

A regular meeting of the Crosslake City Council was called to order by Mayor Fogelberg at 7:30 P.M. on August 22, 1977 in the City Hall. Present were Councilmen Olson, Arends, Andolshek, Benson and Clerk Whisler. There were also eleven members of the community in attendance.

On a motion by Olson and a second by Andolshek, all members voting "AYE", the minutes of the August 8th meeting were approved as written.

The Clerk read a letter from Richard A. Lind, Misdemeanor Prosecutor in the County Attorney's office. Mr. Lind suggested the City conform to recent changes in Minnesota Statutes by amending City ordinances to provide for a maximum fine of \$500.00 or imprisonment for ninety days, or both, when violations occur. Andolshek moved the amendment be adopted. Olson seconded the motion. All voted "AYE". The Clerk was instructed to draw up the amendment.

The Clerk then suggested serious thought be given to the City budget so the deadline of October 10th could be met for submitting the tax levy to the County Auditor for certification. Mayor Fogelberg suggested a special meeting for budget discussion on Friday, September 2nd, at 10:00 A.M. in the City Hall. The Clerk was instructed to publish notice of the meeting.

There was nothing to report from the Cemetery and Public Buildings Commissions.

Reporting for the Telephone Commission, Andolshek stated they are still waiting for REA approval of the final plans for the proposed Telephone Company building. She also requested there be a special City Council meeting on September 14th at 11:00 A.M. for the purpose of opening bids on Central Office equipment.

Councilman Arends, reporting for the Roads Commission, said a group of people living along McClintock Road had asked that a sharp curve in their road be eliminated and that they would be willing to bear the expense of the construction. Olson moved the offer be accepted, but after some discussion it was decided to wait until more information could be obtained.

Mr. Arends then spoke of the need for doing some resurfacing work on Urban Point, Big Pine Trail and Daggett Bay Road. He said he had received a tentative offer from Mirau Construction Company to do the work for approximately \$9,700.00 per mile. It was decided Councilman Arends would get together with Clerk Whisler to draw up specifications for this work and that the bids for the work should be submitted in time to be opened at the next regular meeting, which would be September 12th.

Arends also recommended the City buy a tractor with a loader and some type of attachment for cutting roadside weeds. He was given permission to solicit bids for such equipment and have a report ready for the next meeting as to the approximate price.

Arends reported a situation on the Lucky Strike Road where a property owner had placed a property line stake on the existing road. There are also some power poles put in by Crow Wing Co-op Power and Light on what is supposed to be the road. To correct the situation the poles would have to be moved. Mr. Arends had been told the City might have to bear the expense of having them moved. It was suggested the Clerk contact the League of Minnesota Cities to see what the City's responsibility is in this matter.

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For the Police Commission, Chief Backdahl reported the ordinance which provides for the disposal of property coming into the possession of the City of Crosslake and remaining unclaimed had now been in effect for over three months. It is now permissible to offer such items for sale. The Clerk was instructed to check with the League of Minnesota Cities to be sure that proper guidelines were followed in disposing of this property.

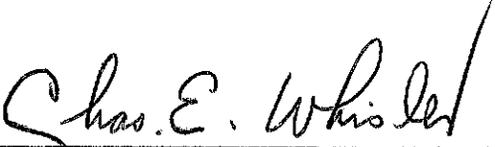
Councilman Benson announced there would be a meeting of the ambulance crew on Thursday, August 25, 1977 at 7:30 P.M. He suggested perhaps eight months' ambulance service during the course of the year should be considered as a possibility inasmuch as 75% of the calls occur during three months of the year. This eight months of service would take care of the bulk of the calls. He again stressed the fact the major problem was providing sufficient personnel to man the ambulance.

In the absence of Elmer Pearson of the Parks Commission, Mayor Fogelberg announced there was still \$8,500.00 in the fund.

Under the heading of new business, Andolshek reported a condition existing along West Shore Drive where it had been reported a property owner was using his land for camping. She wondered if it might not be the responsibility of the Planning and Zoning Commission to look into the matter. It was suggested that unless the property owner was committing a nuisance or violating the law in some way, he could use his property as he saw fit.

For the Planning Commission, Councilman Benson reported he and Zoning Coordinator Mezzenga had attended a meeting in Bemidji the previous Wednesday relative to the building code which must be adopted by July 1, 1978. He stated there are three types of inspections. One was for residential up to two stories and light commercial. Another was an intermediate commercial type of inspection. The third was quite involved, and it would appear at this time the State did not have sufficient personnel to police such an effort.

Olson moved the meeting be adjourned. Benson seconded the motion. All voted "AYE". Meeting was adjourned at 8:15 P.M.



Chas. E. Whisler, City Clerk

City of Crosslake

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CROSSLAKE, MINNESOTA 56442

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP
RURAL TELEPHONE SYSTEM



ORDINANCE NO. 20A

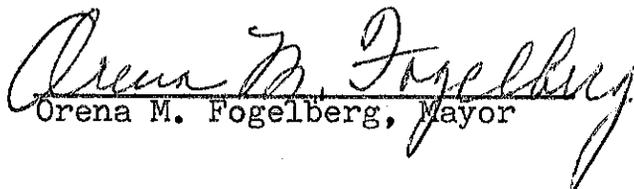
AN ORDINANCE INCREASING PENALTY FOR MISDEMEANOR VIOLATIONS.

The City Council of Crosslake does ordain:

Section 1. Pursuant to Laws of the State of Minnesota 1977, Chapter 355, all ordinances of the City of Crosslake which prescribed a maximum fine of \$300.00 or imprisonment for 90 days or both for an ordinance violation shall now be deemed to prescribe a maximum fine of \$500.00 or imprisonment for 90 days or both.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon publication.

Passed by the City Council this 22nd day of August, 1977.


Orena M. Fogelberg, Mayor

Attest:


Chas. E. Whisler, City Clerk