

HAYMARKET TOWN COUNCIL MEETING--MARCH 18, 1985

The regular Haymarket Town Council Meeting began at 8:15 p.m. with a prayer and Pledge of Allegiance. All members of Council were present. Minutes of the February meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer reported a balance in the General Account of \$7,381.09 and \$873.18 in Revenue Sharing at the end of Feb. 1985

Councilman Fewell Melton asked that a letter be written to the Prince William Service Authority Asking that they pay the Town for fees collected from Allan Gossom and Madison Acres. The mayor instructed the Town Clerk to write the letter.

Councilwoman Terri Freeborn asked that the Rezoning Case previously heard at the Public Hearing on the Macon/Piercy property be put on the Agenda for March 18, 1985, adding that she didn't believe the Planning Commission would make the recommendation to Council that it be approved if they thought it was spot zoning. Councilman Fewell Melton seconded the motion. Councilman Bird and Councilman Crouch were against voting on the rezoning at the March 18 meeting.

A roll call vote was taken for the purpose of postponing the vote on the rezoning. Bird and Crouch voted to postpone it while Freeborn, Melton and Councilman Gossom were against it.

Since Mr. and Mrs Joe Bailey were opposed to the rezoning, Councilman Gossom asked about writing some restrictions which might ease the pain of those opposed and Mr. Wrye asked what kind of restrictions could be put on Applicant's Request to which Town Attorney Turner Smith informed them that no restrictions could be made at this point.

Mrs Freeborn made a motion that the Application for Rezoning be approved, seconded by Mr. Melton. In a roll call vote, Freeborn, Melton and Gossom voted for it. Bird and Crouch voted against it. Therefore the zoning was approved.

Robert Milot appeared before Council to ask if the Town had any plans regarding water? A committee was formed consisting of Mr. Melton and Mr. Bird to do a Feasibility Study on this.

The letter of Resignation from Lois Crewdson was read, effective day was Feb. 28. Mr. Melton made a motion to accept it, seconded by Sam Crouch and Approved.

Terri Freeborn made a motion to appoint Dennis Wrye to Council, but there were no seconds. Next Mr. Gossom made a motion that Buck Utz be appointed to Council, seconded by Sam Crouch and in a roll call vote was unanimously approved.

In other items of business, Anne Smith spoke of the Clean Up Program sponsored by the Woman's Club. Wisky Barrels will be placed on both sides of #55 from Fayette to Madison St. and flowers will be placed in them. Plaques will also be put on older homes, stating time they were built. Also the Activities Committee will have a special trash pick-up day in Town.

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The Mayor read a letter of Interest from the Virginia Muncipal League. She also read a letter from Barbara Tracy from Gainesville School. They will be celebrating their 50th Anniversary at the School next year and she would like the Haymarket Town Council to join them in the celebration and to think of ways they can contrivute to it.

Mr. Bird submitted two contracts on Cable T.V. to Mr. Smith to look over, one was from the Town of Dumfries and the other was from the Town of Quantico.

Mr. Bird also spoke on trucks housed in Town but paying taxes else where. Mr. Smith informed him that if they are housed in Town, they must secure town tags.

Attorney Smith told about Hearings to be held by Veeco and Continental Telephone Co. The information will be placed in Town Hall for those interested in reading them/

Councilman Melton asked when the trash contract runs out. Mayor Bean will look it over and let him know.

Councilwoman Freeborn, representing the Activities Committee presented a check to the Treasurer for \$296.54, but needed a check to the Post office for \$7, leaving a balance of \$289.54. The Mayor suggested it might be better if the Activities Committee had their own account. Also it was announced that the Activities Committee would hold a meeting on April 2, at 7;30 p.m., regarding Haymarket Day.

Mr. Melton would like to get a sales tax excecption for the Town, Mrs Bean will inquire about it.

Ellen Wilson asked about getting a Library Book Drop Box placed outside of Town Hall. Mrs Keller was to write a letter in regards to this, after a motion was made ~~XXX~~to do so by Mr. Bird, seconded by Mr. Melton and approved.

Also a letter is to be written to Mr. Proctor, State Inspector asking him when it would be convient for him to come to Haymarket.

Dennis Wrye spoke about John Knight's visit on March 28, at 7;30 p.m. to speak on the Sub-Division Ordinance. He also mentioned he would like to have keys to Town Hall.

The Ed Baileys were interested in the date Mr. Berger become Building Inspector? Mr. Bird will contact John Berger and let the Baileys know.

WITH NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MARCH MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9;50 p.m.

RESPECTIFULLY SUBMITTE:

APPROVED:

Dorothy Keller

Gertrude Bean, Mayor

DOROTHY KELLER, TOWN CLERK

GERTRUDE BEAN , MAYOR