

Council Chambers, 4:00 P.M.
Monday, June 15, 1959

Council met in regular session. Present on roll call 7; Anderson, Bratrud, Easterday, Goering, Humiston, Perdue and Price. Absent on roll call 2; Porter and Mayor Hanson. Mayor Hanson coming in at 4:45 P.M.. In the absence of Mayor Hanson, Dr. Humiston, Vice Mayor, presided.

It was moved by Mr. Anderson that the minutes of the meeting of June 8, 1959 be approved as submitted. Seconded by Mr. Easterday. Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Porter and Mayor Hanson.

HEARINGS AND APPEALS:

Disposition of "Old City Hall".

Dr. Humiston, Vice Mayor, said this was the time set aside for discussion by interested parties on the disposition of the "Old City Hall." 160
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Mr. Robert Evans, Public Relations Director of Allied Arts of Tacoma, said there is an extensive group of people interested in the saving of the old City Hall. They ask that the demolition of the City Hall be deferred until proposals concerning the use of the building can be studied. Mr. Evans explained that Allied Arts' position in this matter was not to preserve the old City Hall but to act as a clearing house for the numerous proposals submitted. Some are interested in preserving the entire building; Others only the tower or the chimes. In summary if the building was renovated, it could be the beginning of Urban Renewal in the area of upper Broadway Pacific and Commerce which is an area needing this attention. If the building is demolished it can result in the waste of valuable resources which so far have been unrealized and unexplored.

The January 1959 Reader's Digest contained an article on the preservation of historic buildings, he said, and the following statement appeared: "Recent surveys show that an average of only 28 tourists a day visiting a town with historic attractions will bring in as much money as a business with a one hundred thousand dollar payroll." He added that he mentioned this only because it concerned the possible revenues of such an endeavor.

The City does need tourist attractions badly. The more it has, usually the more prosperous a City is; and it is felt that some of the proposals made for the City Hall or its parts can very definitely be tourist attractions.

Another good reason for the preservation of this building or parts of the building is that no other use has been proposed for the space it occupies other than ground level parking. He said they feel that some of their proposals would give it even greater advantages.

Architecturally there are many schools of thought, he continue. A great many people regard this type of Italian architecture as beautiful and handsome. Whatever the opinion is locally, it does have some architectural value. It is an addition to the skyline which is visible from almost all over the City.

Finally, Mr. Evans said, the clock and chimes are an asset to any business center. They are an invaluable civic resource which in this case will be wasted if they are removed.

Because this building is on the major traffic route, it could serve the tourists in many different ways. Primarily it is felt that it could be a more centrally located

travel bureau and information center. It has been proposed that the building be turned into an import - export center for northwest products. It could also serve as a recreational center or as an addition to the park system. He said there has been discussion of extending Firemen's Park up as far as Stadium High School along the bluff and this building could serve in that connection as it would be a link in the system. Many other proposals have been received and more time is desired to study all of these. Mr. Evans said that the Real Estate Board endorses the deferral of the destruction of the old City Hall as does Mr. Elmer Alskog, Chairman of the Planning Commission.

Many Cities throughout the United States and Europe are active in preserving old landmarks even to the point of total demolition and restoration. Again, Mr. Evans said, he would like to state their one request is for time only to examine the building and the various propositions.

Dr. Humiston asked how much time would be needed.

Mr. Evans said they would like to have a minimum of three months as many organizations such as the Real Estate Board and the Architect group would have to be consulted.

Mr. Anderson asked Mr. Evans to explain the sketch of the City Hall which was distributed to the Council members.

Mr. Evans said this was one of the many proposals submitted - that everything be taken down except the tower and the outside shell. The base would then be filled with dirt; grass, trees, etc. would be planted making a beautiful park out of the historic landmark.

Dr. Anderson, an engineer, said he feels that Tacoma has a chance to save one of its better examples of early architecture. There are many fine things about the old City Hall and having spent some time in many cities back east and a year as an engineer in Europe, he was impressed by the way older cities have tried to preserve the more interesting and better examples of architecture. He said he felt that if an acceptable plan is proposed, it would be possible to tear out that part of the building which is now unsatisfactory and replace it with modern fireproof construction to tie the masonry back together. He added that he believed it would be possible with a reasonable amount of time to make a survey and determine to what extent this structure would have to be strengthened and in what way it might be modified to serve a use which the leaders of our community might designate.

Mr. Easterday said Mr. Evans and his group have given much time to the consideration of this matter; therefore he felt their request for a longer period of time was reasonable. Mr. Easterday then moved that this matter be set over until the third Monday in September (September 21). Seconded by Mr. Anderson.

Dr. Humiston asked what the status was of the disposition of the old City Hall Mayor Hanson coming in at this time.

Mr. Rowlands advised that the School Board is expected to transfer the chime to the new South Tacoma High School if they can be incorporated into the plans. Also that bids are about to be taken for the removal of the elevator for transfer to the old Police Building. This would have to be delayed pending the outcome of this investigation.

Mr. Bratrud said he could see no harm in stopping all procedures and letting this group have 90 days to see if they could come up with a feasible program.

Dr. Humiston said if the motion to postpone the matter until September 21st does pass, he would recommend that this group, when they submit their plan, include in their report the amount of money that would be required for the project.

Roll call was then taken on Mr. Easterday's motion to postpone this discussion until September 21st. Motion carried: Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

Mayor Hanson, taking over as chairman at this time, asked that Ordinance No. 16380 be considered now.

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Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be suspended in order to take up Ordinance No. 16380. Seconded by Mr. Perdue. Roll call: Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:

Ordinance No. 16380:

Amending Title 5 of the Official Code of the City by adding a new Chapter 179 to be known as Chapter 5.46- relating to housing, establishing minimum standards governing all buildings used for human habitation, authorizing inspection, establishing a board of appeals and fixing penalties for violations thereof. Read by title.

Mr. Julius Feist, Chairman of the Citizen's Housing Committee, said the Committee has been working on this Ordinance since October of 1958. In weekly meetings they have considered a proposed city-wide Housing Code initially prepared by the city staff. Numerous changes were decided upon to reduce the hardships upon the residents of the community and to make the code more workable. The powers of the "Housing Board of Appeals" have been strengthened and expanded, thus providing safeguards for property owners. The Committee studied this harder than any other Ordinance, he added, and he felt they came up with something that is workable and that should be adopted.

Mr. Claude M. Pearson, a member of the Committee, said the code is a compromise between the various points of view that were represented by this Committee. He believed that all the compromises were made in a spirit of arriving at a code that would still be strong enough to qualify the City for Federal Funds in the Urban Renewal Program. He urged the passage of this code adding that he believed it was a code which would serve the community well.

Mayor Hanson said this was essential in Tacoma's Urban Renewal Program and added that the City was very deeply indebted to this group for their hard work at arriving at such an excellent code.

Mr. Les Gillis, Building Inspector, said throughout the meetings of the Committee, he made every effort to keep this code down to a reasonable place where there would be more chance of enforcing it. Things can be written into a housing code which can not be enforced to the letter, he said. A code of this nature has to provide for instances that cannot be enforced - thus the Board of Appeals.

Mr. Rowlands said the principle enforcing agency of this code will be the Health Department.

Dr. Fargher, Director of Health and Welfare, said a Housing Code is basically a code to clear off some of the run-down property and also to prevent the further deterioration of the community. One of the main interests here is to prevent decay of housing in our City and set up a mechanism so as to have a period now of preserving the homes.

Mr. Bob Jones, of the Health Department, said much work was done analyzing, studying and tabulating the requirements of housing codes throughout the United States. Every effort was made to have this code follow the medium line and to fit the various requirements to the local need in Tacoma. He said he felt the Citizen's Committee has done a very fine job in compiling this Ordinance.

Mr. Rowlands said he felt the provision of the Board of Appeals was a very fine safeguard.

Mr. McCormick, City Attorney, said a representative of the Legal Department was present at most of these meetings while the changes and revisions were taking place. It is the opinion of his department that this is a very workable code. Undoubtedly legal questions will occur that can be settled in Court only, but as far as the Legal Department is concerned, this code is the very best that can be done

under the circumstances to accomplish the results for which it was intended.

Dr. Humiston said he would like a change made on page 4, Sec. 5:46.200. He moved that this Section be amended to conform with the City Charter regarding "Appointments." Seconded by Mr. Anderson. Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

The Ordinance was then placed in order of final reading.

The order of business was then resumed.

RESOLUTIONS:

Resolution No. 15779

L I D 4657

BY HUMISTON:

Fixing Tuesday, July 14, 1959 at 4:00 P.M. as the date for hearing on L I D 4657 for permanent type pavement, concrete curbs and gutters and storm water catch basins on South D Street from South 70th to South 72nd Streets.

It was moved by Mr. Anderson that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Bratrud.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

Resolution No. 15780

L I D 5310

BY PORTER:

Fixing Tuesday, July 14, 1959 at 4:00 P.M. as the date for hearing on L I D 5310 for cast iron watermains in the area of Harborview Drive between Browns Point Boulevard and Edwards Road.

It was moved by Mr. Easterday that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Bratrud.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

Resolution No. 15781

BY ANDERSON:

Authorizing the Public Utility Board to take the necessary action to extend electric service into the area of Southern King County and that the electric property necessary therefor be acquired by purchase or condemnation.

It was moved by Mr. Anderson that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Bratrud.

Mr. Barline, Director of Utilities, said the request is that negotiations with Puget Sound Power and Light Company will be entered into for possible condemnation for the purpose of acquiring this suburban area of Southern King County. A lot of request for a change of service during the past several years has brought about this action.

Dr. Humiston said this was certainly a Resolution of intention but he wondered if this Resolution as presently worded gives authority, without further action by the City to actually start condemnation proceedings.

Marshall McCormick said an Ordinance would be required for actual condemnation.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

Resolution No. 15782

BY BRATRUD:

Authorizing the proper officers of the City to execute and deliver to Lyman W. and Lucia C. Ketchum a local improvement assessment deed upon payment of the sum of \$192.60 for property located near South 81st and Yakima.

It was moved by Mr. Anderson that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Bratrud.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

Resolution No. 15783

BY GOERING:

Appropriating \$1,764.93 from the "B" Account of the Equipment Rental Fund for purchase of equipment for installation and use in the new Police cars.

It was moved by Dr. Humiston that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Anderson.

Mr. Bratrud asked what happened to the equipment on the old Police cars? Mr. Rowlands explained that the new Police cars are equipped with 12 volt batteries and the lights, etc. on the old cars were 6 volt batteries, therefore it was necessary that new equipment be purchased. However, he added, the equipment will be transferable at a later date.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

Resolution No. 15784

BY PRICE:

Awarding contract to Firestone Tire and Rubber Company for tire leasing for the Tacoma Transit System for a 3 year period, said contract to be based on the rate per bus mile.

It was moved by Mr. Anderson that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Bratrud.

Mr. Rowlands said because of the contract the City has with the Bus Company

in effect that the City is really the owner, it was required that the City take bids on behalf of the Transit System. This was the only bid received although specifications were made available to all dealers. Actually this bid is lower than the one accepted in 1956.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter

Resolution No. 15785

BY HANSON:

Awarding contract to Morris Construction Company for L I D 2296 in the amount of \$6,131.78 which was determined to be the lowest and best bid.

It was moved by Mr. Easterday that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Anderson.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter

Resolution No. 15786

BY ANDERSON:

Awarding contract to J. D. Shotwell Co. for L I D 2281 in the amount of \$210,581.12 which was determined to be the lowest and best bid.

It was moved by Mr. Perdue that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Anderson.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter

Resolution No. 15787

BY PERDUE:

Authorizing the proper officials of the City to retain consulting engineers for the development of sewage treatment works.

It was moved by Mr. Anderson that the Resolution be adopted. Seconded by Mrs. Goering.

Mr. Rowlands said he had talked with Mr. Garton of the State Pollution Control Commission about granting to Tacoma \$250,000 to assist in the sewage treatment plant expansion program. The City feels it is prepared to begin shortly in the retention of engineers to proceed with the treatment plant improvement. Another City in the State is also about to request aid and it is hoped that this Resolution will show the Commission that Tacoma is ready to move ahead and rates first consideration.

Mr. Easterday said he thought Mr. Kennedy had been retained for this work. Mr. Schuster, Public Works Director, replied that Mr. Kennedy was retained for minor improvements on the present treatment plant.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter

FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES:Ordinance No. 16377:

Amending Ordinance No. 15037 - authorizing the Director of Utilities to enter into a contract for the furnishing of water with the Housing Authority of the City of Tacoma and setting forth the provisions of said Contract. Read by title. 182

Mr. Barline, Director of Utilities, said this is a renewal of an agreement put into effect 5 years ago. The present water rate Ordinance makes no provision for single service to more than one dwelling. When Salishan was built the Government put in its own water distribution system and all its water was delivered through a master meter. After the Federal Government gave up the Salishan Project 5 years ago, Utilities entered into this agreement whereby Utilities would continue the service under a master meter while Housing Authority continued to alter their system which was substandard. Out of the thousand houses that had to be changed over, 800 have been completed. This Ordinance merely authorizes Utilities to continue to service the remaining 200 units until they too are changed. The Ordinance was then placed in order of final reading.

Ordinance No. 16378:

Amending the Official Code of the City relating to zoning by deleting a portion of Section 13.06.040 and by adding a new section to be known as Section 13.06.120 (10) - property adjacent to the N. W. corner of North 26th and Pearl Streets. (Petition of National Bank of Washington.) Read by title. 117
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Mayor Hanson said this was recommended for approval by the Planning Commission. The Ordinance was then placed in order of final reading.

Ordinance No. 16379:

Authorizing and directing the City Attorney to purchase or prosecute an action in the Superior Court of the State of Washington for the condemnation and acquisition of certain lands for the construction, installation and maintenance of a storm sewer in Northeast Tacoma. Read by Title.

Mr. Rowlands said this was simply a matter of not being able to negotiate so the City will be required to proceed in this manner. The Ordinance was then placed in order of final reading.

FINAL READING OF ORDINANCES:Ordinance No. 16369:

Amending (7) sections of the Official Code of the City relating to the Business and Occupation Tax to conform with the new State reporting period by changing the bi-monthly period to a quarterly period. Read by title and passed.

Roll call: Ayes 8; Nays 0; Absent 1, Porter.

Ordinance No. 16370:

Amending Section 11.20.010 of the Official Code of the City relating to 223

traffic and designating certain streets as one-way streets in the City. Read by title

Dr. Humiston said he was not in favor of the plans for Market Street in the one-way proposition. When a change-over from two-way streets to one-way streets is made, a great deal of confusion results and he felt that running two blocks of Market one-way into the opposite direction of travel at 11th Street was undesirable. He wondered why all of Market could not be one-way only

Mr. Rowlands said this matter was checked very carefully by Mr. Kosai, Traffic Engineer. It is something that is not unusual but is being worked out in many communities.

Mr. Kosai said this matter of bringing 2 streets into one point is not unique. The reason for doing this is for the large parking area provided on Market Street and trying to reduce the number of vehicles that are forced to return into the central core area enroute home. One of the bigger problems in the downtown area is the number of cars that must circulate around the core area. Court "D" is provided as a safety valve so that a person destined the opposite and mistakenly gets on Market Street, can use Court "D" as an alternate to reach his destination. The one-way plan is going to change the travel pattern. It will be necessary for people to plan their routes. The Traffic Department feels that by bringing Market Street to a point at 11th will make it easier for people to come to the parking areas and also alleviate the downtown area by having this type of a departure route. The purpose of all one-way plans is to bring people into the central business district but also park them in the fringe area and then to let the cars leave without intermingling with the heavy volume of pedestrian traffic in the downtown area.

Dr. Humiston said he was still of the opinion that the present plan for Market Street was undesirable. In fact, he added, ever since this subject of one-way street was first brought up, he has been skeptical that the point has not yet been reached in Tacoma where the advantages of the one-way street plan at certain peak times outweigh the disadvantages of having it in operation 24 hours a day.

Mr. Kosai said one-way streets are not only able to handle peak traffic more conveniently but they also reduce "conflicts" such as left turns that occur constantly. When "conflicts" are reduced, easier travel naturally results.

Several businessmen from the Kay Street area were present to protest making K Street one-way.

Mr. Kosai explained that he had investigated the matter thoroughly. The program has the support of the Tacoma Retail Trade Bureau. He also felt that since only half of the poll cards distributed to the K Street merchants were returned, many more were in favor of the system than the 23 - 15 vote against it would indicate.

Mayor Hanson said if we are really serious about predictions of increased business activity, we have to think in terms of increased traffic. He added that he was convinced that the plan as presented is a good sound one and should be put into operation. Modifications may be necessary from time to time.

Mr. Robert Creso asked what the cost for this project would be.

Mr. Kosai estimated that direction signs, labor costs and paint for "many, many" arrows would come to approximately \$20,000.00.

Mr. Easterday said he had made his own morning and afternoon traffic survey and he had not been "materially delayed." He thought the City was going a little too fast on this and added that he was against it.

Mr. Perdue said he was going to vote for this Ordinance as he thought it should be tried. Then if it doesn't function as hoped it can be changed.

Mrs. Goering said she wondered how many businessmen realized that some of their areas are avoided by sizable numbers of people because of these problems that they feel are not important. She felt that it was time to give this a try, and it needed, changes can be made. Other Cities trying the one-way plan have found that

the advantages far outweigh the disadvantages.

Vote was then taken on the Ordinance resulting as follows:

Roll call: Ayes 6; Nays 2, Easterday and Humiston; Absent 1, Porter.

Bratrud leaving at this time.

Ordinance No. 16371:

Amending Chapter 18.06 of the Official Code of the City and adding a new section 13.06.085 - reclassification of property located on the S. W. corner of Pacific Avenue and South 37th Street from an "R-3" Two-Family Dwelling District to an "R-4-L-TM" District. (Petition of James H. McMenamin) Read by title and passed. 60

Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

Ordinance No. 16372:

Amending Section 3.54.010 of the Official Code relating to pyrotechnics and small arms ammunition. Read by title and passed.

Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

Ordinance No. 16373:

L I D 5302

Approving and confirming the assessment roll for L I D 5302 for the cost of cast iron water mains in Darien Drive from North 46th Street to Frace Avenue and in Frace Avenue from North 46th Street to Darien Drive. Read by title and passed. 114

Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

Ordinance No. 16374:

L I D 1996

Providing for the improvement of L I D 1996 for sanitary sewers in Wapato Lake Drive from existing line at South 60th and Alaska Street to South 64th Street. Read by title and passed. 110 52:106

Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

Ordinance No. 16375:

L I D 2300

Providing for the improvement of L I D 2300 for grading, graveling and oil mat surface on East C Street from East 38th Street to East 40th and on Wapato Lake Drive from Alaska Street to South 64th Street, also relocate water mains at a lower elevation and furnish fire hydrants on Wapato Lake Drive from Alaska Street to South 64th Street. Read by title and passed. 110 52:51

Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

Ordinance No. 16376:

L I D 4445

Providing for the improvement of L I D 4445 for grading to the established grade and placing thereon a permanent type pavement on the alley between North 22nd 110 445

Street and North 24th Street from Warner Street to Puget Sound Ave. Read by title and passed.

Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Communication from L. W. Craig, County Assessor, requesting that they be notified which three members of the Council will represent the City on this year's Board of Equalization, which will convene in the Assessor's Office on Monday, July 7th at 1:30 P.M.

Mayor Hanson appointed Ellen Price, James Porter and Forrest Easterday to represent the City on the Board of Equalization.

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The Director of Public Works presents the Assessment Roll for the cost of the improvement in L I D 1983 for sanitary sewers in Bristol Street from Norton Place to North 46th; North 46th Street from Bristol to Darien Drive; in Darien Drive from North 46th to North Frace; North in Frace Street 188 feet, south in Frace 330 feet; Vassault Street from North 48th Street to 252 feet south.

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The Director of Public Works presents the assessment roll for the cost of the improvement in L I D 1986 for sanitary sewers in North 13th Street from Juniper to Cascade; easement between Juniper and Fir Streets from North 13th to North 17th Streets; Fir Street from North 13th to North 17th Streets; alley between Fir and Cascade from North 13th to North 17th Streets; alley between Fir and Cascade from North 13th to North 17th; Cascade Street from North 13th to North 17th Street.

It was moved by Dr. Humiston that July 14, 1959 be set as the date for hearing on the assessment rolls for L I D 1983 and L I D 1986. Seconded by Mr. Anderson. Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

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Mayor Hanson said a telegram had been received from Nobuo Hayashi, Mayor of Kokura, stating that the affiliation program had been approved by the new city assembly and that a letter was following.

The letter was then read by the Clerk; the contents being that the affiliation program was approved and welcomed by the whole of Kokura. Furthermore, the City of Kokura was going to observe its 60th anniversary in 1960 and it was planned to have a "Tacoma House" built among the exhibitions so that Tacoma could be widely introduced into the area. Anything depicting Tacoma, its landscapes and ways of its people would be welcomed to make the "Tacoma House" richer and more colorful.

Mayor Hanson said it was good news that the affiliation has been received so favorably. He said the reason he had been delayed at the beginning of the meeting was that he had a phone call from the Japan Air Lines inviting him for an all expense paid trip to Japan beginning June 28th and ending July 4th on the inaugural flight of the Japan Air Line Service between Sea-Tac Airport and Tokyo. He said he really appreciated the opportunity to see Japan and also talk with the Mayor of Kokura. Therefore he did accept the invitation.

Mayor Hanson presented a letter from the Institute of Traffic Engineers which stated that Tacoma has been voted a certificate of recognition by the Institute for its work in Traffic engineering in 1958.

A letter from the Automobile Club of Washington was also read announcing that Tacoma has been awarded a Special Citation for its pedestrian - protection activities by the American Automobile Association.

Mayor Hanson said it was an honor for the City to receive this recognition and that appreciation was expressed to all those making it possible for Tacoma to receive these awards.

Mayor Hanson said since the passage of the Teen-age Dance Ordinance it is essential that the Dance Board members be appointed. He said he would like to submit the names of the following people for appointment: Mrs. Ellen Price; Mrs. Herb Erickson of 5413 So. Bell; Mrs. Howard C. Tatman of 1524 Aurora and Ex-Sheriff, Harold O. Bird. *(Tatman & Bird resigned)*

Dr. Humiston moved that these people be appointed to the Dance Board. Seconded by Mr. Anderson. Roll call: Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

Mrs. Cook, a resident of north Kay Street, asked the Council's aid in handling what she termed an "unbearable situation" of neighbors, dogs and children annoying her. She said she had called the Police Department for assistance many times, but the situation has not improved a great deal. Therefore, she hoped that the Council would be able to assist her in some way.

Mayor Hanson said the Council was unable to solve this problem at the moment but they would certainly try to aid her in every way possible.

Mr. Rowlands said this has been looked into many many times over the past several years.

Mr. Rowlands said about a month ago the members of the Council received copies of the proposed changes in the Personnel Rules prepared by the Civil Service Board and that Council should act on them before July 6th. Inasmuch as all the Ordinances must be sent to the Book Publishing Company for the recodification, each year by July 1st, he asked that an Ordinance containing the Proposed changes be submitted for the June 22nd Council meeting in order that this Ordinance can also be included in the July 1st recodification. 140

Mr. Rowlands said he thought the City should be hearing from Senator Magnuson within the next few days in regard to the Airport situation. 161
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There being no further business to come before the meeting, upon motion duly seconded and carried, the meeting was adjourned at 6:45 P.M.

By motion of Dr. Humiston and seconded by Mr. Easterday, the following Resolution was adopted:
Resolution No. 15856:

Appointing Herbert E. Erickson and Mrs. Ellen Price to the Teen-age Dance Board for two year terms each, ending June 15, 1961.

Adopted on roll call June 15, 1959
Ayes 7; Nays 0; Absent 2, Bratrud and Porter.

President of the City Council

Attest: Francis K. ...
Acting City Clerk

ITEMS FOR FILING IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK:

- Report from the Fire Department for the month of May, 1959
- Report from the Personnel Department for the month of May, 1959
- Report from the Traffic Division of the Police Department for May, 1959
- Report from the Finance Director for May, 1959