

Minutes of the Meeting of the Eva Town Council held in regular session on April 10, 1980, attended by the Mayor and Councilmen Mobley, Livingston, Page and Morgan.

Minutes of the March 13 meeting were read and approved. The financial report giving end-of-March balances was presented as follows:

General Fund	\$1633.20
Gasoline Tax Fund	50.01
Revenue Sharing	28.76 (\$192 transitory; total \$220.76)
Volunteer Fire Department	\$1158.93
Passbook Savings Account	32.88

The Clerk stated the need to transfer \$150 from the General Fund to the Gasoline Tax Fund to pay for the street lights--the bill, plus \$50 on the past due account, totals \$147.36. Mr. Page offered the motion, seconded by Mr. Morgan to transfer these funds. Motion carried.

The Mayor recognized Mrs. Eloise Livingston, who presented the following matter to the Council for consideration. The Wheeler Basin Regional Library has offered to let the Town of Eva have ^{a Summer Reading Program and} a story hour one day a week during the summer months, in conjunction with the Library being here. They will provide the material and get the necessary publicity out about it, if we will arrange for a volunteer to have the story hour, and arrange for the meeting place. Mr. Mobley offered ~~at the meeting~~, seconded by Mr. Page, that we accept this offer, that we allow them to use Town Hall for the meeting place for one day a week, for a period of six weeks. Mrs. Livingston will work out the details with the Library for the publicity about it, and recommends that this be for ages 4 thru 7. She will try to get Mrs. Olene Morgan to be in charge. The flyers announcing the Library and the Story Hour will be sent home with the children at the end of school.

After discussion with Mr. Millwood concerning the upkeep of the lawn, Mr. Livingston offered the motion, seconded by Mr. Page, that we pay him \$12.50 per cutting. Motion carried.

The Clerk presented a draft letter to be sent to the Senior Citizens in the Eva Community. A few corrections were made to the letter (copy attached), and Clerk will get letter out next week. Mr. Page will run the copies.

A discussion ensued about adopting a resolution to protect the people in the city limits against solicitations. It was talked about requiring a license for soliciting.

Mr. Jack Morgan, a visitor at the meeting, was recognized. He presented some proposed policies from the Eva Cemetery Committee, and said that if the Council approved, he would like to get a sign painted and posted before Decoration Day, first Sunday in May. The Cemetery Committee is contacting the Commissioner about widening the entrance road. The Council approved the proposed Cemetery Policies, and recommended that more people--from other churches or in the Town of Eva--be added to the Cemetery Committee. (See attachment.)

Mr. Morgan presented to the Council for consideration the request from members of his family to name the short strip of road between Highway 55 and 35 that goes in front of his house--Morgan Drive. Mr. Mobley offered the motion, seconded by Mr. Page, that said road be named Morgan Drive. Motion carried. A letter will be sent to the Commissioner to make sure that there is no conflict with this street already being named, and will see about getting a sign.

The Clerk was asked to send a letter to Holmes Oil Company advising him of the 1¢ sales tax due the Town on every gallon of gasoline sold; and the 1980 privilege license & fee of \$5.50.

The Mayor read excerpts from the important pieces of mail that had come in this month.

The Town Council set the election date of July 8, 1980, for its municipal election. Mr. Page offered the motion, seconded by Mr. Morgan. Motion carried. The Clerk will get more specific details about election procedures and costs from Decatur.

Mr. Livingston offered the motion, seconded by Mr. Morgan, that the Council appoint Mitchell Hipps, a former member of City Council, to fill the unexpired term of Jimmy Mosteller who moved away.

Mr. Livingston was asked to contact Birlen Childers about building a porch at the Senior Citizens Center.

The structure for installing the alarm system on top of the building was discussed. No motion was made.

Mr. Mobley will spray the inside and outside of Town Hall for termites on Saturday morning.

Mr. Livingston offered the motion to pay the bills listed below, seconded by Mr. Page. Motion carried.

From Vol. Fire Dept. account, \$150 insurance for building and contents
\$59.40 for 6 months insurance on white 1964 truck.
From General Fund: Petrolane Gas Co. \$107.10; Clerk's salary for March \$83.94; Net
phone bill \$30.61; Water bill \$6.76.

There being no further business, Mr. Mobley offered motion that the meeting be adjourned.

Clerk

Approved
5-8-80