

OAK GROVE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 17, 2010

The Oak Grove Town Council of the Town of Oak Grove, Arkansas met for a special called meeting September 17, 2010 in the Town Hall. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Morgan and a quorum was established.

On roll call the following members were present. Alderman Gary High, Alderman Eugene Reynolds and Alderman Sam Jones. Alderwoman Janice McKelvey and Alderman Josh Peden were absent.

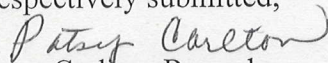
The meeting was called to discuss a water dept. problem. Terry Klein had his water disconnected in March of 1993 because of non-payment. The meter had a lock on it. Water superintendent, Rodney checked the meter and the locked had been tampered with and water was flowing though the lines. Terry was not home and Rodney told a man that was in the house to tell Terry to get in touch with the water dept. Terry met with Alderman Sam Jones, water superintendent Rodney Newman and secretary Pat Carlton. After talking with Terry he was asked if he wanted to talk to the council. He replied yes. He acknowledge it was his problem and he wanted to take care of it but said he was not aware it was being used for some months as he had not been at the residence for some time. The reading when the meter was turned off was 349640 and the reading now is 590610, a total of 250970 gals has passed through the meter since it was turned off. He said his Dad checked the house once and a line had busted and could tell that a lot of water was under and around the house. The council agreed that since it was not all his fault, if he agreed to pay the water dept. \$ 50.00 every two weeks for 24 months and if he does not default on the payments.(if he defaults on a payment , the bill will return to the original cost.) he will be in good standing with the water dept. Alderman Sam Jones made a motion to accept, seconded by Alderman Eugene Reynolds. All members voted in the affirmative.

Alderman Eugene Reynolds talked to the council that a fire hydrant is broken and the fire dept. needs it. Alderman Sam Jones made a motion to buy a new one, seconded by Gary High. All members voted in the affirmative.

In order for Rodney Newman to receive workers comp.(He works for the water dept., the town and street dept.) He needs to be classified as salaried and not contract worker. Alderman Sam Jones made motion to classify him as such, seconded by Alderman Eugene Reynolds. All members voted on the affirmative.

Alderman Eugene Reynolds made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Alderman Gary High . All voted in the affirmative.

Respectively submitted,


Patsy Carlton, Recorder
Jean Morgan, Mayor

