

PUBLIC HEARING
CARTERVILLE CITY COUNCIL
MAY 29, 2001
6:30 P.M.

TOPIC: CDBG GRANT

At 6:30 p.m. the Mayor opened the public hearing. The public in attendance for the hearing were as follows: Jess Harnden, Bill Harnden, Susan Newman, Karen Brill, Thelma Sapp, Marilyn Newman, Steve Hunter, Marry Sullenger, Naomi Kepple, Shirley Reynolds, Ron Doss, Angela Madden, Elmer Frey, Mickey Bulger, Johnny Arrowood, Doug Miller, Brian Ross and Debbie Cornell.

Brian Ross of the Harry S. Truman Coordinating Council started the meeting by explaining the project and where the target area was located. He then opened the hearing up for questions from the public.

Mickey Bulger asked if there would be any proposals for streets in this target area. Brian explained to the citizens attending that the proposed application would include overlays of Elizabeth, Popular Wilson and Hannum in the target area, storm drainage inlets and curb and gutter with handicap access.

Jess Harnden asked about the sidewalks and handicap ramps. Mr. Ross said that the sidewalks would be redone to include the handicap ramps for this area.

Elmer Frey asked about if it would do handicap ramps for the churches. Mr. Ross said no and that there were no churches in this target area.

Elmer Frey asked about Cass Street and if it would be added. Mr. Ross said that it is not in this target area so it would not be included.

Maps were passed out among the citizens for the target area and Steve Hunter said that he would like to go and walk this area that had been proposed.

Jess Harnden asked if it could be fixed with another grant. Brian Ross said that we can apply for another grant after we complete this one, either with another housing grant or look into streets, bridge and drainage grant.

Jess Harnden asked what the city's inkind and cash match would be. Brian Ross said that at this time it looks like the inkind will be 59,600 and the cash would be 15,000.

Johnny Arrowood asked if there were any houses that would need to be demolished and Mr. Ross told her there is 4 that is dilapidated beyond repair.

Mary Sullenger asked Mr. Ross if there was any money left could they go outside of the target area and help some of the people. He said that he would check on that.

He asked if there were any other questions. No one had any. He stated that he would wait around for a little while after the meeting in case there was anything else that anyone thinks of that they would like to ask.

The Mayor thanked everyone for his or her attendance and there participation and closed the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Mayor

Clerk

**PUBLIC HEARING
CARTERVILLE CITY COUNCIL
AUGUST 28, 2001**

TOPIC: TAX LEVY 2001

At 6:00 PM, the Mayor opened the public hearing. Explaining the decrease in the taxes from \$.67 to \$.52, he added that this will help to offset the new county assessments of valuation for most. It was noted that tax increases to cover payment of "General Obligation Combined Waterworks and Sewerage Systems Bonds, Series 1985", have not been instituted since 1985, thus, these being paid out of the General Revenue Funds from the city. With two years remaining on the bond, a \$.54 levy will be placed to cover the next two years of bond payment, bringing the total tax levy to \$1.06. There being no further discussion, Marilyn Newman made a motion to close the hearing; Betty Pearson seconded. All voted "Aye". Mayor Jess Harnden closed the hearing.

**SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
AUGUST 28, 2001**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jess Harnden. Roll call was taken: Betty Pearson-Present; Marilyn Newman-Present; Paul Hodges-Absent; Elmer Frey-Absent; Dean Hedgcorth-Present; Roger Koch-Present; Angela Madden-Present; Johnny Arrowood, Absent. Five members present representing a quorum.

The single order of business was to present Council Bill 01-07, "ORDINANCE SETTING THE TAX LEVY AND DEBT SERVICE IN THE CITY OF CARTERVILLE FOR THE YEAR 2001". After discussion of said bill, it was suggested by Mayor Harnden to suspend the rules, have three readings of the bill, and to vote at this time. Roger Koch made the motion to suspend the rules and have the "First Reading". Marilyn Newman seconded the motion. Votes were all "Ayes". Motion carried. Council Bill 01-07, "ORDINANCE SETTING THE TAX LEVY AND DEBT SERVICE IN THE CITY OF CARTERVILLE FOR THE YEAR 2001" was read by title and number only, by Mayor Harnden. Roger Koch made the motion to accept the "First Reading", Marilyn Newman seconded. All council members voted "Aye". Betty Pearson made the motion to suspend the rules and have the "Second Reading" of Council Bill 01-07 by title and number only; Roger Koch seconded. All five council members present voted "Ayes". The "Second Reading" by title and number only was presented by Mayor Harnden. A motion was made by Marilyn Newman and seconded by Roger Koch to accept the "Second Reading", all members voting "Ayes". Motion carried; "Second Reading" accepted. Dean Hedgcorth moved to suspend the rules and have the "Third and Final Reading" by name and title only, with a second made by Betty Pearson. All council members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. The "Third and Final Reading" of Council Bill 01-07 by title and number only was read by Mayor Harnden. A motion was made by Roger Koch, seconded by Marilyn Newman to accept the "Third and Final Reading", All members present voted "Aye". Motion carried. Council Bill 01-07 accepted.

Betty Pearson made the motion to adjourn the meeting; Marilyn Newman seconded. All five council members present voted "Ayes". Meeting was adjourned at 7:00 PM.

Mayor

Clerk