

The August 20, 1984 Haymarket Town Council Meeting began at 8:07 p.m. with four Council Members present who made up the quorum, they were; Mrs Bean, Mrs Crewdson, Mr. Gossom and Mr. Melton.

Mayor Hugh Orndoff led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance, following this the minutes of the July meeting were read and approved. Then Treasurer Gertrude Bean reported a balance of \$14,828.89 in the General Account and \$1,848.29 in Revenue Sharing at the end of July. She also reported that she had received a check for \$4,500 from the Sanitary District, reimbursement for two sewer connections in Town. Mayor Orndoff read a statement from Pete Hamlett who audited the Treasurer's Books from July 1, 1983- June 30, 1984 and found them in excellent condition.

Mrs Bean made a motion that Dorothy Keller be paid \$5 per hour for her job in Town Hall, hours of which are to be 8 a.m.-Noon on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays; Thursday hours will be 4-8 p.m., also \$5 per hour for meetings attended. Mrs Keller in lieu of this waived the Town Clerk and Treasurer's salary. Councilman James Gossom seconded it and it was approved. Mrs Keller will begin work on Sept. 4, 1984.

Councilman Fewell Melton brought up the subject as to whether to paint or put siding on Town Hall. There was a lengthy discussion on this. Mrs Green wanted to see the building painted in order to keep the historic look while others thought this would not be practical as it would have to be re-painted every few years. Alan Gossom suggested getting five or 6 people in the area and telling them what they needed and request a bid within a week. Councilwoman Lois Crewdson who questioned the legality of settling it at the August meeting, made a motion to have Bill Green put in charge of accepting bids and that a called meeting be held on Tuesday, August 28, at 8 p.m.

MR. Green will also list the specifications for those who bid on it, such as there will be narrow siding used, colors are to be white with green shutters, all windows to stay as they are and if at all possible the round window on Town Hall be preserved, etc., as far as possible Town Hall will keep the same look it now has.

The Town Council in a motion made by Mrs Crewdson decided to accept Sam Crouch's resignation as Building Inspector after Mr. Orndoff read a letter from him stating that he wanted to resign since at times he would be inspecting his own work which made it a conflict of interest, this was seconded by Mr. Gossom and unanimously approved. After this it was also decided to relieve Wallace Bailey as Electrical Inspector as he too wanted to resign. John Berger has been recommended to do both jobs by Mayor Orndoff.

Alan Gossom received business licenses and sign permits for four offices for the Sale and Display of Motor Vehicles, three of them are to be located at 15000 Washington St., they are; Ideal Motors, formerly Hudson Imports (office # 7); Best Auto Sales, formerly N. & M. Imports (office # 8); Meets Used Cars, formerly Azor Imports (office # 10). There was one new addition; Orleans Auto Sales (office # 301).

Mr. Gossom also returned the old lock to Town Hall that he replaced

WITH a new one and left the rest of the keys that hadn't been distributed.

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other items of business; Mrs Green announced that she would be sending a letter TO all Council members with information concerning Haymarket Day and mentioned that she would like to use Town Hall for the occassion.

#She also asked how to obtain money from the Picnic Fund if needed? She was told that it was in a separate account at Piedmont Federal and Loan Assoc. and Mr. Orndoff suggested that she contact Mr. Smith about having it put back in the Treasurer's Account. This action was approved by Council.

Another request that Mrs Green made was that the sign be put back up on Town Hall Park by Haymarket Day. Mr. Green will take care of this.

#On another subject Mrs Green made a statement about the improper trimming of some of the trees on her property? She was told to contact the proper authorities.

#Councilman Fewell Melton spoke on the trash contract which expired Oct. 31, 1983. Mr David Gaskins who operates Western Disposal, his home address is P.O. Box 351, Haymarket and his business phone is 368-3423, was at the Town Council Meeting. Mr. Melton is to obtain more information on this from Mr. Smith.

With no further business, the August meeting adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

RESPECTIFULLY SUBMITTED:

APPROVED:

Dorothy Keller

DOROTHY KELLER, TOWN CLERK

Hugh Orndoff

HUGH ORNDOFF, MAYOR