

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

AUGUSTA, MAINE

July 11, 2003

Minutes of the regular City Council meeting held Monday, July 7, 2003 at 7:00 p.m., Council Chambers, City Center.

All members of the Council were present except Councilor Davis; Mayor Dowling presided.

Public comments were held on items listed on the agenda.

OLD BUSINESS AND TABLED MATTERS

HAS BEEN READ AND PASSED, AS AMENDED

076 ORDERED, That the Historic Preservation Commission is authorized to conduct an archeological survey of city-owned property at Dickman and Winthrop Streets for an amount not to exceed \$6,000. Said survey will be completed on or before August 15, 2003. Timing of said survey will be coordinated through the City Manager's office and;

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, That the City Manager report back to the City Council with respect to his advice about the timing.

Yeas: 6; Doore, Veilleux, Foster, O'Brien, Koski, Lund  
Nays: 1; Sotir

HAS BEEN READ AND PASSED

072 ORDERED, That the attached list of uncollectible real estate and personal property taxes be charged off to bad debt expense.

Yeas: 7; Sotir, Doore, Veilleux, Foster,  
O'Brien, Koski, Lund  
Nays: 0

NEW BUSINESS

HAS BEEN READ, FIRST READING

086 BE IT ORDAINED, By the City Council of Augusta, that the following text amendments be made to the Land Use Ordinance, as recommended unanimously to the Council by the Planning Board: (see attached)

(FIRST READING, NO VOTE REQUIRED)

NEW BUSINESS (Con't)

HAS BEEN READ, FIRST READING (Con't)

087 BE IT ORDAINED, By the City Council of Augusta, that the following text amendments be made to Augusta's Revised Code of Ordinances and the Land Use Ordinance, as recommended unanimously to the Council by Augusta's Historic Preservation Commission and Planning Board: (see attached).

(FIRST READING, NO VOTE REQUIRED)

HAS BEEN READ AND PASSED, TWO READINGS WAIVED

088 BE IT ORDAINED, By the City Council of the City of Augusta, as follows:

That Chapter 18, section 73 Schedule of no parking, restricted parking areas, of the Revised Code of Ordinances 1990, as amended be further amended by adding the following hereto:

First Avenue (Seasonal):

No parking on the south side of First Avenue starting at a point two hundred fifteen (215) feet from the intersection of First Avenue and Hospital Street easterly to the intersection of First Avenue and Congress Street from May 15 to September 15.

Yeas: 7; Sotir, Doore, Veilleux, Foster,  
O'Brien, Koski, Lund

Nays: 0

HAS BEEN READ AND PASSED

084 ORDERED, That minutes of the City Council meeting held June 16, 2003 submitted by the City Clerk be approved.

Yeas: 7; Sotir, Doore, Veilleux, Foster,  
O'Brien, Koski, Lund

Nays: 0

NEW BUSINESS (Con't)

HAS BEEN READ AND PASSED (Con't)

085 ORDERED, That the City Council hereby finds it necessary to allow one (1) night of street milling work along north Water Street from Bridge Street to approximately the Bond Brook Bridge in preparation for an asphalt street overlay. The milling work will be performed between the hours of 7:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m., a Sunday through Thursday evening, one night only, sometime between June 24, 2003 and August 15, 2003. This area of Water Street, from Bridge Street to the brook, will need to be closed during this milling work.

Yeas: 7; Sotir, Doore, Veilleux, Foster,  
O'Brien, Koski, Lund

Nays: 0

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl A. Frith  
City Clerk