

Special Meeting of the City Council
3 pm March 16th, NC Theater 1960
Topic- Sanitation

The meeting was called to order at 8:05 by Mayor Jackson.

Present Christiansen Absent-Guinn Others present- about 7

Hopstad

Miller

Sirilo

persons

Jackson

Miller gave a report for discussion. Garbage racks 3 feet high, large enough for 6 garbage barrels could be made. These would be placed on the right away and not on personal property. By using garbage racks all garbage could be collected in one day and once a week service would suffice. Total cost of such racks would be about \$20.00 per rack.

Estimated cost of operation of a garbage truck would be approximately \$2,028 using prison labor, \$3,068 without prison labor. These figures include wages for a driver, gas, 10.00 maintenance per day.

A total of 204 dwellings is estimated as that which might be served by a garbage truck. Tractor rental to maintain a dump is \$30.00 an hour.

A good deal of discussion was held about the above report. The garbage truck to be obtained from the government would be free, might get here on the last boat if Bethel is approved for aid by the government. Estimated freight cost to the City for the truck is \$1200.

Subscription to the garbage service would be on a voluntary basis only and would cost each individual \$2.00 per month.

It was noted that Mr. Goetz would not approve the City for aid unless the garbage dump were relocated in a place where ground fill is available. By using ground fill then the sewage in polyethylene bags could be dumped at the same site. Miller said that under this system the City would operate the service at a loss but it would keep the City clean.

It was decided that the secretary would write to see if the City is eligible for aid from the Federal Government.

Persons moved that the City jeep be repaired. Christiansen seconded it. Miller and Christiansen were appointed as a committee to decide the type of block necessary for the jeep since the price is over \$100.

The secretary is to write Judge Arend with a copy to the Adm. Executive to see if the city can get back fines collected from arrests and convictions on City ordinances.

Sirilo resigned from the Council since he also works for the City as jail guard. The Mayor thanked him for all his work and assistance during his time of office. The next highest man individual with regard to votes at the last Council Election will replace Sirilo. The Council joined in thanking Sirilo for his help.

The meeting was adjourned at ten o'clock. Persons moved the meeting be adjourned, Christiansen seconded.