

## MINUTES

The regular meeting of the Collinsville City Council was called to order October 8, 2001 at 7p.m. by Mayor Mc Corkle.

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

Minutes of the September meeting were approved by motion of Mr. Byrom, sec. by Mr. Lahr and carried.

The September financial report was accepted with motion by Mr. Vannoy sec. by Mr. Lahr and carried.

### Old Business:

#### a. Construction:

Council was updated on the status of the renovation work at the treatment plant. A small amount of sand remains at the bottom of the plant. It is believed this can be removed with a pump and assistance from the fire department.

#### b. Approve Park Board Members:---Melanie Graves

Ms. Graves presented the council with a list of prospective board members and proposed projects for the city park.

Motion to approve Melanie Graves, Paula Delka, Donita Byrom, Sharon Farr and Kristy Holt as park board members was made by Mr. Vannoy sec. by Mr. Nolen and carried. Councilman Thomas Byrom abstained from the vote.

### New Business:

#### a. Discuss trees in her yard ---Barbara Rives

Ms. Rives was not present --no council action

#### b. Request speed limit signs, speed bumps & guard light --David & Christina Griffith

Mr. & Mrs. Griffith were not present --no council action

#### c. Complaint against Officer Brad Stone --Cindy Crenshaw

Ms. Crenshaw voiced a complaint to the council concerning a traffic stop of her son Seth Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell was temporarily handcuffed due to his possession of a rifle in the front seat of his truck but was released following Officer Stone's determination that Mr. Mitchell was not a threat.

Officer Stone gave a short briefing of the unusual circumstances leading to the traffic stop and that all precautions were taken within the due process of the law. Mr. Mitchell was present and is of legal age but did not wish to speak to the council on his behalf.

No council action was taken.

#### d. Establish Business Association -- Kristy Holt

Ms. Holt spoke to council on behalf of several business owners concerning the establishment of a Business Association. The association is currently being coordinated by Kristy Holt, Betty Smith and Vince Kerr. Ms. Holt spoke of several projects the association is planning to do and stated she will keep the council informed of their progress.

**e. Repair Fire Truck ---Kelly Rollins**

Fire Chief Rollins asked council permission to proceed with repairs to the 2000 Ferrara which occurred while leaving the fire station on Sept. 22, 2001. The cost of the repairs will be approximately \$15,000.00 with insurance covering all except the \$ 1000.00 deductible. The repairs will be done by Ferrara Incorporated, Holden La. Permission to proceed with the repairs was given by motion of Mr. Byrom sec. by Mr. Vannoy and carried.

**f. Discuss annexation of school property**

Supt. Randy Monhundo stated the school district is ready to start building on the new property east of the city limits and is requesting the property be annexed.

Mr. Monhundo was reminded the school will be required to pay all expenses to extend the water & sewer service to the location.

The property will be annexed when all legal requirements have been completed.

**g. County Fire Contract Renewal:**

The fire contract between the city and Grayson County was renewed by motion of Mr. Byrom sec. by Mr. Nolen and carried.

**h. Resolution---Texas Mobility Fund**

Motion to show support by the passing of the Texas Mobility Fund Resolution was made by Mr. Byrom sec. by Mr. Lahr and carried.

**I. Permission to advertise for bids to sell 93 cruiser:**

The need to sell the 1993 cruiser and 1981 Ford pickup was discussed. Motion to advertise for bids was made by Mr. Byrom sec. by Mr. Vannoy and carried.

**j. Revise oil drilling ordinance:**

The amendment to Ordinance # 187 controlling the drilling of oil wells was passed with motion by Mr. Nolen sec. by Mr. Lahr and carried.

**k. Adopt construction code ordinance:**

The construction code ordinance has not been completed by the attorney.  
No action at this time

**l. Reserve right to enter into executive session to discuss citizen complaints of police officer.**

Mayor McCorkle asked Officer Stone if he wished to speak to the council in closed session. Officer Stone stated he was satisfied with the open session discussion and did not feel there was a need to go into executive session.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m. by motion of Mr. Nolen sec. by Mr. Lahr and carried.

*James P. Lahr*  
*Wayne McCorkle*