



CITY of BETHEL

P. O. Box 537 • Bethel, Alaska 99559

543-2297 — Area Code 907

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MARCH 10, 1975

KYUK STUDIO

7:30 P.M.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor Hoffman at 7:40 P.M.
Present: Andrew, Connick, Crow, Murphy, Nicori.

Minutes of the February 14, 1975 meeting were read by Edge.
Corrections: The number of votes on the filing of the
vacant council seat should be added.

M/M Connick that the minutes be held over until the next
regular council meeting for additional information.
Voice vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

COMMUNICATIONS

There were 21 attachments for Council packets and are
attached as a part of these minutes.

MANAGERS REPORT

The managers report was read by Edge and is attached as a
part of these minutes.

MAYORS REPORT

There was no mayors report given.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Nicori - While in Kwethluk I asked about logs from Church
Slough area. Napakiak also asked for logs at the same meeting.
Mr. Paul Kreuzenstein is checking on the boundries of the
area for Kwethluk.

Hoffman - The City of Bethel should pass a resolution and
send it to Yugtak Corporation for the logs.

Connick - About 3 weeks ago we had a Public Safety meeting.
It was brought out at that time that Police officers will
have to be certified soon. The only members of the City
Police that are certified at this time are Chief Winjum and
Sgt. Wassillie. There is a Public Safety Metro Academy
soon and Chief Winjum will be sending Charlie Beaver. Chief
Winjum will be attending a Civil Defence meeting in Anchorage.



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COMMITTEE REPORTS CONTINUED

There will be a Drug Seminar but it is not anticipated that anyone from the Police Department will be attending. The floor carpet tiles are in very bad condition and should be replaced. It is suggested that they be replaced with linoleum tiles. The locks on the cell doors are breaking and will have to be replaced. These items of maintenance will be reflected in the new budget.

Andrew - On the State Highway, the 30 mph sign that is just before Art Nicholson's garage should be moved farther down the Highway past the garage.

Connick - The speed limit sign for the school intersection should be extended past Art Nicholson's Garage and Hotel entrance.

Hoffman - The roads in the subdivision keep blocking up after each snow fall. There was just a one lane road plowed last time.

Murphy - Some of the roads are bad, at times 6th and 7th avenues are only one way streets.

OLD BUSINESS

Item A. Land Planning Commission minutes were read by Edge. These minutes were tabled until later in the meeting.

Item B. Small Building used by the Corp of Engineers. The Corp of Engineers has been contacted concerning ownership of this building and the transfer back to the City of Bethel. Connick suggested that the structure be placed at the City Dump as a shelter for the Dump maintenance person.

At this time the new Council member was sworn in. Roy Hall received the oath of office and was officially made a member of Council.

Item C. Appointment of New Member to Land Planning Commission. Nominations were opened for the vacant seat on the Commission. Nominations were as follows; Margaret Cooke, Bea Kristovich, and Mrs. Roy Hall.

M/M Connick that the nominations be closed.

Election by secret ballot of the Council followed.

"Deep Sea Port and Transportation Center of the Kuskokwim"



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OLD BUSINESS CONTINUED

Ballot count was as follows;

Margaret Cooke 1
Bea Kristovich 3
Mrs. Roy Hall 3

A run-off election between the two persons that tied, by secret ballot follows;

Bea Kristovich 5
Mrs. Roy Hall 2

Bea Kristovich was appointed to the Land Planning Commission seat.

A letter from KYUK Broadcasting was read to Council. This letter informed council that there would be a charge for the use of production areas in the studio.

M/M Connick that the meeting place be placed on the agenda. Voice vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS

Item C. Resolution # 142 was read and discussed.

M/M Andrew that the meeting go beyond 10 P.M. Voice vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

M/M Crow that we accept resolution #142, a three year road program for the City of Bethel. Roll call vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

Resolution # 143 was read and discussed.

M/M Connick that resolution #143 be adopted. Roll call vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

Planning Commission resolution #2 was read and discussed. Land Planning Commission minuted were read.

M/M Connick that the planning commission minutes of March 6, 1975 be accepted.

Voice vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.



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NEW BUSINESS CONTINUED

Resolution #145, concerning the need of a full time District Attorney was read and discussed.

M/M Connick that resolution #145 be passed by Council.

Roll call vote, unanimous in favor. motion passed.

Resolution #146 was read and discussed. This resolution concerns the new Hospital and affirms the Y.K.H.C. resolution #75-1.

M/M Connick that the council approve resolution #146.

Roll call vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

Confirmation by council of the poll vote to purchase a snow blower truck from State Highways was discussed.

M/M Connick that Council approve the poll vote that was taken on the purchase of the snow blower.

Roll call vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

M/M Crow that the Bingo permits for K.V.N.A. and V.F.W. be approved.

Roll call vote 6 yes, Hoffman abstaining. motion passed.

Meetings per month.

M/M Crow that the City Council of Bethel meet twice a month.

Roll call vote 6 yes, voting no Hoffman. motion passed.

Meeting place.

M/M Crow that the meeting place of Council be at the KVNA.

Roll call vote unanimous in favor. motion passed.

M/M Crow that the meeting adjourn.

Voice vote, unanimous in favor. motion passed.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:25 P.M.

Next regular council meeting will be at the K.V.N.A. Building at 7:30 P.M., March 24, 1975.

Edward Hoffman Jr
Mayor of Bethel

City Clerk