

MINUTES

The Collinsville City Council met in regular session, April 9, 2001.

The meeting was called to order at 7 p.m. by Mayor Mc Corkle.

Present were council members Thomas Byrom, Dare Nolen, Troy Vannoy, Johnny Godsey and John Lahr.

Minutes of the March meeting were read and approved with motion by Mr. Godsey, sec. by Mr. Vannoy and carried.

The March financial report was approved with motion by Mr. Godsey, sec. by Mr. Lahr and carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

a. Construction

Mayor McCorkle reported that he had spoken with Frank Weir of Grayson County precinct 3 and was assured the county is ready to start work on the streets this week if weather permits. Several ditches need to be cleaned out with the grade-all before the topping is applied.

Mayor McCorkle reported that city employee Brian Roberts will be leaving the 13th to accept employment with a trucking company.

b. Re-appointment of sales tax committee members:

Committee agent Thomas Byrom recommended the following members for re-appointment to Section B of the Economic Development Corporation for a 2 year term: Dierdre Davis, Benny McKee and Dare Nolen.

Section A committee member Sandy Blakley has moved outside the city limits and Mr. Byrom recommended Kathy Meyer as a replacement for Ms. Blakley.

Members were approved with motion by Mr. Lahr sec. by Mr. Godsey and carried.

NEW BUSINESS;

a. City Library

The back part of the new police department is currently being renovated for a city library.

The library will be operated by volunteers of local women clubs and all books and furniture will be provided by the clubs. It will be the responsibility of club members to set regular office hours and provide an attendant for those hours. Motion to allow the library to operate at the discretion of the city council was made by Mr. Godsey, sec. by Mr. Lahr and carried.

b. Amendment to personnel manual:

Motion was made by Mr. Byrom sec. by Mr. Godsey and carried to amend the employee policy to include drug testing for all employees and periodic testing at the discretion of the mayor.

c. Ordinance # 369

Ordinance # 369 approving an additional \$ 4.00 court cost fee establishing a Municipal Court Technology Fund to be used only to finance the purchase of technological enhancements for the Municipal Court was passed and approved with motion by Mr. Godsey, sec. by Mr. Vannoy and carried.

Motion to adjourn at 7:32 p.m. by Mr. Godsey, sec. by Mr. Vannoy carried.

Wayne Miller *Francis Peltier*