

COMMON COUNCIL

January 3, 1995

Mayor Biviano presided at the organizational meeting of the Common Council held at 7 pm on January 3, 1995, at the Higley Building.

Present:

Mayor Joseph Biviano
Ald. George Carnrike
Ald. Patrick McNeil
Ald. Barbara Schermerhorn
Ald. Sam Symonds
Ald. Charles Angelino

Also:

Police Chief Robert Mason
Deputy C.D. Director Casey Jones
Codes Enforcement Officer Loscavio
Deputy Clerk Harriett Leigh
Historian Patricia Scott
Gary Clark
Aaron Dean

Absent

Ald. Robert Rabinowitz

-- Ald. McNeil moved to adopt the 1994 Rules of Procedure for 1995. Seconded by Ald. Schermerhorn and duly adopted, ayes all.

Mayor Biviano made the following Committee appointments:

- Finance: Aldermen Symonds, Angelino and Rabinowitz
Tom Anderson - Ex Officio
- Personnel: Aldermen McNeil, Carnrike and Symonds
Rita Czyzycki - Ex Officio
- Public Works: Aldermen Angelino, Rabinowitz and Schermerhorn
- Public Safety: Aldermen Carnrike, McNeil and Schermerhorn
Lane Anderson - Ex Officio
- Outside Resources: Alderman Rabinowitz

The Mayor and all Ex Officio members shall be consulting members of all committees, being notified of all committee sessions and being able to participate in discussion.

All committee members, including Ex Officio members, shall serve at the pleasure of the Mayor.

Meetings of the committees may be called by the chairman, the Mayor or any two members of the committee.

Chairmanships of each committee shall flow from the order of appointment.

-- Ald. Carnrike nominated Ald. Angelino for President of the Common Council for 1995. Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, 4-1 (Ald. Symonds).

-- Ald. Angelino nominated Ald. McNeil for Acting Mayor for 1995. Seconded by Ald. Schermerhorn and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Angelino moved the appointment of Aaron A. Dean, 24 Hayes Street, as City Attorney, a two-year term expiring December 31, 1996. Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all on a roll call vote, 5-0.

-- Ald. McNeil moved the appointment of Gary Clark, 38 Hayes Street, as Chief Deputy City Chamberlain at a salary of \$30 per hour at 20 hours per week. Seconded by Ald. Angelino and duly adopted, ayes all on a roll call vote, 5-0.

-- Ald. Carnrike moved the appointment of Timothy Ashcraft to a one-year term as Fire Chief, expiring December 31, 1995. Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all on a roll call vote, 5-0.

-- Ald. McNeil moved the appointment of Graydon Titus to a one-year term as First Assistant Fire Chief, expiring December 31, 1995. Seconded by Ald. Schermerhorn and duly adopted, ayes all on a roll call vote, 5-0.

-- Ald. Carnrike moved the appointment of Stanley Brightman to a one-year term as Second Assistant Fire Chief, expiring December 31, 1995. Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all on a roll call vote, 5-0.

Appointments by the Council

-- Ald. Angelino moved the following appointments to the Traffic Commission to one-year terms expiring December 31, 1995: re-appointment of Bernard Merritt, 10 Hayward Avenue; re-appointment of Thomas Knapp, 14 Locust Street; re-appointment of Thomas Coffey, 65 Cortland Street; re-appointment of Robyn King, 115 North Broad Street; re-appointment of Philip Giltner, 19 Hayes Street; appointment of Roland Guinn, 135 East Main Street; appointment of George Cleveland, 30 Gold Street. Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all.

Appointments by the Mayor with Approval of the Council

-- Ald. Angelino moved the following appointment to the Board of Ethics:

-- Father Joseph Zareski, 8 Silver Street, re-appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Carnrike moved the following appointments to the Parks Commission:

-- Muriel True, 168 North Broad Street, re-appointment to a two-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

-- Linda Getchonis, 18 Summit Street, re-appointment to a two-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

-- Gilbert Harrington, 45 Cortland Street, re-appointment to a two-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

-- Charles Angelino, 14 York Street, re-appointment to a two-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

Seconded by Ald. Schermerhorn and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Angelino moved the following appointment to the Street Tree Committee:

-- Alexander Neill, 17 Ridgeland Road, re-appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

Seconded by Ald. Schermerhorn and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Angelino moved the following appointments to the Water Board:

-- George Carnrike, 28 Jones Avenue, re-appointment to a five-year term expiring December 31, 1999.

-- Robert Rabinowitz, 22 Hillview Drive, re-appointment to a five-year term expiring December 31, 1999.

Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all.

Appointments by the Mayor

Mayor Biviano requested that the following mayoral appointments be approved by the Common Council.

-- Ald. Carnrike moved to following mayoral appointments to the Electrical Board:

-- Raymond S. Hart, RR 2, Norwich, appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

-- Raymond F. Doing, RD #1, Norwich, appointment to the remainder of a three-year term expiring December 31, 1995.

Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Angelino moved the following mayoral appointments to the Planning Commission:

-- Bartolo Natoli, 40 Sunset Drive, appointment to a three-year term, expiring December 31, 1997.

-- Jean J. Intres, 61 South Broad Street, re-appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

-- Robert Jeffrey, 17 York Street, re-appointment to a three-year term, expiring December 31, 1997.

Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. McNeil moved the following mayoral appointment to the Plumbing Board:

-- Kenneth W. Titus, Jr., 44 Silver Street, re-appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

Seconded by Ald. Carnrike and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Angelino moved the following mayoral appointments to the Youth Board:

-- Melissa Belush, 16 Terrace Street, re-appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

-- Charleen Sastri, 77 Pleasant Street, re-appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

-- Kathleen Darrah, 83 Silver Street, appointment to a three-year term expiring December 31, 1997.

-- Dianne Dalrymple, 19 Division Street, appointment to the remainder of a three-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

-- Gregory R. Grosvenor, 83 Canasawacta Street, appointment to the remainder of a three-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

-- Stan Ryberg, 10 Burr Avenue, appointment to the remainder of a three-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

-- M. Jack Horvath, 126 North Broad Street, appointment to the remainder of three-year term expiring December 31, 1996.

Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Angelino moved the following mayoral appointments to the Zoning Board of Appeals:

-- Richard Lee, 5 Willard Court, re-appointment to a three-year term, expiring December 31, 1997.

-- Anthony Caezza, 13 Brown Street, re-appointment to a three-year term, expiring December 31, 1997.

Seconded by Ald. McNeil and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Carnrike noted the Board and Commission appointments are all volunteer and are greatly appreciated.

-- Ald. McNeil moved to designate the following through December 31, 1995:

Official Newspaper - Norwich Evening Sun
Official Depository for city general funds - Chase Manhattan Bank
and National Bank and Trust Company of Norwich
Official Depository for water and sewer funds - National Bank and Trust
Company of Norwich

Seconded by Ald. Angelino and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Mayor Biviano swore in City Attorney Aaron Dean and Chief Deputy
City Chamberlain Gary Clark.

-- Ald. Angelino moved to go into executive session at 7:15 pm to the
personnel history of a particular individual. Seconded by Ald. McNeil and
duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. McNeil moved to go out of executive session at 7:50 pm. Seconded
by Ald. Angelino and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Symonds moved to receive and accept a letter of resignation from
City Clerk Jody Zakrevsky, effective in 30 days. Seconded by Ald. Carnrike
and duly adopted, ayes all.

-- Ald. Angelino moved to adjourn at 7:55 pm. Seconded by Ald. McNeil and
duly adopted, ayes all.