

CITY OF BASEHOR, Kansas  
Council Meeting  
March 3, 1970

Present: Acting Mayor, Bernard Eberth, Councilmen Lester Worley,  
Robert VanTuyl, Robert Raines, and Ferris Roberts.

Others present: City Treasurer, Richard Warden(also acting as  
Clerk), John Murray, City Attorney, John Baxter,  
(representative of Bruce Browne) Engineer, Cecil Swope  
Chief of Police, Mrs. Swope, Mrs. Hicks, and  
Ambrose Jennings.

The meeting was called to order by Acting Mayor Eberth.  
Minutes of the meeting of February 3, 1970 were read and approved.

The treasurer's report was read by Warden. Raines moved, seconded  
by VanTuyl that the report be approved as read. Four votes yes,  
no votes No. Motion carried. Richard Warden read a report on the  
Contractor's Account. It was discussed.

There was discussion about Fred Sterner dropping out of  
the sewer district. No action taken.

John Murray explained about the Workmen Compensation  
Insurance. He stated probably a Health & Accident Insurance  
might be a better deal. Swope stated what he wanted was,  
some kind of Liability Insurance to protect him & the City.  
Warden agreed to call Laming-Tice Inc. Insurance and see if  
they have any kind of Liability Insurance to protect Swope,  
as Chief of Police - a \$50,000 to \$100,000 Policy. Robert  
Raines agreed to check with Insurance Companies in Kansas City  
and report back to the Council at the next meeting.

Mrs. Hicks brought up the subject of a Curfew. The ages  
of the kids involved were discussed. Swope suggested the Curfew  
be 12:00 for older kids and probably 10:00 for younger kids  
(under 16 years.) Raines suggested maybe we should have a  
Curfew for younger kids and take care of the older ones by  
other means or laws.

Ferris Roberts suggested we look into the Curfew laws  
in other communities and check on the issues that involve  
our problems.

Murray read two ordinances No. 31 & 32 he said  
maybe the Ordinances would take care of a lot of the Curfew  
problems.

VanTuyl moved and seconded by Les Worley that these two  
Ordinances be accepted as read. 4 votes yes; no votes opposed.  
Motion carried. Raines moved an emergency be declared and  
these Ordinances be adopted. Seconded by Roberts. 4 votes yes;  
no votes opposed. Motion carried.

Ferris Roberts moved that the Chief of Police be authorized to purchase two sets of hand cuffs. Seconded by Raines. 4 votes yes; no votes opposed. Motion carried.

Mr Ambrose Jennings made a complaint about the contractor going on his field instead of going on the easement. Mr. Baxter assured him this would be taken care of. Jennings said that he had not been paid for his crop damage yet and he stated he thought he should have more damages.

Robert Raines listed some bad places in the streets over town - Baxter said they would be taken care of as soon as possible, or soon as the ground was dry enough.

Baxter asked if it would be agreeable to the Council to take over the Contractor's material (1210 Feet of 4 Inch pipe and 200 Y's) at \$6,300 and credit him for that amount. It was discussed and finally decided to let Velder, the contractor, finish the project as per contract.

Murray instructed Warden to draft a check from Lateral Dist. No. 1 to Sewer Plant Construction Account in the amount of \$50,000.

Moved by Ferris Roberts and seconded by VanTuyt to pay the Number One estimate to Bryce Hunt for \$16,160.17. 4 votes yes; no votes opposed. Motion carried.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Minutes prepared by R. Warden for  
C. Newman