

Monday - ~~January~~ ^{June} 20th. 1932.

An Adjourned meeting of the Council was held at the Municipal Hall on Monday, June 20th, 1932 at 7.55 p.m.

Present: His Worship Reeve Pritchard in the chair:

Councillors Martin, Brown, Lambert, Lench, Wheatley, Gray and Hatherly.

A delegation attended from the Central Park Women's institute advising that the institute were considering the erection of a shelter at Central Park wading pool and requesting approval of Council.

Moved by Cr.Gray, Seconded by Cr.Martin: "That this application be referred to Committee of the chairman of Parks, Councillor for Ward 1, the Engineer and Building Inspector, and that copy of proposed plan be handed to the Engineer."
Carried unanimously.

Correspondence was received and dealt with as follows:

1. Secretary of the Committee of the Executive Council on Unemployment Relief advising that he was of opinion that where work was performed for Direct relief it would be necessary to make payment in cash.
Moved by Cr.Martin, Seconded by Cr.Lench: "That the letter be received and a copy of same be supplied to each Councillor."
Carried unanimously. Crs.Brown & Lambert agnst
- Honourable, the Minister of Finance, Victoria, advising that the Provincial could not legally make any loan to this Municipality, and advising that vouchers for work done should be forwarded as speedily as possible to Victoria when no delay in payment of same would occur.
Moved by Cr.Martin, Seconded by Cr.Gray: "That the letter be received and filed."
Carried unanimously.
- Moved by Cr.Lench, Seconded by Cr.Wheatley: "That men be invited to work on jobs under agreement No.46. on understanding that Relief orders will be given until such time as money is forthcoming from the Government when balance due will be paid in cash."
Negatived - Crs.Martin, Brown, Hatherly and Gray voting against.
2. Deputy Provincial Secretary - Victoria - forwarding copy of order in Council approving By-law No.1185 (Shell Oil Company of British Columbia Limited Aid By-law 1930)
Moved by Cr.Lambert, Seconded by Cr.Martin: "That the letter be received and filed."
Carried unanimously.
- Workingclass Ex-servicemen's League - complaining of action of certain members of Council in supporting the suggestion to work for direct relief.
Moved by Cr.Martin, Seconded by Cr.Brown: "That the letter be received and filed."
Carried unanimously.
- Secretary, Good Roads League - advising that the annual convention would be held at Nelson on June 25th inst. and requesting payment of annual fee of \$10.00
Moved by Cr.Lambert, Seconded by Cr.Martin: "That the letter be received and the fee be paid if funds available."
Carried unanimously.
- Moved by Cr.Gray, Seconded by Cr.Martin: "That the Good Roads League be requested to consider re-affirming resolution submitted by this Council in 1931."
Carried unanimously.
3. The Treasurer submitted recommendation that premium on Group Insurance policy payable by employees not now working be paid by the Corporation and that same be collected when employees are again employed.
Moved by Cr. Martin, Seconded by Cr.Lambert: "That the recommendation be adopted."
Carried unanimously.
4. The Treasurer submitted further statement in connection with direct relief advising that there are vouchered accounts filed with the Government and unpaid from May 1st to June 7th. \$57,531.92 and that amounts now owing to merchants on direct relief orders up to June 7th. \$68,275.00
The Treasurer requested a definite pronouncement be made at this time.
Moved by Cr.Martin, Seconded by Cr.Gray: "That this report be considered along with the following item."
Carried unanimously.
- His Worship the Reeve submitted resume of correspondence, telegrams etc between this Corporation and the Governments as from June 13th.
Moved by Cr.Martin, Seconded by Cr.Lambert: "That both reports be received and that the council meet as a committee of the whole on Wednesday evening at 7.30 p.m. to discuss same."
Carried unanimously.
- The Relief officer submitted weekly report of relief issued amounting to \$11,589.07 for period June 6th to June 11th.
Moved by Cr.Hatherly, Seconded by Cr.Wheatley: "That the report be received."
Carried - Cr.Martin against.

The Relief Officer submitted report showing number of investigations on account of direct relief carried out for week June 13th to 18th as 300 together with statement of mileage travelled by Investigators.
 Moved by Cr.Hatherly, Seconded by Cr.Wheatley: "That the report be received."

Negatived - Crs. Martin, Brown, Lench and Gray voting against.

The Relief Officer submitted list of stores in Municipality showing those who have declined the receive relief orders and those who are still carrying on.
 Moved by Cr.Gray, Seconded by Cr.Hatherly: "That this matter be referred to meeting of the Council sitting as a committee of the whole on Wednesday evening."

Carried unanimously.

1. The Deputy Municipal Engineer submitted report advising that he had interviewed Mr.Waddington re his claim and as a result Mr.Waddington had agreed to reduce his claim to \$100.00

Moved by Cr.Hatherly, Seconded by Cr.Wheatley: "That the report be received and be referred to the Corporation solicitor."

Carried unanimously.

Moved by Cr.Lambert, Seconded by Cr.Martin: "That this Council do now adjourn."

Carried unanimously.

Confirmed.

Arthur G. Moore
 Clerk.

L. Lambert
 Reeve

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