

ownership is acquired from the DOT; also to authorize the Mayor to sign the REAP application forms. Seconded by Cummins. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Cummins to grant the Mayor the right to hire Deb Dukes on a temporary basis at \$6 per hour. This will only be until August 25 when someone will be hired permanently. Seconded by Goff. Carried with Cummins and Goff voting AYE and Dukes abstaining.

Applications for the city position were reviewed. There were nine applications. Garry is to conduct interviews with three of the applicants and let the Council know the results on the special meeting on the 25th.

Employee policies from the County and Greenfield were viewed and on the meeting on Aug. 25 will be discussed again.

Departmental reports were given. Garry told the Council that the approximate cost to double seal the street by the Co-op and back to the highway would be \$3450. Garry is to inform John Fox that it must be done by at least the 15th of September.

The tractor is being worked on by McCunn's.

Two trees in the park on the south side are dying and should come out. They should be replaced with another tree.

Motion by Cummins to pay Safeguard and SafeChoice. Seconded by Dukes. Carried unanimously.

Lois showed the Council a letter from the Library about insurance coverage. Motion by Cummins to increase the coverage of contents to \$100,000. Seconded by Dukes. Carried unanimously.

Corey presented his monthly reports.

He reported that they sell K-9 drug dogs and have training in Red Oak. The cost would be \$6500 which includes 14 days of training for handler, and the dogs shots. Hips and eyes are guaranteed. Nothing will be done until after Corey returns from the academy.

Motion by Cummins to adjourn. Seconded by Goff. Carried unanimously.

*Lois Ehrenfried*

*Ramon D. Jacobson*  
Ramon D. Jacobson, Mayor

Attest: Lois Ehrenfried, City Clerk

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Fontanelle, Iowa  
August 25, 1997

The Fontanelle City Council met in special session on August 25, 1997 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Jacobson calling the meeting to order. Council members present were: Thompson, Goff, Holan and Cummins. Absent: Dukes.

Motion by Cummins to approve the agenda. Seconded by Thompson. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Cummins to approve a liquor license application for Carolyn Arendt. Seconded by Goff. Carried unanimously.

The Council reviewed per section an employee policy and revisions were made to fit Fontanelle's needs.

Garry had interviewed the three applicants for the city job. All three were qualified and interested. Motion by Cummins to hire Mike Armstrong at \$9 per hour. There was no second.

After further discussion, a motion was made by Goff to hire Jack Boes at \$9 per hour. Seconded by Thompson. Carried with Thompson, Goff and Holan voting Aye, and Cummins voting Nay.

After discussion of the cleaning position applications, four were chosen and one drawn from that. Motion by Goff to hire Karen Cass at \$6 per hour to clean the community center and the City Hall. Seconded by Holan. Carried unanimously.

The cost of vandal proof facilities at the park restrooms was discussed. They are extremely expensive. Further discussion and bids for labor only will be investigated.

Motion by Thompson to adjourn. Seconded by Goff. Carried unanimously.

*Lois Ehrenfried*

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