

MINUTES OF A COTTONWOOD HEIGHTS COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING HELD FEBRUARY 7, 2001 IN BUTLER MIDDLE SCHOOL.

The council met in a work session, at 6 p.m. in the Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center, with Tom Shafer of Salt Lake County Developmental Services. The council reviewed with Tom the role of the Council in planning and zoning.

The council moved over to Butler Middle School for the regular meeting at 7 p.m.

Present – Gordon Nicholl, Bill Morris, Paul Childs, Sheryl Ivey, Ann Bracken, Cathy Trane, Mike Peterson, Pat Warner, Jerri Harwell.

General Business

Gordon Nicholl called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Upon motion by Ann Bracken, seconded by Pat Warner and approved unanimously, it was

RESOLVED, to approve the minutes of the previous meeting.

Lt. Labrum

Bill Morris presented Lt. Labrum, who is retiring after 30 years with the Salt Lake County Sheriff's Department, a resolution signed by the Council members. He thanked Lt. Labrum for his years of services and especially those spent in the Cottonwood Heights Area.

Sheriff's Report

Deputy Scott Hansen presented the Sheriff's Report, emphasizing the crime statistics for the neighborhood. Anyone wanting figures for their immediate neighborhood should call him and set up a neighborhood watch meeting and at that time the sheriff's department will pull those figures. He encouraged everyone to get involved in neighborhood watch programs. They are the eyes and ears of the community.

He announced the Safe Kids Fair to be held February 17th from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 9400 South State Street.

ACCT Report

Sheryl Ivey gave the report on the previous ACCT meeting. Most of the meeting was taken up with the election of officers. There were 16 areas of concern or interest with the legislature. The council will review these in a pre-meeting at 6 p.m. on March 7th in the Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center.

Widening of Danish Rd

Mr. Grover Marsh of Salt Lake County reviewed the concept to widen Danish Road from Bengal Boulevard to Wasatch Boulevard. The road would be 2 lanes wide with a center turn lane. There would be a bicycle lane and a sidewalk on both sides. Citizens were present to voice their opposition to this. Mr. March did not think this was the right forum

for this and indicated that there will be an open house for this purpose and all neighbors of the project will be invited to attend.

Widening of 2000 East

Mr. Grover Marsh of Salt Lake County reviewed the plans to widen and improve 2000 East from Fort Union to Bengal Boulevard. Some citizens voiced their concerns with the project. There will be an open house to present the plans and the citizens can have input at this time.

ZONING

#19256 6783 South 2300 East Steve Shaw Construction

After discussion and upon motion made by Cathy Trane, seconded by Pat Warner, and passed unanimously, it was

RESOLVED, to deny this application to re-zone from R1-8 to R1-7. This would be a down zoning and the neighborhood does not need it and the denial does not make the project unsaleable.

#19245 7069 Highland Drive Communication Tower

After discussion and upon motion made by Cathy Trane, seconded by Bill Morris, and passed unanimously, it was

RESOLVED, to deny this application. This is consistent with the council's stand on all requests for communication towers. They need to be made less obtrusive.

#19278 7025 South Highland Drive Sonic Drive In

After discussion and upon motion made by Bill Morris, seconded by Paul Childs, and passed unanimously, it was

RESOLVED, to approve this application.

#19320 7183 Union Park Ave – Car Wash partners.

After discussion Gordon Nicholl stated that the Council would stay with the original resolution made last month to approve this application. The plans show that there will be a deceleration lane as requested by the Council

ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT –

After review the Council had no comments to make on the proposed ordinance.

Salt Lake County Parks and Recreation

Vicki Rodman, Salt Lake County Parks and Recreation presented to the Council Salt Lake County's plan to remove the office of Salt Lake County Parks and Recreation presently located in the Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center. All programs will be run from other Salt Lake County sites. Vicki answered questions from those present. Mike

Peterson explained that the recreation service area was formed to provide supplemental recreation to the citizens not to replace Salt Lake County's responsibility, and the Council should keep monitoring the County's presence.

Tuff Shed 3208 E 7000 S

Gordon Nicholl reported that the Tuff Shed application at 3208 East 7000 South was denied by the County. Mr. Buxton must make changes and re-submit his application.

Town Meeting

Representative J. Morgan Philpott will hold a town meeting on February 8th at 7 p.m. in waterside ClubHouse on 1300 East just North of Wingers.

Whitmore Way "No Parking" signs

Further to a letter to Salt Lake County regarding some no parking signs installed on Whitmore Way, Gordon had met with the County and reviewed the placement of the signs. It was agreed that the placement seemed inconsistent and as the County could not find any paperwork to support their locations the no parking signs were re-located.

Cathy Trane and Lt. Labrum who had both been very involved in getting these signs installed expressed their dismay at this action. The Council will place this item on the next month's agenda for review and action.

Letters will be sent to Salt Lake County Traffic Engineer, Salt Lake County Sheriff's Community Action Team and the Cottonwood Heights Stake President inviting them to attend the meeting.

Time Limit on Addressing an Issue

Susan Mackey asked to speak to the 5-minute rule on addressing an issue. She felt that it should be more flexible. Maybe 2 minutes per individual to a maximum of 10 minutes. The Council agreed to a 2 minute per individual with a 5-minute total, for each side of an issue. This will be announced at the beginning of each meeting and also added to the agenda.

Night out Against Crime

Gordon Nicholl asked for a volunteers to represent the Council on the "Night out against Crime" committee. Bill Morris and Sheryl Ivey will do this.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m. The next meeting will be March 7th, 2001.

6 p.m. in Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center for the pre-meeting.

6:30 p.m. in Butler Middle School for the regular meeting.