

Council Chamber, Oregon City,

September 1st, 1920.

The City Council of Oregon City, Oregon, met in regular session on the above date at 7 o'clock, p.m.

Rollcall showed the following officers present:

R.L. Holman, Mayor,  
John W. Loder, Recorder,  
George L. Story, City Attorney,  
E.F. Scott, Chief of Police.

Councilmen:

F.E. Albright,  
Isom C Bridges,  
O.D. Eby,  
W.C. Green,  
C.W. Kelly,  
W.G.H. Krueger,  
R. Petzold,  
J.J. Tobin.

The minutes of the meetings of the city council held on August 4th, 9th and 23rd were read and approved.

The communication of the City of Salem relative to the whistling of trains was read and ordered filed.

The communication of the Public Service Commission relative to the whistling of trains and stating that the matter would be taken up with the southern Pacific Company asking that said whistling of trains be minimized through Oregon City was read and ordered placed on file.

The petitions of citizens relative to the whistling of trains automobiles running without mufflers and other distressing noises about town was read and ordered placed on file.

It was voted that the Recorder be ordered to again write to the Southern Pacific Company requesting it to minimize the whistling of their trains through Oregon City.

The surety bond of M.J. Lee for operating a jitney to Oregon City was referred to the city attorney.

The report of the chief of police for the month of August, 1920 was read and ordered placed on file.

The report of the City Recorder for the month of August, 1920 was read and ordered placed on file.

The following report of the special committee relative to the City Hall was read and filed.

Sept. 1-1920.

To the Hon. Mayor and City Council  
of Oregon City, Oregon.

Gentlemen:-

We your committee appointed to procure plans and specifications for the building of a city hall beg to report that we have secured plans and specifications from three different architects and are in a position to report upon a plan which we are willing to recommend, but before doing so and before incurring any obligation with an architect we believe that the location of a site should be fixed by Ordinance and definite arrangements should be made for the sale of bonds in order that we may be safe in having the money for the construction of the building.

Respectfully Submitted,  
O.D. Eby,  
W.G.H. Krueger,  
F.E. Albright.

Committee.

Upon motion and roll call the following report of the Finance Committee was read and adopted, the roll call resulting as follows:  
Ayes: Albright, Bridges, Eby, Green, Kelly, Krueger, Petzold & Tobin (8)

Oregon City, Oregon.  
Aug. 31st, 1920.

Hon. Mayor and City Council of  
Oregon City, Oregon.

Gentlemen:-

We, your finance committee having examined the following claims against the city, and finding them correct in the amounts herein stated recommend that the same be ordered paid by warrants drawn on the respective funds in payment thereof.

E.W.Scott,	Chief of police	105.00	
Ed Surfus,	Night officer,	100.00	
J.W.Norris,	Health officer,	40.00	
Fred Weider,	Care toilets	10.00	
L.W.Moore,	Vacation for Surfus	52.50	
E.E.Gabriel, for Ed Lavier,	" " Scott	52.50	
Pac.Highway Garage	Install & repairs	86.27	
Pac.Tel.Co.	Phone calls	.30	
Portland Railway,	Globes,	2.40	
Brunswick Restaurant,	Meals	2.10	446.57
Fire & Water:			
Harry Sieler,	Fire chief,	10.00	
Herbert Thomas,	Care alarm	15.00	25.00
City Recorder:			
John W.Loder,	Recorder for Aug.	25.00	
C.A.Pratt,	Deputy & stamps	91.00	
Margaret Beattie,	For vacation	35.00	
Mult. Lodge,	Rent	7.50	
Pac.Tel. Co.,	Phones	.10	158.60
Printing:			
O.C.Enterprise,	Notices	12.25	
Banner-Courier,	same	12.30	24.55
Attorney:			
George L.Story,	Filing fees incid's		95.50
Memorial & Patriotic			
Bannon & Co.,	one flag		5.50
Elevator:			
Jack Straight,	Operator,	107.30	
A.L.Blanchard,	22 days	76.12	
E.J.Hughes,	9 days	31.14	
7th Street Garage	oil	.70	
Portland Railway,	Lights	4.61	227.31
Manning Packing Co.,			7.44
Engineering:			
Mult. Lodge	Rent		7.50
Arc:			
Portland Railway,	For August		386.75
Incandescents:			
Portland Railway,	For August		9.56
356.41			
Road:			
M.G.Christensen,	Supt.	120.00	
J.E.Fisher,	Street work,	94.72	
W.R.Clark,	Cleening streets	90.00	
George Boylan,	Road Work,	84.50	
A Shunk,	same	18.50	
LGG. Hair,	"	5.00	
Gerald Warner,	"	14.25	
Jake Miller,	Wiring	10.00	
Pac.Highway Garage	Installing	75.50	
Otto J.Buol,	lumber	17.40	
E.A.Hugh	wood	4.25	
Willamette Lumber Co.,	lumber	7.75	
C.W.Frederick,	Supplies	7.90	
Fred McCaudland,	Gas	12.71	651.45

Library:		
Bertha Adams	Librarian,	85.00
Everett Rosecrans	Assistant,	25.00
Portland Railway,	Lights	3.47
Jones Drug	Supplies	5.90
Huntley Bros.	same	3.75
Pacific Tel.Co.,	Phone	2.10
		<u>125.22</u>

## Cemetery:

J.W.Currin,	Sexton,	28.00
Mrs Buelah Nolan,	Refund for lot	30.00
Pac. Tel.Co.,	Phone	1.50
		<u>59.50</u>

Respectfully,

J.J.Tobin, Chairman

Isom C Bridges.

Finance Committee.

Mr. Story, City Attorney reported that the City would get about \$ 9535.26 from the county for the road dept and aboutn4000.00 is due this November.

Mr. Green reported progress in regard to the placing of street signs

The recorder reported progress in regard to the sale of property in the Cross Block.

Mr. Krueger stated that he favored giving the Cross Property to the School Board. No action was taken.

It was voted that the council go on record as being in favor of the purchase of the Harding property for a city hall and fire station if satisfactory price can be agreed upon.

Motion lost the vote as follows:

Ayes: Tobin, Kelly and Petzold.

Noes: Eby, Bridges, Albright and Green.

Not voting: Krueger.

It was voted that a committee be appointed to see if the Schram property can be urchased at a price satisfactory to the Council. The following committee was appointed: Petzold, Tobin & Eby.

On motion the council adjourned.

*John C. Eby*  
Recorder.