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Adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

Torrance, California
April 19, 1966

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING
OF THE TORRANCE CITY COUNCIL

OPENING CEREMONIES AND PRESENTATIONS:

1. CALL TO ORDER:

A regularly adjourned meeting of the Torrance City Council was held at 5:30 p.m., on April 19, 1966, in the Council Chambers of City Hall.

2. ROLL CALL:

Those responding to roll call by City Clerk Coil were: Councilmen Beasley, Miller, Olson, Sciarrotta, and Mayor Isen. Councilman Lyman joined the meeting a few minutes later. City Attorney Remelmeyer and City Manager Ferraro were also in attendance.

3. FLAG SALUTE:

At the request of Mayor Isen, Mr. Jerry Alter led the salute to the flag.

4. INVOCATION:

Minister of the Month, Reverend Daniel B. Weaver of Del Amo Southern Baptist Church opened the meeting with an invocation.

STANDARD MOTIONS:

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

On motion of Councilman Sciarrotta, seconded by Councilman Vico, the minutes of the regular meeting held April 5, 1966, were approved as written, there being no objection.

6. APPROVAL OF DEMANDS:

Councilman Beasley moved all bills regularly audited be paid and his motion, seconded by Councilman Sciarrotta, carried as follows:

AYES: COUNCILMEN: Beasley, Miller, Olson, Sciarrotta,
Vico, and Mayor Isen.

NOES: COUNCILMEN: None.

ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: Lyman (had not yet arrived).

7. MOTION TO WAIVE FURTHER READING:

Councilman Sciarrotta moved that after the Clerk has given a number and read title to any resolution or ordinance on tonight's agenda, the further reading thereof be waived, reserving and guaranteeing to each councilman the right to demand the reading of any such resolution or ordinance in regular order. The motion, seconded by Councilman Vico, carried by unanimous roll call vote (Councilman Lyman absent).

GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION:

8. GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION RESULTS - APRIL 12, 1966.

Following the written outline of procedure furnished with the agenda, Mayor Isen conducted the Official Canvass of Returns, as follows:

Mayor Isen stated to the audience that this is the time and place to make official the results of the General Municipal Election held on April 12, 1966. The law provides that the City Council may order the canvass of the election returns to be made by the City Clerk prior to the first Tuesday after the election. The Council did so authorize the canvass to be made by the City Clerk when they adopted Resolution No. 66-63 on March 22nd.

Mayor Isen asked City Clerk Coil if he had conducted the canvass of the returns of the General Municipal Election held April 12, 1966, as directed by the Council in Resolution No. 66-63 and City Clerk Coil answered affirmatively. His answer was "Yes, Your Honor" to the question: "Have you canvassed all valid absentee ballots and included the results in the semi-official returns?"

City Clerk Coil was asked by Mayor Isen: "Have you compared the tally sheets with the result of votes cast for each precinct?" and the answer was "Yes, Your Honor". To the question "Are the results of the voting in each precinct and in the City as a whole accurately enumerated in the proposed resolution declaring the results of the election?", City Clerk Coil answered "Yes, Your Honor."

Mayor Isen announced that the City Clerk has canvassed the returns as enumerated in the City Clerk's Certificate of Canvass embodied in Exhibit "A" of the proposed resolution declaring the results of the election and asked, "Are there any challenges or protests to be lodged respecting the results of votes cast in any precinct or the City as a whole?"

Mr. Robert B. Jahn of 20812 Avis Avenue came forward and read in full a statement and protest consisting of ten listed items, and delivered his original communication dated April 19, 1966, to the City Clerk for filing. He asked an investigation and a report by the Council before certifying this election.

Mayor Isen asked City Attorney Remelmeyer for guidance as to the handling of Mr. Jahn's protests and Mr. Remelmeyer said he is familiar with the law as set forth in the Election Code which governs the election. In his opinion, the Council does not have any authority based on Mr. Jahn's statements, to set the election aside or to refuse to ratify the canvass as submitted by the City Clerk. However, he said the Council could concurrently with ratification authorize the City Manager, the City Clerk and the City Attorney to investigate the statements made by Mr. Jahn who has a remedy in that the law provides the Clerk shall transmit the statement to the Superior Court which shall hold a hearing on the matter under certain procedures set forth in the Election Code. In summary, he advised the Council to proceed with ratification and seat its officers.

In response to a question by Mr. Jahn, the City Clerk acknowledged receipt of the protest as being filed and the City Attorney informed him that the procedures as outlined in the Election Code will be followed, as a matter of law.

Mayor Isen moved that insofar as the City Council has jurisdiction, with reference to the ten listed protests filed, that each individually and all collectively be denied. Councilman Lyman seconded.

Roll call vote was unanimously favorable.

The challenge presented by these protests having been disposed of, Mayor Isen declared the official canvass of the returns of the April 12, 1966 General Municipal Election completed and asked the City Clerk to read the title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-74

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE DECLARING RESULTS OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF TORRANCE ON APRIL 12, 1966 FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A MAYOR, CITY CLERK, CITY TREASURER AND THREE COUNCILMEN FOR THE FULL TERM OF FOUR YEARS; AND DETERMINING WHETHER THREE PROPOSED CHARTER AMENDMENTS SHOULD BE ADOPTED.

Councilman Miller moved to specifically waive further reading of Resolution No. 66-74 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Vico, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-74 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Vico, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

Mayor Isen directed the Minute Secretary, Mrs. Shaffer, to be sure that the Clerk's Certificate of Canvass is entered in the minutes of this meeting right after the passage of resolution numbered 66-74 and that the full text of Exhibit "A" showing the results of the election, precinct by precinct, is entered in full in the official minutes of the proceedings of this Council meeting, and Mrs. Shaffer acknowledged the direction.

The requested certificate and full text of Exhibit A are set forth on the pages immediately following.

CITY CLERK'S CERTIFICATE OF CANVASS

I, VERNON W. COIL, City Clerk of the City of Torrance, County of Los Angeles, State of California, duly authorized by Resolution No. 66-74, adopted by the City Council of said City on the 19th day of April, 1966, do hereby certify that I have canvassed the returns of the regular general municipal election held in said city on the 12th day of April, 1966, and find that the number of votes given at each precinct and the number of votes given in the City to persons voted for, the respective offices for which said persons were candidates and for and against the measure are set forth on the attached pages identified as Exhibit "A", which exhibit shall be entered in full on the minutes of the proceedings of the said City Council held on said date.

DATED: April 19, 1966.

Vernon W. Coil
City Clerk of the City of Torrance

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>MAYOR</u> <u>Isen</u>	<u>Drale</u>
1	75	64
2	72	85
3	106	108
4	67	124
5	97	141
6	97	92
7	60	82
8	86	83
9	79	109
10	108	154
11	100	74
12	82	106
13	88	105
14	108	139
15	75	99
16	99	153
17	64	100
18	42	74
19	115	120
20	151	107
21	100	159
22	65	80
23	65	79
24	97	99
25	136	115
26	100	69
27	113	113
28	78	69
29	69	77
30	105	102
31	20	21
32	57	52

EXHIBIT "A"

MAYOR

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Isen</u>	<u>Drale</u>
33	176	114
34	123	90
35	74	66
36	76	115
37	148	191
38	145	153
39	187	179
40	114	100
41	127	122
42	158	189
43	141	108
44	96	88
45	92	79
46	159	115
47	85	79
48	93	41
49	125	97
50	123	93
51	185	125
52	70	116
53	128	139
54	101	160
55	47	77
56	114	138
57	76	57
58	106	122
59	133	118
60	78	79
61	107	82
62	172	146
63	273	184
64	151	84

	<u>MAYOR</u>	
<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Isen</u>	<u>Drale</u>
65	110	75
66	160	118
67	82	60
68	156	99
69	102	88
70	90	87
71	151	101
72	126	79
73	150	71
74	104	43
75	110	90
76	105	50
77	87	69
78	112	98
79	122	77
80	82	65
81	76	39
82	140	77
83	112	58
84	103	69
85	89	93
86	101	78
87	80	63
88	128	91
89	111	72
90	80	89
91	103	55
92	56	36
93	108	85
94	57	43
95	50	47
96	49	67

MAYOR

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Isen</u>	<u>Drale</u>	<u>Write Ins</u>
97	111	63	
98	<u>43</u>	<u>47</u>	
Subtotal	10,205	9,242	99
Absentee	<u>42</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>0</u>
Total	<u>10,247</u>	<u>9,259</u>	<u>99</u>

Total Votes Cast for All Candidates for Mayor: 19,605

MAYOR WRITE INS

PRECINCT	Ross	Salling	Schubert	Sohner	Talbert	Teberio	Vico	Watts	Wells	Wilson	Wright	TOTALS
1												139
2										1		158
3												214
4												192
5									1			241
6												191
7												142
8												169
9												191
10												262
11										1		175
12												189
13												194
14												249
15												174
16												252
17												165
18												116
19												236
20												258
21												259
22												146
23												146
24												196
25					4							256
26					1							170
27												230
28												147
29												155
30												207
31												41
32												109
33												290
34												214
35												142
36												191
37												339

MAYOR WRITE INS

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PRECINCT	Ross	Salling	Schubert	Sohner	Talbert	Teberio	Vico	Watts	Wells	Wilson	Wright	TOTALS
38												299
39												366
40												218
41												250
42												347
43												249
44												185
45												171
46												276
47												164
48						2						136
49												222
50												219
51												310
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57												133
58												228
59												251
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62		1	5									324
63												457
64												235
65												185
66												278
67												144
68	1											257
69												193
70												178
71												252
72												206
73												222
74								1				149
75												201
76								1				157

MAYOR WRITE INS

PRECINCT	Ross	Salling	Schubert	Sohner	Talbert	Teberio	Vico	Watts	Wells	Wilson	Wright	TOTALS
77												157
78												210
79							1					200
80			1									149
81												115
82												217
83												171
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89												184
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91												160
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95												97
96					1							120
97												174
98												90

MAYOR WRITE INS

PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	
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Abshear	
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Batman	
Beauchamp	
Beckett	2
Beckman	
Benstead	3
Bisou	1
Boyd, Jr.	
Bradford	
Brown	
Byrd	
Cagle	2
Cook	
Crosby	
Cushman	
Davis	1
Dridmore	
Else	
Ferrier	
Ford	
Hickman	
Johnson	
Jurmain	1
King	
Kurtz	
Lynn	
Martin	
Miller	1
Mock	
Morris	
Nauman	1
Olson	1
Peterson	
Post	1
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76	Abshear
77	Barclay
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88	Cagle
89	Cook
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91	Cushman
92	Davis
93	Dridmore
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95	Ferrier
96	Ford
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98	Johnson
	Jurmain
	King
	Kurtz
	Lynn
	Martin
	Miller
	Mock
	Morris
	Nauman
	Olson
	Peterson

C O U N C I L M E N

PRECINCT	BEASLEY	MILLER	SCIARROTTA	ABSHEAR	BANDELL	BELCHER	BISOU	BRIGANTI	CAGEL	FORSYTHE	JOHNSON	MORRIS	PETERSON	SALISBURY	TALBERT	WRIGHT	BANTAU	GRALNIK	BARTON	TOTAL NO. VOTERS
1	68	86	81	6	2	10	10	8	24	71	19	4	21	41	22	5				143
2	41	81	72	9	12	17	8	14	24	27	29	2	39	53	28	1				162
3	52	83	108	7	15	26	18	13	32	22	61	4	51	74	26	11				221
4	83	102	85	12	16	17	14	14	27	29	38	7	34	31	29	7				195
5	63	121	120	14	20	26	12	8	41	33	47	10	47	70	49	4				251
6	64	117	83	12	12	19	16	9	25	14	51	10	30	37	49	3				198
7	45	72	68	9	17	4	2	14	68	19	19	5	29	33	27	3	1			151
8	52	90	72	8	15	16	19	10	48	22	23	4	37	27	32	3				172
9	61	106	91	13	15	20	9	4	32	33	48	7	33	39	44	3				198
10	65	127	96	17	19	41	36	16	47	49	72	5	41	55	66	5				264
11	48	118	113	7	8	6	12	15	21	22	20	8	26	33	73	2				185
12	87	103	82	8	12	19	17	7	27	30	39	10	33	28	36	5				194
13	81	120	96	6	17	18	9	10	27	29	18	8	22	36	35	0				202
14	94	123	142	16	20	25	20	12	37	34	42	19	49	48	50	16				263
15	61	72	74	16	8	38	10	7	42	23	24	3	33	35	36	5				179
16	90	128	107	9	16	33	16	11	41	41	37	5	68	61	47	5				255
17	52	72	69	11	15	10	12	17	30	46	36	9	34	35	38	8				174
18	27	54	39	14	11	19	8	3	36	16	18	9	29	21	20	5				116
19	95	158	100	10	28	27	17	7	20	50	56	5	42	38	47	7				242
20	79	148	113	8	25	16	25	12	61	26	53	11	46	56	51	2				259
21	80	115	104	20	19	24	16	19	39	53	60	14	48	63	48	11				269
22	63	87	78	7	8	8	10	10	30	29	11	4	41	34	14	5				159
23	54	70	76	6	7	5	8	10	37	15	30	4	34	34	26	3				146
24	73	106	78	16	25	16	19	12	31	26	24	8	39	47	29	10				202
25	119	147	126	29	26	13	39	9	36	22	46	12	40	44	39	6				271
26	68	77	66	22	20	9	17	7	24	15	24	17	45	36	26	7				176
27	83	108	100	30	18	17	50	10	28	27	33	16	48	45	43	11				236
28	37	64	64	27	16	9	35	5	19	17	30	4	34	42	23	7				153
29	40	71	68	38	29	11	21	3	18	13	21	25	22	29	25	16				158
30	69	108	106	14	10	8	8	8	32	31	43	13	39	43	58	10				211
31	8	25	23	7	2	2	1	5	1	6	5	3	6	15	7	2				45
32	36	63	51	9	6	9	6	1	12	19	32	9	30	29	22	2				114
33	101	188	149	27	10	16	18	14	36	41	59	16	75	62	71	6				304
34	77	111	106	19	13	14	7	12	27	19	41	20	51	40	71	7				218

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COUNCILMEN

PRECINCT	BEASLEY	MILLER	SCIARROTTA	ABSHEAR	BANDELL	BELCHER	BISOU	BRIGANTI	CAGEL	FORSYTHE	JOHNSON	MORRIS	PETERSON	SALISBURY	TALBERT	WRIGHT	BANTAU	GRALNIK	BARTON	TOTAL NO. VOTERS
35	26	81	67	3	4	6	9	17	43	26	34	5	30	27	40	2				146
36	48	123	80	17	20	6	6	30	14	8	64	10	42	31	36	4				194
37	98	207	136	14	21	20	31	58	48	41	114	5	58	39	84	4				348
38	99	202	131	17	17	13	23	35	75	40	84	7	48	46	55	8				311
39	108	249	164	11	14	18	25	25	109	31	102	3	65	58	88	7				377
40	55	130	61	11	11	12	11	34	40	16	94	5	65	21	61	6				225
41	54	163	99	5	16	10	9	40	59	21	111	8	44	38	50	4				256
42	83	249	150	13	17	11	16	43	46	21	118	9	60	32	93	9				355
43	92	149	125	12	9	4	7	21	68	31	52	7	44	47	77	7				264
44	68	108	97	20	14	13	9	15	30	19	30	10	32	31	32	8				193
45	58	92	80	28	19	7	8	10	21	14	43	10	33	36	28	8				174
46	87	139	136	13	32	13	17	18	32	40	68	6	85	59	54	5		2		280
47	60	83	76	13	13	16	11	7	32	13	27	8	41	39	22	7				166
48	28	59	59	14	18	6	2	5	13	18	46	6	74	23	27	3				139
49	88	126	97	20	18	8	15	5	49	23	48	13	55	45	46	5				225
50	59	127	86	25	23	13	13	10	15	35	52	16	53	49	54	16				225
51	57	148	121	10	8	17	10	20	23	21	207	15	55	99	84	10				317
52	38	118	65	16	11	15	4	51	31	22	64	8	35	21	42	9				194
53	72	186	120	17	22	14	15	35	25	13	80	12	33	27	83	5				276
54	83	156	106	8	21	21	17	38	35	33	55	13	45	17	81	6				268
55	44	73	53	11	21	8	17	13	15	15	18	10	24	24	22	1				133
56	63	150	98	19	24	10	18	19	27	49	67	11	64	35	62	7				258
57	34	94	54	12	11	5	10	13	15	9	42	6	44	15	32	4				144
58	90	127	113	19	22	17	20	10	25	20	52	13	35	30	48	12				238
59	78	156	117	20	21	17	21	12	28	28	64	13	62	62	64	11				265
60	49	86	81	5	13	12	14	11	22	20	43	9	35	27	25	7				159
61	57	146	94	10	12	3	17	13	19	21	50	10	22	40	56	5				199
62	97	198	158	31	14	7	12	20	45	48	66	16	83	59	92	11				335
63	244	248	189	15	25	30	25	21	49	39	151	9	106	67	104	14				474
64	78	131	118	13	16	12	22	13	32	23	53	6	56	58	49	7				240
65	65	109	112	17	14	6	6	7	23	15	58	8	44	43	32	6				193
66	80	157	124	23	19	14	13	10	41	35	75	16	83	56	58	20				288
67	49	72	67	12	12	7	13	6	50	16	24	3	28	30	23	2				146
68	88	141	112	15	17	8	11	10	25	17	58	15	103	46	41	17				263
69	56	108	81	17	9	10	7	15	28	16	56	3	62	37	40	8				199
70	61	81	72	7	13	8	11	2	31	31	51	11	51	26	41	6				182

C O U N C I L M E N

PRECINCT	BEASLEY	MILLER	SCIARROTTA	ABSHEAR	BANDELL	BELCHER	BISOU	BRINGANTI	CAGEL	FORSYTHE	JOHNSON	MORRIS	PETERSON	SALISBURY	TALBERT	WRIGHT	BANTAU	GRALNIK	BARTON	TOTAL NO. VOTES
71	84	125	129	13	13	12	9	7	32	33	96	3	80	38	55	1				260
72	59	102	88	18	19	9	9	5	30	18	88	8	70	31	56	6				214
73	85	130	96	7	11	8	1	12	25	57	67	5	32	45	56	10				230
74	44	94	73	13	8	3	12	4	19	33	33	2	45	27	25	6				156
75	49	113	105	10	9	8	6	8	25	15	66	5	64	50	54	4				212
76	46	97	79	3	3	10	2	5	13	20	59	3	34	32	49	2				160
77	51	80	75	7	8	14	7	6	20	26	36	3	23	25	53	6				163
78	46	114	113	12	12	15	6	6	29	27	58	8	52	37	66	7				210
79	60	135	103	7	9	12	6	2	19	20	62	7	30	37	77	6				206
80	43	94	78	14	10	25	4	7	15	18	29	3	17	30	43	7				154
81	45	66	51	6	11	17	4	5	17	14	34	3	16	12	24	5			3	117
82	77	133	128	13	15	15	8	8	30	26	38	7	43	39	60	7				224
83	65	98	89	10	7	14	9	9	27	17	23	4	35	33	55	11				174
84	67	111	83	13	10	14	12	10	14	16	44	6	42	21	41	10				183
85	65	87	63	14	16	10	18	13	13	33	55	7	28	29	66	11				186
86	55	87	88	10	15	10	6	10	7	29	74	6	33	28	54	7				185
87	47	75	56	4	7	8	10	9	13	22	62	3	27	23	63	2				152
88	82	116	92	13	11	8	15	7	21	25	56	16	42	72	51	12				232
89	75	90	82	11	13	4	6	5	24	19	49	4	25	85	51	7				193
90	68	87	83	9	9	10	10	14	23	17	45	2	24	55	47	1				175
91	47	96	86	11	4	19	4	2	31	19	32	1	43	36	38	2				170
92	30	63	42	10	5	3	10	10	9	14	16	7	13	13	26	5				96
93	38	110	105	3	17	8	7	16	20	21	59	10	53	50	41	1				200
94	52	64	48	0	2	8	8	1	13	18	19	3	17	26	26	2				107
95	33	60	51	10	6	3	4	4	17	13	14	5	18	19	35	9				102
96	21	46	48	14	22	10	18	13	18	9	23	8	25	34	29	7				124
97	64	97	90	12	11	6	7	7	18	25	35	3	24	48	51	4				179
98	23	47	34	2	12	4	9	6	8	15	25	7	13	26	29	0				92
<u>SUB TOTAL</u>																				
6331	11010	8963	1285	1398	1272	1267	1259	2913	2476	4927	794	4163	3855	4554	632	1	2	3		20191
<u>ABSENTEE BALLOTS</u>																				
13	27	25	7	3	2	4	8	10	8	22	2	16	17	13	0					59
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>																				
6344	11037	8988	1292	1401	1274	1271	1267	2923	2484	4949	796	4179	3872	4567	632	1	2	3		20250

CITY CLERK

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Coil</u>	<u>Casey</u>	<u>Toffelmeyer</u>	<u>Total</u>
1	109	30		139
2	116	37		153
3	145	58		203
4	134	43		177
5	177	42		219
6	139	34		173
7	106	32		138
8	126	34		160
9	149	37		186
10	171	70		241
11	130	29		159
12	141	34		175
13	136	43		179
14	175	62		237
15	130	41		171
16	172	55		227
17	116	44		160
18	73	29		102
19	193	37		230
20	200	42		242
21	174	70		244
22	109	29		138
23	103	28		131
24	130	46		176
25	198	52		250
26	140	22		162
27	177	42		219
28	117	27		144
29	106	30	6	142
30	157	28		185

CITY CLERK - Continued

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Coil</u>	<u>Casey</u>	<u>Toffelmeyer</u>	<u>Total</u>
31	37	7		44
32	88	14		102
33	216	66		282
34	169	33		202
35	93	40		133
36	137	29		166
37	230	70		300
38	231	51		282
39	286	62		348
40	154	48		202
41	182	43		225
42	265	46		311
43	197	48		245
44	125	51		176
45	129	36		165
46	211	54		265
47	107	42		149
48	99	33		132
49	166	47		213
50	158	56	2	216
51	230	66		296
52	142	37		179
53	204	42		246
54	194	45		239
55	84	32		116
56	201	44		245
57	99	29		128
58	163	39		202
59	198	48		246
60	124	30		154

CITY CLERK - Continued

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Coil</u>	<u>Casey</u>	<u>Toffelmeyer</u>	<u>Total</u>
61	149	34		183
62	227	82		309
63	335	94		429
64	181	45		226
65	143	34		177
66	216	55		271
67	105	33		138
68	201	36		237
69	141	42		183
70	127	35		162
71	200	38		238
72	169	26		195
73	176	36		212
74	103	45		148
75	150	41		191
76	121	35		156
77	127	12		139
78	146	45		191
79	157	30		187
80	94	42		136
81	82	23		105
82	184	22		206
83	127	38		165
84	122	41		163
85	115	46		161
86	127	31		158
87	113	29		142
88	173	44		217
89	145	29		174
90	121	33		154

CITY CLERK - Continued

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Coil</u>	<u>Casey</u>	<u>Toffelmeyer</u>	<u>Total</u>
91	117	31	.	148
92	68	23		91
93	148	38		186
94	79	16		95
95	77	22		99
96	69	45	1	115
97	124	44		168
98	<u>68</u>	<u>19</u>	<u> </u>	<u>87</u>
Subtotal	14,495	3,909	9	18,413
Absentee Votes	<u>46</u>	<u>10</u>	<u> </u>	<u>56</u>
Total	<u>14,541</u>	<u>3,919</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>18,469</u>

CITY TREASURER

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Rupert</u>	<u>Fleetwood</u>	<u>Fawcett</u>	<u>Morehart</u>	<u>Revill</u>	<u>Sparks</u>	<u>Tully</u>	<u>Total</u>
1	107	31						138
2	104	50						154
3	141	62						203
4	133	40						173
5	152	67						219
6	120	50						170
7	94	44						138
8	125	35						160
9	121	53						174
10	158	79						237
11	125	33						158
12	135	40						175
13	139	39						178
14	174	58						232
15	113	54						167
16	157	69						226
17	112	44						156
18	64	38						102
19	174	54						228
20	178	63						241
21	153	90						243
22	96	41						137
23	93	38						131
24	109	61						170
25	194	53						247
26	126	36						162
27	165	49						214
28	112	29						141
29	103	34				6	3	146
30	146	33						179
31	36	8						44
32	76	23						99

CITY TREASURER - Continued

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Rupert</u>	<u>Fleetwood</u>	<u>Fawcett</u>	<u>Morehart</u>	<u>Revill</u>	<u>Sparks</u>	<u>Tully</u>	<u>Total</u>
33	223	56						279
34	172	27						199
35	102	26						128
36	123	40						163
37	212	83						295
38	226	52						278
39	286	59						345
40	148	54						202
41	169	52						221
42	254	49						303
43	207	32						239
44	135	39						174
45	127	37						164
46	212	51						263
47	123	24						147
48	104	25						129
49	180	30		1				211
50	157	55				2		214
51	240	53						293
52	129	46						175
53	191	62						253
54	166	63						229
55	81	34						115
56	181	52						233
57	101	24						125
58	147	46						193
59	187	57						244
60	112	42						154
61	148	33						181
62	243	60			2			305
63	361	62						423
64	175	46						221

CITY TREASURER - Continued

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Rupert</u>	<u>Fleetwood</u>	<u>Fawcett</u>	<u>Morehart</u>	<u>Revill</u>	<u>Sparks</u>	<u>Tully</u>	<u>Total</u>
65	139	37						176
66	219	46						265
67	100	38						138
68	190	45						235
69	153	31						184
70	127	32						159
71	200	36						236
72	164	31						195
73	176	34						210
74	121	25						146
75	159	28						187
76	132	19						151
77	121	12						133
78	153	31						184
79	166	18						184
80	116	20						136
81	86	18						104
82	176	30						206
83	148	14						162
84	135	27						162
85	110	44						154
86	121	33						154
87	111	30						141
88	164	47						211
89	140	35						175
90	108	45						153
91	128	22						150
92	74	13						87
93	142	43			1			186
94	78	19						97
95	86	10						96

CITY TREASURER - Continued

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>Rupert</u>	<u>Fleetwood</u>	<u>Fawcett</u>	<u>Morehart</u>	<u>Revill</u>	<u>Sparks</u>	<u>Tully</u>	<u>Total</u>
96	66	44	1			1		112
97	138	26						164
98	<u>66</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>87</u>
Subtotal	14,170	3,973	1	1	3	9	3	18,160
Absentee	<u>49</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>—</u>	<u>56</u>
Total	<u>14,219</u>	<u>3,980</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>18,216</u>

CHARTER AMENDMENTS

PRECINCT NUMBER	Council Salary AMENDMENT NO. "A"			Mayor Salary AMENDMENT NO. "B"			Exposure of Breasts AMENDMENT NO. "C"		
	YES	NO	TOTAL	YES	NO	TOTAL	YES	NO	TOTAL
1	39	101	140	39	100	139	104	38	142
2	45	111	156	56	102	158	113	46	159
3	62	152	214	67	146	213	160	58	218
4	51	135	186	53	134	187	149	40	189
5	66	176	242	68	173	241	182	64	246
6	38	154	192	42	149	191	147	48	195
7	37	107	144	40	104	144	106	41	147
8	50	132	182	50	104	154	120	33	153
9	52	143	195	61	134	195	151	44	195
10	68	193	261	72	191	263	159	103	262
11	59	123	182	65	115	180	127	56	183
12	52	135	187	54	132	186	142	48	190
13	76	125	201	74	128	202	152	60	212
14	82	180	262	89	172	261	185	78	263
15	47	128	175	47	128	175	125	52	177
16	74	169	243	72	175	247	194	59	253
17	55	113	168	60	112	172	125	46	171
18	25	87	112	25	87	112	90	24	114
19	63	175	238	67	173	240	163	77	240
20	80	173	253	79	174	253	180	75	255
21	60	200	260	66	196	262	195	70	265
22	52	101	153	55	98	153	114	41	155
23	53	90	143	55	86	141	95	45	140
24	55	137	192	58	137	195	136	60	196
25	87	179	266	95	174	269	190	80	270
26	49	124	173	56	116	172	124	46	170
27	63	170	233	60	172	232	171	62	233
28	37	107	144	42	103	145	106	42	148
29	36	119	155	40	115	155	108	48	156
30	70	136	206	71	128	199	124	83	207
31	18	26	44	19	25	44	31	14	45
32	45	67	112	42	70	112	76	37	113
33	107	189	296	113	183	296	224	73	297
34	77	138	215	79	136	215	160	55	215
35	42	102	144	39	103	142	100	44	144
36	40	136	176	40	129	169	118	54	172
37	65	266	331	64	267	331	256	81	337
38	66	239	305	79	224	303	231	74	305
39	77	293	370	84	279	363	286	79	365
40	44	175	219	42	175	217	154	65	219
41	42	204	246	45	202	247	206	44	250
42	89	247	336	100	237	337	270	69	339
43	86	170	256	96	159	255	198	56	254
44	55	135	190	64	128	192	143	47	190
45	51	122	173	56	115	171	122	48	170
46	94	182	276	104	172	276	209	70	279
47	71	90	161	76	85	161	120	41	161
48	48	90	138	42	95	137	96	43	139
49	89	132	221	89	131	220	162	61	223
50	73	149	222	70	151	221	167	56	223
51	129	183	312	141	169	310	243	69	312
52	31	161	192	31	160	191	136	54	190
53	48	214	262	56	209	265	203	63	266
54	60	195	255	60	192	252	174	79	253
55	27	98	125	29	97	126	92	38	130
56	49	198	247	60	190	250	178	72	250
57	32	106	138	36	105	141	102	40	142
58	78	138	216	87	130	217	165	59	224
59	83	174	257	83	176	259	186	73	259
60	55	104	159	61	98	159	109	49	158
61	54	142	196	55	137	192	135	58	193
62	111	218	329	115	213	328	244	85	329
63	161	292	453	182	274	456	352	115	467
64	88	149	237	92	143	235	162	73	235
65	53	137	190	58	132	190	148	45	193

EXHIBITS "A"

CHARTER AMENDMENTS

PRECINCT NUMBER	Council Salary AMENDMENT NO. "A"			Mayor Salary AMENDMENT NO. "B"			Exposure of Breasts AMENDMENT NO. "C"		
	YES	NO	TOTAL	YES	NO	TOTAL	YES	NO	TOTAL
66	92	193	285	97	186	283	207	80	287
67	45	101	146	45	99	144	102	42	144
68	87	170	257	88	163	251	188	66	254
69	76	123	199	76	122	198	151	46	197
70	65	111	176	67	111	178	124	51	175
71	91	161	252	97	154	251	194	63	257
72	86	125	211	96	114	210	150	59	209
73	87	139	226	91	136	227	162	66	228
74	55	98	153	62	91	153	121	34	155
75	81	120	201	89	112	201	144	62	206
76	55	103	158	63	96	159	118	40	158
77	63	93	156	67	86	153	120	38	158
78	58	151	209	63	148	211	147	59	206
79	69	135	204	73	131	204	147	58	205
80	65	85	150	74	80	154	105	47	152
81	56	57	113	59	55	114	81	31	112
82	116	104	220	106	113	219	154	67	221
83	81	93	174	90	84	174	133	41	174
84	73	104	177	78	99	177	120	57	177
85	45	136	181	54	126	180	124	57	181
86	58	121	179	66	102	168	139	35	174
87	42	107	149	48	102	150	109	40	149
88	64	165	229	65	166	231	161	66	227
89	57	135	192	60	130	190	136	56	192
90	43	128	171	51	121	172	129	43	172
91	73	91	164	76	85	161	109	55	164
92	29	66	95	30	64	94	66	27	93
93	80	116	196	79	114	193	137	61	198
94	28	76	104	30	74	104	83	22	105
95	24	76	100	25	74	99	84	17	101
96	32	90	122	33	89	122	79	44	123
97	81	92	173	90	83	173	130	47	177
98	20	72	92	24	67	91	70	22	92
SUB TOTAL	6098	13573	19671	6479	13126	19605	14419	5349	19768
ABSENTEE VOTES	25	34	59	29	30	59	41	17	58
TOTAL	6123	13607	19720	6508	13156	19664	14460	5366	19826

CONSOLIDATED VOTING PRECINCT NO.	COUNTY PRECINCT NUMBERS	TOTAL REGISTERED VOTERS	TOTAL NUMBER VOTERS
1	58 & 20	395	143
2	167 & 214	463	162
3	192, 137 & 90	675	221
4	138, 52 & 215	664	195
5	176, 95 & 34	656	251
6	139 & 40	487	198
7	47 & 191	464	151
8	128 & 140	498	172
9	1 & 164	466	198
10	129, 141, 96	664	264
11	154 & 216	430	185
12	161 & 153	435	194
13	190 & 41	486	202
14	97, 178, 179	764	263
15	51 & 127	437	179
16	60, 35 & 142	703	255
17	177 & 94	434	174
18	115 & 144	405	116
19	126, 93 & 57	722	242
20	125, 158 & 92	708	259
21	213, 143 & 91	694	269
22	65 & 160	468	159
23	116 & 59	426	146
24	193, 130 & 43	659	202
25	80, 135, 122	696	271
26	79 & 77	493	176
27	78, 72 & 73	676	236
28	71 & 156	427	153
29	76 & 75	422	158
30	69, 211, 201	703	211
31	200 & 181	433	45
32	180 & 171	505	114
33	168, 170, 198	679	304
34	169, 187	495	218
35	38	252	146
36	3, 17	473	194
37	18, 6 & 13	770	348
38	48 & 2	540	311
39	49, 50 & 11	661	377
40	166 & 21	440	225
41	7 & 64	455	256
42	22, 14 & 5	675	355
43	42 & 131	481	264
44	195 & 152	465	193
45	151 & 150	435	174
46	124, 85, 123	710	280
47	110 & 136	479	166
48	172 & 111	361	139
49	112, 113, 119	619	225
50	217, 155, 159	606	225
51	206, 219	551	317
52	4 & 82	406	194
53	173, 44, 149	686	276
54	9, 8 & 15	666	268
55	32 & 210	450	133
56	26 & 202	497	258
57	10	261	144
58	163 & 56	733	238
59	162, 121, 81	656	265
60	23 & 209	490	159
61	203 & 165	482	199
62	204, 174, 188	722	335
63	83, 207, 208	886	474
64	147, 218, 221	791	240
65	19 & 84	493	193
66	88, 89 & 68	735	288

CONSOLIDATED VOTING PRECINCT NO.	COUNTY PRECINCT NUMBERS	TOTAL REGISTERED VOTERS	TOTAL NUMBER VOTERS
67	120 & 62	436	146
68	27, 87, 86	665	263
69	145 & 25	437	199
70	146 & 185	438	182
71	197, 53, 186	700	260
72	31, 205, 222	736	214
73	63 & 67	450	230
74	55 & 109	399	156
75	133 & 114	488	212
76	132	274	160
77	108 & 24	452	163
78	106 & 107	490	210
79	61 & 28	473	206
80	36 & 196	438	154
81	101, 224, 103	660	117
82	45, 29, 104	643	224
83	118, 102, 184	671	174
84	175 & 37	483	183
85	16 & 182	452	186
86	12 & 183	429	185
87	46 & 33	470	152
88	99, 189, 134, 226	773	232
89	100 & 223	414	193
90	39 & 66	427	175
91	105 & 30	448	170
92	54	247	96
93	220 & 148	432	200
94	98	211	107
95	212	266	102
96	74 & 70	394	124
97	117, 199, 194	733	179
98	157 & 225	232	92
	Absentee		59
	Total	51,952	20,250

Percentage of
People Voting ----- 39%

Mayor Isen then informed the assembly that Albert Isen has been re-elected to the office of Mayor; Messrs. J. A. Beasley, Ken Miller, and Ross A. Sciarrotta, Sr., have been re-elected to the offices of City Councilmen; Messrs. Vernon W. Coil and Thomas C. Rupert have been re-elected to the offices of City Clerk and City Treasurer respectively. Further, that the people have voted not to amend Section 7 of Article VI of the City's Charter relating to an increase in the salaries of the City Councilmen. The people, have further voted not to add Article XII to Section 2 of the City's Charter, which would have increased the salary of the Mayor. The people have voted to add Section 6 to Article XIX of the City's Charter, which will prohibit the exposure of female breasts. The Charter Amendment which was passed by the people will become effective when ratified by the Legislature.

At the request of Mayor Isen, City Clerk Coil administered the oath of office to Mayor Isen, Councilmen Beasley, Miller and Sciarrotta, and to City Treasurer Rupert. Mayor Isen administered the oath of office to City Clerk Coil.

Each re-elected officer introduced members of his family from the audience and were seated. A recess declared at 6 p.m. was followed by a brief explanation of Council procedure by Mayor Isen.

City Clerk Coil was excused from the balance of the meeting and his place was taken by Deputy City Clerk Marjorie P. Moss for the balance of this meeting.

33. PROPOSED RESOLUTION SUPPORTING \$850 MILLION WATER BOND ISSUE.

Councilman Vico introduced Chief Engineer and General Manager of Metropolitan Water District, R. A. Skinner, who in turn introduced Preston Hotchkiss, General Chairman of the Citizens' Water Bond Committee, and John H. Lawton, Assistant General Counsel for Metropolitan Water District, each of whom spoke briefly in favor of the proposed bond issue.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-75

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE SUPPORTING PROPOSITION W, THE PROPOSED \$850 MILLION WATER BOND ISSUE, AND URGING EVERY CITIZEN WITHIN THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT TO VOTE YES ON THIS URGENT MEASURE.

Councilman Vico moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-75 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

32. VICTORIA KNOLLS PARK SITE. Recommendation of Park and Recreation Commission, with concurrence of City Manager, to effectuate an exchange of the borrow pit with the Chandler property. Two petitions, one in opposition and one approving, with letters of approval were attached.

A large delegation of men, women and children were present wearing PARK - YES badges. 468 names have been appended to a petition supporting the park and 301 opposing.

Mr. Ellis Myer of 2610 Ridgeland Road acted as spokesman for those who favor and have circulated a petition for the park. He outlined the history of the project and urged that the Council accept the recommendation to obtain the Chandler property by negotiation of a trade. He listed and examined the various objections raised by some of the residents.

He also stressed the affirmative factors of a park east of Delos Drive for Victoria Knolls and stated its residents live further from a park than do any other residents of the City of Torrance; they have waited longer for a park than have any other residents and the Chandler land is the only land available and suitable as determined by two separate studies of the Park and Recreation Commission. It will not remain available forever. The vote here tonight will determine, he said, whether or not Victoria Knolls will ever have a park.

Juanita Field, 26226 Delos Drive, a teacher, spoke from the standpoint of children in favor of the park, and enumerated the school population, ending with the statement that there is an estimated 1156 children with no place to play, based on public school figures.

Larry Swayne of 26111 Delos Drive spoke for the opposition, saying the opposition is not to parks, but to the particular location, and for many reasons. He suggested the water site as an alternate, to be used in conjunction with the Hillside School facilities as playground area. Mayor Isen read from the agenda material, the objections to use of the land owned by the Water Department. Mr. Swayne said it would not be necessary for the Water Department to leave; their facilities are basically below ground level.

Lt. Col. David C. Salazar of 26114 Delos Drive, U. S. Army Retired, of the Committee against the park site also spoke. He mentioned the erosion which would be included in the area of the site. It would not be practical to so grade the hill as to make a sloping park. He said the cost of this small neighborhood park would be prohibitive, and the maintenance costs tremendous.

Councilman Lyman brought out that the cost of Hickory Park, six acres in area, which would compare favorably with this projected cost. Councilmen Sciarrotta and Beasley stressed the exchange value of the barrow pit. Councilman Olson asked Recreation Director VanBellehem if it is practical to place a park on top of the Water Department facilities and was told it could be done although the tanks were not built with that in mind, and the cost would be high.

Park and Recreation Commission Chairman Bernard Dougan said all commissioners favor a park for Victoria Knolls; those who voted against did so for various reasons which are listed in the communications. What the Commission wants is negotiation toward a trade for a good park within the price range of other parks in the city.

Mayor Isen suggested a neighborhood committee to work with the Council Committee, and the Water Superintendent, the Recreation Director, etc. Mr. Leo Salisbury, 25804 Matfield Drive, maintained this has been discussed many times in committee, with no solution; the issues are defined and the decision should be made. He asked the Council to determine if it is wise or not to pursue the land swap with Mr. Chandler.

Mr. Swayne said the opposition group will accept the suggestion of working with a committee.

Elaine Hertel of 26082 Crest Road, did not think anything could be gained by further committee meetings. Councilman Miller said the time has come for a vote on this matter and he would like to have it occur tonight at this meeting. Councilman Sciarrotta agreed.

Councilman Beasley moved to concur in the recommendation of the Park and Recreation Commission and order the City Attorney and City Manager to enter into negotiations with Mr. Chandler for his land. Councilman Sciarrotta seconded. Mayor Isen called attention to Mr. Van Bellehem's recommendation on the subject and roll call vote was unanimously favorable to opening negotiations.

Councilman Olson reminded those present that within the past month there have been four other city parks dedicated; this is another on which progress is being made. All five will need capital improvements and there is no intention of delaying but time will be needed under the present pay as you go policy.

City Manager Ferraro called attention to another agenda item under which the Council is asked to authorize employment of appraisers for each of the locations. Councilman Miller moved to so authorize the City Manager and Councilman Beasley seconded. Mayor Isen suggested taking bids but neither the City Manager nor the City Attorney would recommend this method. There was no objection to Mr. Ferraro submitting to the Council a list of qualified appraisers, the actual employment to be done by the City Council.

At 7:30, there was a motion to recess in order to hold the meeting of the Redevelopment Agency, by Councilman Beasley seconded by Councilman Sciarrotta. Roll Call vote was unanimously favorable. The Council reconvened as such at 7:31.

PLANNING AND ZONING MATTERS:

9. UNDERGROUND UTILITIES IN NEW SUBDIVISIONS. Communication from the Chairman of the Planning Commission, noted by City Manager, regarding underground utilities in new subdivisions.

City Manager Ferraro asked if the Council would refer this to the Council Public Works Committee and Councilman Miller so moved. Councilman Olson seconded and there was no objection.

10. TENTATIVE TRACT MAP NO. 25395, SUBDIVIDER, CULVER INVESTMENTS, ENGINEERS, MCKITTRICK ENGINEERING. Located near southwest corner of Sepulveda Boulevard and Arlington Avenue, being the site of the Boys Market Center.

The recommendation is to approve the tract map, reverting the property to acreage and Councilman Sciarrotta moved to concur. Councilman Vico seconded and roll call vote was unanimously favorable.

11. PROPOSED ORDINANCE ON ZC 65-57, Crown Savings and Loan Association.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

ORDINANCE NO. 1679

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE AMENDING APPENDIX I OF "THE CODE OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, 1954", TO RECLASSIFY THAT CERTAIN PROPERTY WHICH IS LOCATED ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF NEWTON STREET EASTERLY OF NANCY LEE LANE, AND DESCRIBED IN ZC 65-57. (CROWN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION).

Councilman Miller moved to approve Ordinance No. 1679 at its first reading. His motion was seconded by Councilman Vico and carried by unanimous roll call vote.

12. PROPOSED ORDINANCE ON ZC 65-59, Torrance Planning Commission.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

ORDINANCE NO. 1680

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE AMENDING APPENDIX I OF "THE CODE OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, 1954", TO RECLASSIFY THAT CERTAIN PROPERTY WHICH IS LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ARTESIA BOULEVARD BETWEEN PRAIRIE AVENUE AND THE SAN DIEGO FREEWAY, AND DESCRIBED IN ZC 65-59. (TORRANCE PLANNING COMMISSION)

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to approve Ordinance No. 1680 at its first reading. His motion was seconded by Councilman Vico and carried by unanimous roll call vote.

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Out of order, Mayor Isen asked that an oral communication from Edgar Wise be considered at this time. Mr. Wise lives at 16516 Atkinson Avenue and he related continuing complications at the Sir Rogers bar. The barricade which was put up was circumvented by the people simply driving around it. One neighbor's car was damaged. The barricade is not long enough. City Manager Ferraro said he would see that the barricade is extended to carry out the intent.

City Attorney Remelmeyer advised caution; there are serious legal problems as to whether the Council has this power which would prevent access to the next street. Before anything is done toward extending or lengthening the barricade, he will research the law.

Councilman Lyman said some resolution of the problem is mandatory even if it extends to removing the house which is in the middle of the street.

City Attorney Remelmeyer will confer with the City Manager and return a report to the Council within two weeks "of an accomplished fact". Councilman Miller moved that the problem be so handled and his motion, seconded by Councilman Vico, carried, there being no objection. Mr. Remelmeyer will also research the law and send a copy of his report to Mr. Wise.

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STREETS AND SIDEWALKS:

13. NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF IMPROVEMENT OF LOMITA BOULEVARD FROM HAWTHORNE BOULEVARD TO OCEAN AVENUE B65-65. Recommendation of Director of Public Works with concurrence of City Manager that (1) Council approve and authorize the additional work as described in letter of transmittal; (2) that Council accept the work project; (3) that 40 days' liquidated damages be assessed against the contractor.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to concur with all three phases of the recommendation and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

Mr. Larry Bonnell, representing the contractor, orally objected to the third item on behalf of the contractor.

SEWERS AND DRAINAGE:

14. NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF INSTALLATION OF SANITARY SEWERS IN 190th STREET EASTERLY OF VAN NESS AVENUE (B66-18). Recommendation of Director of Public Works with concurrence of City Manager that (1) the Council approve and authorize the additional work as described and (2) that Council accept the work on the subject improvement and that payment therefor be made to Beecher Construction Co.

Councilman Beasley moved to concur as to both phases of the recommendation and his motion, seconded by Councilman Vico, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES AND SIGNS:

15. COMMERCIAL USE OF TRAILER. Recommendation of Superintendent of Building and Safety, with concurrence of City Manager, that the request of LaFleur Corporation for commercial use of trailer at 16659 South Gramercy be denied.

Councilman Olson called attention to several of these requests which have come before the Council recently and in which six months have been granted subject to all the fire conditions, etc. He would favor treating this in the same manner.

City Manager Ferraro said another problem is evident as to LaFleur Corporation. There have been intense complaints as to noise caused by high decibel grinding at late night and very early morning hours. He suggested that the trailer request be held in abeyance until the noise problem has been resolved.

Marty Farmer, Research Assistant at LaFleur, was present and advised to talk with Management. There will be no decision on the trailer request at this time. Mayor Isen moved to table the request until the City Manager advises the Council of the action found advisable on the noise.

Superintendent of Building and Safety McKinnon explained the fallacy in the statement that approval has been granted subject to fire conditions, etc., made by Councilman Olson. On the contrary, trailers do not in any way comply with fire or building regulations. In effect, in each of these cases a variance as to an ordinance has been granted. Nothing of the sort mentioned by Councilman Olson is applicable to a vehicle licensed by the State of California. A trailer is such a vehicle, in contrast to a prefabricated building, and there is no way to regulate it in anyway under City law. Another factor is that the public enters the trailers to do business and they do not enter into a construction shack. Mr. McKinnon mentioned as an example the prefab buildings which have been brought onto the property at the southwest corner of Carson and Hawthorne which fully comply with the fire and building regulations.

There was no objection to the disposition of this item as recommended by Mayor Isen.

16. EXTENSION OF TIME FOR BILLBOARD AT 2437 SEPULVEDA BOULEVARD.

Recommendation of Superintendent of Building and Safety, with concurrence of City Manager, that the request of Southwood Construction Company for an extension of time for their billboard to remain, be approved.

17. TEMPORARY BILLBOARD AT 23220 CRENSHAW BOULEVARD. Recommendation of Superintendent of Building and Safety, with concurrence of City Manager, that the request of South Bay Realty for extension of time be approved.

As to both Items 16 and 17, Councilman Sciarrotta moved to concur in the respective recommendations and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried, there being no objection.

18. COMMERCIAL USE OF TRAILER. Recommendation of Superintendent of Building and Safety, with concurrence of City Manager, that the request of Al Ortale Rambler for commercial use of a trailer at 20710 Hawthorne Boulevard be denied.

Mayor Isen moved that six months be granted for bringing the trailer use up to requirements. However, Mr. McKinnon repeated his statement made with respect to Item 15, that there is no way to bring up a trailer to requirements; the City has no control.

Councilman Lyman asked what progress has been made about other arrangements as to some of these establishments who have said they were about to build and wondered if perhaps they had not just decided to operate from a trailer. Mayor Isen believed the problem should be studied by a committee; admittedly the Ortale trailer has been in its location for two and one-half years. Councilman Sciarrotta said some distinction must be made between temporary and other type of use.

Mayor Isen asked for roll call on his motion to grant Ortale six months and it was unanimously favorable. He instructed the City Manager to refer this matter to the proper Council committee and to make a recommendation.

19. NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF TORRANCE RECREATION CENTER ADDITION AT 1318 CRAVENS AVENUE. Recommendation of Superintendent of Building and Safety, with concurrence of City Manager, that work be accepted and payment made.

Councilman Miller moved to concur in the recommendation and his motion was seconded by Councilman Lyman. Roll call vote was unanimously favorable.

TRAFFIC AND PARKING:

20. STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT NO. 11. Proposed resolution ordering preparation of assessment diagram, plans, specifications, estimate and report for the formation of Street Lighting District No. 11.

Because the Traffic and Lighting Engineer had requested any and all instructions which the Council wishes to give relative to other unlighted areas in the City, Mayor Isen advised that this matter be held one week.

A letter delivered to the City Clerk's office from a Mr. Knox referred to the poor lighting along Hawthorne near the Union Carbide. However, the Union Carbide lights have no relation to the City lighting system. Councilman Olson said the cables have been eaten into by gophers and the company plans to replace and rewire them. In any event, they are entirely apart from the street lighting.

There was considerable discussion of including the frontage on Hawthorne between Del Amo and 190th Street into this lighting district and Mr. Horkay will bring this item back next Council meeting.

21. STREET LIGHTING DISTRICTS NOS. 8, 9 and 10. Resolutions, one as to each, extending the assessments.

These are standard, routine resolutions and at the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-76

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING THE REPORT OF THE CITY TRAFFIC ENGINEER, DATED JULY 6, 1965, PREPARED PURSUANT TO THE PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED UNDER RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 65-139, DATED JULY 6, 1965, AND LEVYING THE PROPORTION OR PERCENTAGE OF THE ASSESSMENT THEREIN REFERRED TO FOR THE INSTALLATION OF, AND FOR THE FURNISHING OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY AND MAINTENANCE OF, CERTAIN STREET LIGHTING STANDARDS, FIXTURES AND APPLIANCES, ALONG CERTAIN STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES IN THE CITY OF TORRANCE, AS SHOWN ON DIAGRAM AND PLAN NO. L-10-65 (ALSO KNOWN AS MUNICIPAL

STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT NO. 10), FOR THE SECOND YEAR OF THE FOUR YEAR PERIOD CONTEMPLATED UNDER SAID PROCEEDINGS (Street Lighting Assessment District No. 10)

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-76 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-77

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING THE REPORT OF THE CITY TRAFFIC ENGINEER, DATED JULY 14, 1964, PREPARED PURSUANT TO THE PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED UNDER RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 64-142(3), DATED JULY 14, 1964, AND LEVYING THE PROPORTION OR PERCENTAGE OF THE ASSESSMENT THEREIN REFERRED TO FOR THE INSTALLATION OF, AND FOR THE FURNISHING OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY AND MAINTENANCE OF, CERTAIN STREET LIGHTING STANDARDS, FIXTURES AND APPLIANCES, ALONG CERTAIN STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES IN THE CITY OF TORRANCE, AS SHOWN ON DIAGRAM AND PLAN NO. L-8-64 (ALSO KNOWN AS MUNICIPAL STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT NO. 8) FOR THE THIRD YEAR OF THE FIVE YEAR PERIOD CONTEMPLATED UNDER SAID PROCEEDINGS. (Street Lighting Assessment District No. 8)

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-77 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Vico, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-78

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING AND CONFIRMING THE REPORT OF THE CITY TRAFFIC ENGINEER, DATED JUNE 4, 1964, PREPARED PURSUANT TO THE PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED UNDER RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 64-114, DATED JUNE 9, 1964, AND LEVYING THE PROPORTION OR PERCENTAGE OF THE ASSESSMENT THEREIN REFERRED TO FOR THE INSTALLATION OF, AND FOR THE FURNISHING OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY AND MAINTENANCE OF, CERTAIN STREET LIGHTING STANDARDS, FIXTURES AND APPLIANCES, ALONG CERTAIN STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES IN THE CITY OF TORRANCE, AS SHOWN ON DIAGRAM AND PLAN NO. L-9-64 (ALSO KNOWN AS MUNICIPAL STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT NO. 9) FOR THE THIRD YEAR OF THE FIVE YEAR PERIOD CONTEMPLATED UNDER SAID PROCEEDINGS (Street Lighting Assessment District No. 9).

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-78 and his motion, seconded by Mayor Isen, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

PERSONNEL MATTERS:

22. CLASS SPECIFICATION FOR TRAFFIC ENGINEERING ASSOCIATE WITH AMENDMENT TO SALARY RESOLUTION. Personnel Director, noted by City Manager, submitting for approval and adoption resolution.

Mayor Isen asked what consideration is being given to Al Kovach and was told this is not the same position - he would not have the minimum educational requirement. City Manager Ferraro explained the difficulty in obtaining trained and qualified professional traffic personnel and

Personnel Director Donovan confirmed Mr. Ferraro's statement and said Mr. Kovach was given a higher classification by the Jacobs survey.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to file this item. His motion was seconded by Mayor Isen and carried as follows:

AYES: COUNCILMEN: Beasley, Lyman, Olson, Sciarrotta,
Vico, and Mayor Isen.
NOES: COUNCILMEN: Miller.

Mayor Isen's contention is that Mr. Kovach should be permitted to take the examination; whether or not he is successful.

FISCAL MATTERS:

23. OPINION NO. 66-15 SETTling CERTAIN PROPERTY CLAIMS FILED AGAINST CITY. City Attorneys opinion, noted by City Manager, with suggested release form.

Mayor Isen thought there could be a modification of policy in obvious cases involving small amounts and where the liability does not arise from motor vehicle accidents. City Attorney Remelmeyer said even so, each claim must be investigated, but he could inform the insurance company that the City would like to have these small obvious claims paid. It was agreed to follow such a course of action experimentally and Mayor Isen said if there was no objection, Opinion No. 66-15 would be filed at this time. There was no objection.

24. CLAIM FOR DAMAGES AND DECLARATORY RELIEF - JACK M. ROTH. Communication from Attorneys Pastor and Zipsar re claim of Jack M. Roth with recommendation to deny and refer to the City Manager and City Attorney for further study.

25. CLAIM OF GILBERT H. WHITACRE for damages to himself and his vehicle resulting from an accident involving a City fire truck on March 11, 1966.

26. CLAIM OF CAROLE AMSICO for damages occurring on January 4, 1966, when she injured her foot and rib by falling in a water meter hole.

27. CLAIM OF FARMERS INSURANCE GROUP representing Edward Schwartz for damages to his vehicle which was involved in an accident with a City vehicle on March 20, 1966.

28. CLAIM OF SOLARAY INDUSTRIES, INC. for water damages against the City of Torrance, et al.

Councilman Olson moved, as to Items 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, and 28, to deny and refer to the City Attorney. His motion was seconded by Councilman Sciarrotta and carried, there being no objection.

29. REPAIR OF CITY VEHICLE - UNIT NO. 200. Recommendation of Equipment Supervisor, with concurrence of City Manager, that Council approve a plan to supply parts to Browns' Auto Body Service and approve an award to Browns for labor in the amount of \$490.50.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to concur in the recommendation as stated and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

EXPENDITURES OF OVER \$300.

30. A correction was noted to subitem 8 of Item 30, as follows:

\$463.11 to W. B. Equipment Company for ten only salvage covers to be used to cover merchandise at the scene of a fire and prevent water damage.

Councilman Beasley moved that the following eight items be approved:

1. \$302.80 to Howard Supply Company for 500 ft. of 6 inch galvanized lock seam pipe with 22 gauge walls to be used by the Water Department.
2. \$324.07 to Southwest Tractor Sales for one only motor short block plus other miscellaneous parts for City Vehicle No. 427 to be used by the Garage Department.
3. \$1,032.82 to Park-Son Inc. for five each 10 inch ring type valves and two each 8 inch flanged valves to be used by the Water Department at the Volvo main extension line.
4. \$550.18 to the Hersey-Sparling Meter Company for one only 3 inch C.T. Meter - all bronze with check valve as integral part of meter on main and intermediate flow lines.
5. \$720.17 to Superior Wholesale Electric Company for a three months' supply of electrical wire to be used for stock by the Traffic and Lighting Department.
6. \$323.54 to Bunker Hill Uniform for 510 police shoulder emblems.
7. \$628.84 to Remington Rand Corporation for steel shelving and cabinets to match existing equipment which is part of master filing system.
8. \$463.11 to W. B. Equipment Company for ten only salvage covers to be used to cover merchandise at the scene of a fire and prevent water damage.

Councilman Vico seconded the motion which carried as follows:

AYES: COUNCILMEN: Beasley, Lyman, Miller, Olson,
Sciarrotta, Vico, and Mayor Isen.
NOES: COUNCILMEN: None.

PARKS AND RECREATION:

31. LA CARRETERA PLAYGROUND IMPROVEMENT. Recommendation of Park and Recreation Commission, with concurrence of City Manager, to transfer funds from certain listed improvement projects to establish a new fund for initial development of La Carretera Playground.

City Manager Ferraro noted an error in the wording of his note on the communication in that it is State money, not the City's. With this correction, Councilman Beasley moved to concur in the recommendation and his motion was seconded by Councilman Miller. Roll call vote was unanimously favorable.

35. COMMUNICATION FROM TED KOLETOS, with City Manager's note, re intent to initiate development on the fringe of the Redevelopment Project (23609 Ward and 23601 Park).

The moratorium is on building and City Attorney Remelmeyer said there is nothing to prevent leasing if Mr. Koletos wishes to contract something of a temporary nature. Mayor Isen advised him to work with the Redevelopment Agency and the City Attorney and the City Manager. Councilman Sciarrotta moved along the lines of Mayor Isen's suggestion; Mayor Isen seconded and there was no objection.

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS:

36. Mayor Isen Proclaimed May 7, 1966, as FIRE SERVICE DAY.

37. COMMENTS ON BILLBOARD ORDINANCE. Communication from Acting Chairman of Torrance Beautiful Commission, with City Manager's note.

Mayor Isen said if there was no objection, the communication would be filed and its contents referred to a new Billboard Committee to consist of Councilman Miller, Councilman Beasley and Mayor Isen. There was no objection.

38. RESIGNATION OF JOHN TWEEDY FROM TORRANCE PLANNING COMMISSION.

Councilman Olson said Mr. Tweedy had agreed to stay on the commission until after the election although his term expired in January.

ITEMS NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED:

39. LEASE OF SEASIDE SUMP - TORRANCE AMERICAN LITTLE LEAGUE. City Attorney, with concurrence of City Manager, submitting resolution authorizing execution of lease.

Superintendent of Building and Safety McKinnon suggested a change in the lease by the addition of:

"That the lessee be responsible to plug off the sewer to his improvement at the end of each and every season, to prevent the flood waters from the sump from entering into the City's main line."

City Attorney Remelmeyer will rewrite the lease to this extent and the resolution may be adopted with that understanding.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-79

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE AND ATTEST THAT CERTAIN LEASE BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE TORRANCE AMERICAN LITTLE LEAGUE DATED MAY 1, 1966.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-79 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

40. REFUND OF SEWER REIMBURSEMENT FEES COLLECTED IN ERROR. Recommendation from Director of Public Works with concurrence of City Manager, that (1) \$461.16 be refunded to Robert E. Such from the Sewer Revolving Fund and (2) that \$300 be refunded to W. R. Zappas from Sewer Revolving Fund.

Councilman Beasley moved to concur in the recommendation as to each of the two items and his motion, seconded by Councilman Miller, carried as follows:

AYES: COUNCILMEN: Beasley, Lyman, Miller, Olson,
Sciarrotta, Vico, and Mayor Isen.

NOES: COUNCILMEN: None.

41. FIVE COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION.

Communication from Gordon T. Nesvig submitting material re adopted plan known as the Five County Regional Planning and Development Association and respectfully requesting support from each county.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to refer this material to the committee which studies new legislation and Mayor Isen seconded. There was no objection.

42. RELEASE OF SUBDIVISION BOND ON TRACT NO. 29604 B-460708. Subdivider, Vincent Grant. Location west of Pennsylvania between 227th and 228th Streets.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to concur in the recommendation to so release the bond and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

43. REQUEST OF MESSRS. HOMER AND HUBERT ROGERS FOR REMOVAL OF BUILDING RESTRICTION ZONE ON PROPERTY AT 2062 WEST 233rd STREET (Drainage District 8A). Recommendation of Director of Public Works, with concurrence of City Manager that request be granted and City Attorney be instructed to prepare an ordinance removing the restriction from the westerly 55 feet of the northerly 107 feet of Lot 9, Tract No. 530.

Councilman Beasley moved to concur in the recommendation as stated and his motion, seconded by Councilman Miller, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

44. REQUEST FOR TERMINATION OF OIL WELL BOND NO. 7066438. License Supervisor, with concurrence of City Manager, submitting request from Packard Petroleum Corporation for release of their oil well bond.

45. REQUEST FOR TERMINATION OF OIL WELL BOND NO. 476639. License Supervisor, with concurrence of City Manager, submitting request from Culver Investments, Inc. for release of their oil well bond.

As to both Items 44 and 45, Councilman Miller moved concurrence and his motion, seconded by Councilman Vico, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

46. WEED ABATEMENT PROGRAM. Submittal by City Manager.

Councilman Miller said the City Manager had been asked for a study of the advisability of such a program. He referred to the bids last year and the odd turn they took the second time around, after the first was rejected. Mr. Ferraro said the City cannot beat the bids they have received and had no explanation of why the second bid was so far under the first last year.

Councilman Beasley moved to concur in the recommendation to authorize preparation and opening of bids for a weed abatement program for the calendar year 1966 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Sciarrotta, carried by the following roll call vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEN: Beasley, Lyman, Miller, Olson,
Sciarrotta, and Mayor Isen.

NOES: COUNCILMEN: Vico.

47. RELEASE OF SUBDIVISION BOND ON TRACT NO. 30100 - BOND B460711. Subdivider, Dolores Development Corporation. Location west of Pennsylvania between 227th and 229th. Recommendation of City Engineer/Street Superintendent, with concurrence of City Manager, that subject bond be released.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to concur and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

48. PROPOSED VACATION OF A PORTION OF CERTAIN ALLEY IN LOT 42, BLOCK 2, SUBDIVISION OF LOT 33, MEADOW PARK TRACT. Recommendation, with proposed resolution.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-80

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO VACATE A PORTION OF THAT CERTAIN ALLEY IN LOT 42, BLOCK 2, SUBDIVISION OF LOT 33, MEADOW PARK TRACT.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-80 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

49. PROPOSED VACATION OF A PORTION OF 235th PLACE. Recommendation of Director of Public Works, with proposed resolution, and that the fee be waived.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

RESOLUTION NO. 66-81

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO VACATE A PORTION OF 235TH PLACE IN THE CITY OF TORRANCE, FIXING A TIME AND PLACE FOR A HEARING THEREON, AND PROVIDING FOR THE PUBLICATION OF THIS RESOLUTION.

Councilman Beasley moved to adopt Resolution No. 66-81 and his motion, seconded by Councilman Sciarrotta, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

50. FIRE WORKS STANDS LOCATION.

This is a list of the organizations and locations of stands, whether or not insurance has been received in the License Division office, and date application was received. There is a total of 29 stands, including one just filed by Nativity Catholic Church Men's Club. All are repeats except the Torrance Foursquare Crusaders. The recommendation is to grant licenses subject to the licensees' meeting all requirements of the Fireworks Ordinance and subject to the approval of the Police and Fire Departments.

Councilman Beasley moved to concur in the recommendation and his motion, seconded by Councilman Sciarrotta, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

51. RIDING OF MOTORCYCLES ON VACANT LOTS. Proposed emergency and regular ordinance.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

ORDINANCE NO. 1681

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE ADDING SECTION 18.7 ENTITLED "RIDING OF MOTORCYCLES ON VACANT LOTS" TO CHAPTER 18 OF "THE CODE OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, 1954" AND DECLARING THE PRESENCE OF AN EMERGENCY.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Ordinance No. 1681 as an emergency measure at its only reading. His motion was seconded by Councilman Miller and carried by unanimous roll call vote.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss assigned a number and read title to:

ORDINANCE NO. 1682

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE ADDING SECTION 18.7 ENTITLED "RIDING OF MOTORCYCLES ON VACANT LOTS" TO CHAPTER 18 OF "THE CODE OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, 1954".

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to approve Ordinance No. 1682 at its first reading and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

52. CONDEMNATION OF LAND FOR KENT AVENUE IN TRACT NO. 30376. Recommendation of Director of Public Works, with concurrence of City Manager, that subject land be condemned to allow alignment of Kent Avenue in above tract.

Mayor Isen defined "expense" in the last sentence of the communication to include attorneys fees and court costs and Councilman Beasley moved to concur in the recommendation. His motion was seconded by Mayor Isen and carried by unanimous roll call vote.

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES:

53. ORDINANCE NO. 1676.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss presented for second reading, and read title to:

ORDINANCE NO. 1676

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE AMENDING APPENDIX I OF "THE CODE OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE, 1954" TO RECLASSIFY THAT CERTAIN PROPERTY WHICH IS LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF 182ND STREET APPROXIMATELY MIDWAY BETWEEN TAYLOR COURT AND FAIRVIEW LANE AT 2043 and 2049 182nd STREET AND DESCRIBED IN ZC 65-52. Torrance Planning Commission.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Ordinance No. 1676 at its second reading and his motion, seconded by Councilman Beasley, carried by unanimous roll call vote.

54. ORDINANCE NO. 1677.

At the request of Mayor Isen, Deputy City Clerk Moss presented for second reading, and read title to:

ORDINANCE NO. 1677

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 1163 AND ESTABLISHING A NEW METHOD OF PAYROLL COMPUTATION.

Councilman Sciarrotta moved to adopt Ordinance No. 1677 at its second and final reading. His motion was seconded by Mayor Isen and carried by unanimous roll call vote.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:

55. Chief Koenig reminded the Council of the invitation to the Youth Training Center at Ontario.

56. Chief Koenig said there would be a recruiting program in Spanish on Channel 34, KMEX, at 4 p.m., April 20th during which two Police officers will speak.

57. Councilman Olson said he will be absent from next week's Council meeting because his employer is sending him to computer school.

58. Councilman Sciarrotta read a communication dealing with traffic problems and improvements in the City and suggested the newspapers editorialize on the subject.

59. Mayor Isen suggested the City Clerk furnish information as to which are originals and which are transfers of liquor licenses on the information regularly furnished the council. Chief Koenig said it would be simple to change the format to include that information to the City Clerk.

60. Mayor Isen set a personnel meeting for 4 p.m., on May 4th, to discuss Commission appointments and a special meeting adjourned from May 3rd meeting to discussing looking ahead for the next two years for the good of the City.

61. Mayor Isen said on April 26th, the Grand Governor of the Loyal Order of Moose will be honored and he, Mayor Isen, will possibly be a little late to Council meeting. He requested that routine matters be taken up first on the agenda. Mayor pro tem Olson will also be absent from that meeting.

62. Councilman Lyman asked about the study of traffic signals in and out of the shopping center and City Manager Ferraro said there had been a meeting with the owners, Bullocks, Broadway, Sears and they have hired private engineers and a report and agreement would be forthcoming soon as to Sepulveda. Signalization and striping on Carson Street is also being studied.

63. Officer Tom Wooldridge, "speaking for myself and no one else within the Department" referred to the Jacobs Survey which indicated Position 8 (his title with the addition of crossing guard supervision) should be upgraded to that of Sergeant. He detailed the matter of protests and blanketing in and asked if the Council would take action on this tonight. Mayor Isen advised him to talk with City Manager Ferraro and said his impression was that this position was to be studied with the thought that it should be open to examination. City Manager Ferraro agreed that there was an agreement with the Employees' Association that that position was to be studied to see if it qualified as a Sergeant's position. If the position proves to be warranted to be a Sergeant, he said it would automatically go to the incumbent, Officer Wooldridge.

Officer Wooldridge read in full the protest letter from Ray Silagy, Chairman Wage Committee of the Police Officers' Association but Mayor Isen it is not something which can be decided tonight.

64. Jay Nielsen of the Fire Department had no recollection of any outside firm being mentioned; on the contrary, the study was to be made by the Personnel Department, the Department Head, and the employee or employees involved, with a recommendation to the Council.

65. Richard Abshear congratulated the successful Council candidates and warned of the possibility of demonstrations such as are currently being held in Redwood City.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

Vernon W. Coil
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City of Torrance, California

APPROVED:

Albert J. ...
Mayor of the City of Torrance