

Minutes of the regular council meeting held December 13, 1979 at 68 East Main, Santaquin, Utah at 7:30 P.M.

Mayor Steele presided with councilmen Clement Kester, Dee Clement, and Fred Thompson in attendance. Steve Smith Recorded the minutes.

Police Chief Gary McGiven reported on the activities of the police department and detailed some of the equipment which has been acquired for the department. He also discussed the names of three individuals to be made a part of the police reserve. They were Doug Kelly, Tom McCloud and Steve Smith. These were the only ones that had been interviewed at this time. Councilman Kester asked Chief McGiven about his feelings with having Steve Smith as a reserve as well as being the city manager. Due to the fact that the Mayor supervises the police department and also the working relationship already established between the two he expressed his feelings that there shouldn't be any problems. They each have their own responsibilities which are some what separate and different.

Judge Jay Peterson asked and questioned Tom McClouds activities as a reserve conflicting with that of a Councilman. Fred Thompson asked about the number of hours required and Steve Smiths already long hours put toward his other responsibilities.

Responsibilities of a Class two police officer were briefly discussed and explained, there is new legislation pending regarding this very program. Training was explained as being 80 hours initially plus 40 hours a year in service training.

Walter Calloway expressed his feelings toward having good qualified people on the reserve. He also expressed some concern for a Council member being on the reserve.

Gary Myers expressed some feeling regarding the concern for the amount of time involved. He felt that the amount of time was not relevant due to the fact that most civic minded people are the busiest people in the community and that is their business.

Judge Peterson said he didn't see much problem with the City Manager being a reserve due to the fact he is hired by the city any way and not a part of the law making process.

Fred Thompson made the motion that the name of Doug Kelly be okayed as a member of the reserve program. Clement Kester seconded and it was passed unanimously. The two other names would be considered later.

Judge Peterson then swore in Doug Kelly as a police officer.

Diane Butler was then invited before the council along with Mrs. Walter Peck to discuss the school crossing zones and the need for adult supervision. Various names that should be considered and people to approach were discussed and provided. So far volunteers have not come forward. Different problems with staffing the program were discussed. It was decided that the names proposed be approached by The City Manager along with representatives of the PTA.

Cost to pay the individuals would be in the area of \$3600.00 per year if the city has to pay for the service. This might be considered for next years budget year.

Dee Clement made the motion that the City Manager, Diane Butler, and Louise Peck contact some of the people and see what volunteers can be got. Clement Kester seconded and it passed unanimously.

Stray cats and animals was briefly discussed and the need to enforce the animal ordinance with regard to cats. Clement Kester motioned to have Steve Smith order cages for cats, Fred Thompson seconded, it passed unanimously.

December 20 was set for the sacking of the Christmas Candy, at 6:00 prior to the Pot Luck that same evening.

Dee Clement made the motion that the rental of the Santa Claus be 10.00 with all but the cost of cleaning being returned.

Steve Smith made the council aware of vandalism which has taken place at the Cemetery. The paper has been asked to run a special article of the problem.

Steve Smith asked for permission to close the office during the week of Christmas from Dec 24 thru Jan. 1, it was suggested that it be open on Friday Dec. 28 in the afternoon for the payment of bills and other public conveniences.

Steve Smith asked the council to reconsider the fire agreement with the county, but it was decided to go ahead as they had previously decided with the agreement.

Tom McClouds written requests were considered, Dee Clement made the motion to move the fire phone at the Super Quick to the home of Tom McCloud, Fred Thompson seconded, it passed unanimously.

Dee Clement made the motion that the agenda items for the next meeting be taken thru the Friday preceeding the meeting, Fred Thompson seconded and it passed unanimously.

A public hearing was discussed to review and adopt a revised budget for the balance of this year.

Clement Kester made the motion that the meeting adjourn, Dee Clement seconded, passed unanimously.