, but they are not going to take over the water/sewer system.

Peltola - I understood that if anyone assumes ownership of Housing that they will service and maintain the property lines of ASHA Housing.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Elliott - I would like to have our attorney to check into seeing if we can get limosine into the taxi ordinance; so we could consider letting Isaac Mute get the limosine permit.

Pike - I was unsuccessful in getting a committee together to conduct to the duties of shop personnel and their responsibilities to the City equipment. Also to get the City equipment working.



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COMMITTEE REPORTS CON'T.

Alexie - The bridge going to Housing is that State's? There have been accidents on that road, and the school bus passes through it. There should be rails on the sides of the bridge.

Peltola - I made recommendations at the last council meeting to have Dept. of Highways in our next worksession.

Alexie - Another thing is that the taxi fare from the Trailer Court to Airport is too much. It is \$3.50 from Town to Airport and \$3.00 from Trailer Court to Airport. Also the culvert near Swanson's Theatre still hasn't been fixed.

Campbell - Highway and I had problems as to whose road it was, and State said that, that half of the road was the City's; so we will get the culvert fixed.

PEOPLE TO BE HEARD

Hal Borrego - We would like to revert the pole system on Mission Road. We would like to get right-a-way to put the poles in. We hate to have to put in poles and have the river wash them away.

Guinn - Get a map about where the poles should be placed.

Hoffman - The street lights over by Maggie Lind should be fixed soon as possible.

Elliott - Joe Andrew has been waiting for a street light for five years.

Alexie - What about the lights by the Honey Bucket Lake?

Borrego - City should report once a week of which street lights are out. City won't get billed for burnt out lights that we fix.

Campbell - Could we take this to worksession? There are a few dark places here in town which need street lights.



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OLD BUSINESS

Item A. B.A.T.C. Advisory Board Appointment

M/M Peltola that the following people be appointed as voting members: John Guinn, Jeanette Pitcherella, Bob Tinkle, Dana Kopanak, Kevin Murphy, Myron Angstman, Frank Estes; Non-voting members: Eugene Strickland and Betty Barton.
Voice vote, unanimous in favor. Motion passed.

Item B. Parliamentarian

M/M Peltola that this be tabled until next council meeting.
Voice vote, unanimous in favor. Motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS

Item A. Snowmobile Ordinance

There was discussion on age, regulation, and trails on Snowmachines.
M/M Guinn that this be the first reading of the Snowmachine Ordinance.
Voice vote, unanimous in favor. Motion passed.

Campbell read the Snowmachine Ordinance # 70.

Murphy - recommends that every Council Members get a Municipal Handbook.

M/M Guinn that the Snowmachine Ordinance be put on the next agenda Public Hearing.
Voice vote, unanimous in favor. Motion passed.

Peltola brought up the question of the petition of sale of alcohol for next council election.

Hoffman asked Campbell to write something in letter form for things which we need from Senator Ted Stevens.

At this time Hoffman turned over the meeting to Peltola.



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NEW BUSINESS CON'T.

Item B. B.N.C. Proposal

Guinn would like to be written that Hoffman will abstain from discussion on this item.

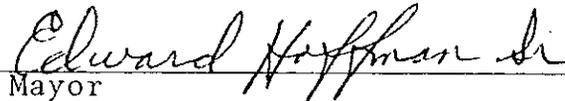
M/M Guinn to submit a proposal to Bethel Native Corporation that we do not accept the proposal in full, that we will issue a counter-proposal on these three itemized :

1. That we will be willing to deed maximum 25 acres to Bethel Native Corporation.
2. That Bethel Native Corporation be responsible for building a road for finishing the road through their area connected to the subdivision.
3. That City does not relinquish claim to ground 4579 under the Land Claims Settlement Act where we are guaranteed a minimum of 1200 acres.

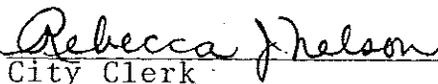
Roll call Vote, Yes: Alexie, Guinn, Pike, Elliott, Peltola.
Motion passed.

M/M Guinn to adjourn.
Voice vote, unanimous in favor. Motion passed.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:35 P.M.



Mayor



City Clerk