

MINUTES
SLIDELL CITY COUNCIL
March 10, 1987
6:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by the President of the Council, Councilman Washington. All Council members were present.

Councilman Van Sandt, seconded by Councilwoman Williams moved to Suspend the Rules in order to add an item to the Consent Calendar.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

Councilman Van Sandt, seconded by Councilwoman Williams moved to add a Special Function Liquor/Beer License to the Consent Calendar, i.e. Greater Slidell Area Council of Garden Clubs, March 27, 1987 in the Auditorium.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

Councilman Salvaggio, seconded by Councilman Barthelemy moved to accept the following Consent Calendar as amended.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. Approval of the minutes of the February 17, 1987, 4:00 P.M. Special Meeting, the February 17, 1987, 7:30 P.M. Special Meeting, the February 20, 1987 Special Meeting, and the February 24, 1987 Regular Meeting of the Slidell City Council.
2. Approval of ACHMRV License Applications:
 - a. Scott S. Morrison
3. Bid and Request to Purchase Acceptance:
 - a. Administration - Low bid by Professional Computer Business Center for one or more personal computers in the amount of \$1,797 each
4. Special Function Liquor/Beer Permit:
 - a. St. Tammany Sheriff Deputies Inc. - April 4, 1987, 7:30 P.M. - 1:00 A.M., Slidell Municipal Auditorium
 - b. Greater Slidell Area Garden Clubs - March 27, 1987, Slidell Municipal Auditorium

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

Tabled Item No. 86-3-979, An ordinance authorizing the Mayor to sign documents in connection with the lease of city-owned property to Mr. L. J. Levy, Jr., (Washington/Williams), was brought before the Council. Council President opened a public hearing on same. As no member of the public desired to be heard, the public hearing was closed.

Councilman Washington, seconded by Councilman Salvaggio moved to adopt Item No. 86-3-979.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

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The tabled bids to demolish the house on Peachtree St. were brought before the Council. Councilman Callahan, seconded by Councilman Barthelemy moved to table a decision on these bids until the next Council meeting.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

Tabled Item No. 87-01-1121, Rezoning (Broom/Faciane), (Washington/Van Sandt (both by request), and Amendment A to that item, (Washington/Van Sandt (both by request), were brought before the Council. Although no public hearing was opened, Mr. Earl Broom and Mr. Red Scogin addressed the Council. After a lengthy discussion, Councilman Barthelemy, seconded by Councilman Callahan moved to table this item until the March 24th meeting.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

At this time, 7:08 P.M., the Council President called a five minute recess.

The meeting reconvened at 7:13 P.M.

Tabled Item No. 86-12-1110, An ordinance amending Ordinance No. 2020, the Sign Ordinance, (Washington/Callahan), and Amendments A and B to that item, (Washington/Callahan), were brought before the Council. Council President Washington opened a public hearing on same. Mr. Joe Bryan, owner of the Olde Towne Motel and Mr. Earl Broom spoke in favor of adoption. City Engineer, Stan Polivick made some clarifying statements regarding his participation called for in the amendment to the ordinance. As no other member of the public desired to be heard, the public hearing was closed.

Councilman Callahan withdrew Amendment A to Item No. 86-12-1110.

Councilwoman Williams introduced Amendment C to Item No. 86-12-1110, (Williams/Washington (by request)).

Councilman at Large Singletary, seconded by Councilman Callahan moved to adopt Amendments B and C to Item No. 86-12-1110.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

Councilman at Large Singletary, seconded by Councilman Callahan moved to adopt Item No. 86-12-1110 as amended.

ROLL CALL 7 Yeas 2 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED
Berault
Barthelemy

Councilman Barthelemy, seconded by Councilman Callahan moved to Suspend the Rules in order to allow Mr. Bruce Clements of Slidell Memorial Hospital to address the Council concerning the Poison Control Program.

ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED

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13 Following the presentation by Mr. Clements, Councilman
14 Barthelemy, seconded by Councilman Berault moved that the Council
15 supports the efforts of Slidell Memorial Hospital in bringing to
16 attention this poison control program to the public, and that
17 the Council wholeheartedly endorse the program.
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19 **ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED**

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22 As advertised, a public hearing was held in connection
23 with Item No. 87-02-1127, the sale of city-owned property to
24 St. Tammany Fire Protection District No. 1, (Singletary/Martinez).
25 Councilman at Large Singletary expressed his intent to table this
26 item for two weeks to allow time to meet with the City Attorney
27 to resolve this issue. Mr. Stafford Part and Mr. Frank Moran
28 addressed the Council in support of adoption. As no other member
29 of the public desired to be heard, the public hearing was closed.
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31 Councilman Callahan made clear his plans to locate an-
32 other parcel of property to offer the Fire Protection District in
33 place of the property on Bouscaren.
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35 Councilman at Large Singletary, seconded by Councilman
36 at Large Martinez moved to table Item No. 87-02-1127 until the
37 March 24, 1987 meeting.
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39 **ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED**

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42 At this time, Councilman at Large Martinez reported to
43 the Council the Food Stamp Study Team's recent efforts to resolve
44 the Food Stamp Office's financial dilemma. Councilman Berault,
45 Councilman Van Sandt, and Mayor Caruso commented on the same sub-
46 ject. It was understood that efforts would be continued toward
47 resolving the problem as soon as possible, once all of the facts
48 could be obtained.
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50 Councilwoman Williams addressed the Council/public in
51 regard to the continuing "black water" situation. After discus-
52 sion on the matter, Council President Washington appointed an
53 official Council Black Water Committee to study the problem giv-
54 ing them a thirty (30) day limit to bring a recommendation back
55 to the Council. Those members appointed were Councilwoman Wil-
56 liams - Chairperson, Councilman Van Sandt, and Councilman Calla-
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59 Councilwoman Williams, seconded by Councilman Van Sandt
60 moved to go into Executive Session in order to discuss litigation
61 regarding the sales tax/annexation issue, to discuss possible
62 litigation regarding Sub-Road District No. 5, and to hear a re-
63 port from the Council Administrator Selection Committee.
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65 **ROLL CALL 9 Yeas 0 Nays 0 Absent CARRIED**

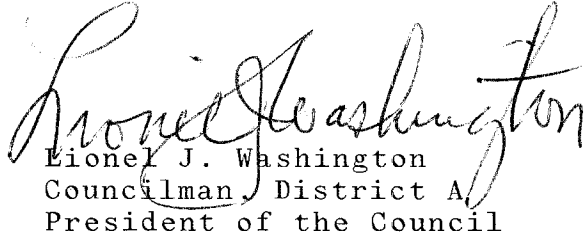
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68 The Council entered Executive Session at 8:20 P.M.

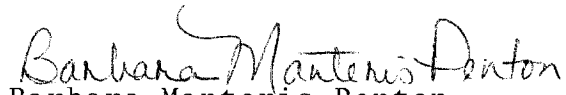
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70 The Council returned from Executive Session at 9:30 P.M.
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13 As there was no further business, the meeting was ad-
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Lionel J. Washington
Councilman, District A
President of the Council


Barbara Manteris Penton
Clerk of the Council