

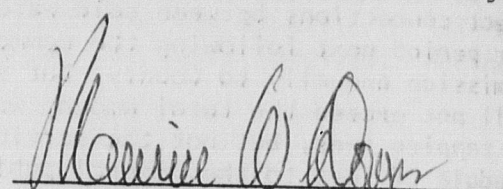
A short discussion of the Christmas lights was held.

Mr. Ray reported he had received a request for the use of a City fire truck on Friday, November 22nd in transporting Santa Claus down Hay Street. He asked the Council for a ruling. After a short discussion, Councilman Plummer moved that the request be denied for November 22nd and approved for the night of November 29th after Thanksgiving. The motion received no second. Councilman Rhodes then moved that the request be approved. Motion seconded by Councilman Packer and when put to a vote, received unanimous approval.

Councilman Plummer then moved that next year the Santa Claus parade be co-ordinated so as to be co-incident with the turning on of the Christmas lights on Friday night after Thanksgiving. Motion seconded by Councilman Holt. Following a brief discussion, Councilman Rhodes stated he thought this action should not be taken without representation from the Merchants Association present. After further debate of the issue, Councilman Plummer withdrew his motion.

Mr. Muench was requested by Councilman Packer to call and invite Mr. Joe Grimes of the Downtown Merchants Association be the next Council meeting to discuss the extension of Christmas lights down Green Street to Mason Street.

There being no further business and upon motion made and duly seconded, the meeting was adjourned at 12:00 Noon.


Maurice W. Downs
Clerk

CALLLED MEETING
CITY COUNCIL - CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
Thursday
November 21, 1963
11:00 A.M.

Present:

Mayor Wilbur Clark

Councilmen: Eugene Plummer
Charles Holt
Luther Packer
Ted Rhodes

G. W. Ray, City Manager
J. O. Tally, Jr., City Attorney
L. F. Worrell, Chief of Police
Members of the Civil Service Commission:
Mr. Cliff Rankin, Chairman
Mr. Arthur T. Moore
Mr. John A. Kelly

Mayor Clark called the meeting to order and stated the purpose of the meeting was to further consider several sergeant promotions within the Police Department. The following three letters regarding the promotions were presented to the Council:

November 18, 1963

Chief L. F. Worrell
Fayetteville Police Department
Fayetteville, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the City Charter, Police Regulations and your request we submit the top six names of members of the Fayetteville Police Department whom we have found to be eligible for promotion to the grade of Sergeant.

1. J. F. DeVane
2. J. W. Davis
3. O. C. Mitchell
4. J. E. Wade
5. J. M. Butler
6. T. C. McLaurin

Section 29 of the Regulations Manual of the Fayetteville Police Department adopted August 10, 1959 provides as follows: "Paragraph A. CONSIDERATION FOR PROMOTION: In considering the promotion of any civil service employee of the City of Fayetteville, preference is to be afforded such employees who are and have been bona fide residents of said City."

The names above submitted are arranged according to the grades made in examinations which began October 17, 1963, and which we conducted after due notice.

We previously gave you a list, as you requested, showing only the three top names of men whom we found to be eligible, but since you have advised us that this is not satisfactory we are now giving you the top six names as per your most recent request.

If we can be of any further service please advise.

Very truly yours,

Civil Service Commission
BY: /s/ Clif E. Rankin
Chairman

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cc: Hon. A. Wilbur Clark, Mayor
Mr. Gilbert W. Ray, City Manager

November 19, 1963

TO: G. W. Ray, City Manager
FROM: L. F. Worrell, Chief of Police
REFERENCE: Promotion of Sergeants

In accordance with six names furnished me on November 18, 1963 from Clif Rankin, Chairman of the Civil Service Commission, I hereby recommend the following promotions, in the Fayetteville Police Department, from the rank of Patrolman to the rank of Sergeant, subject to approval of the City Manager, Mayor and City Council.