

March 1, 1960

Be it remembered and it is hereby certified to that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Walnut Grove, Leake County, Mississippi, met in continued session on Tuesday, March 1, 1960 at the City Hall, it being the time and place for said meeting. The following were present, to-wit:

W. C. Dawson, Mayor	
D. C. Ware,	Alderman
Mac Dawson,	"
B. M. Stewart,	"
Elvin Hanna,	"
W. O. Harrison,	"
Essie F. Harrelson, Clerk	

The meeting was opened for the transaction of business by the Mayor and the following business was transacted:

After due consideration and the following letter having been read, D. C. Ware moved its adoption and the motion being seconded by Mac Dawson, carried by unanimous vote. The letter to be given to representatives of the Walnut Grove Development Organization to present to Gov. Ross Barnett:

Be it known, that the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Walnut Grove, Mississippi, are in full accord with this group of business men who are representing the Walnut Grove Development Organization and will appreciate anything you might do to aid the development of our community.

A motion by W. O. Harrison that Alderman D. C. Ware and Rev. W. L. Mayo be designated to secure as many options as necessary for industrial sites for the development of Walnut Grove, Miss., was seconded by B. M. Stewart and passed by unanimous vote.

A motion made by W. O. Harrison to investigate the possibilities of raising the assessed valuation of real estate within the corporate limits of the Town of Walnut Grove was seconded by B. M. Stewart and after discussion was passed by unanimous vote.

A motion to pay a reasonable amount of advertising, done by the Walnut Grove Development Organization was offered by Mac Dawson and the motion being seconded by W. O. Harrison was passed by unanimous vote.

The following bill was presented and ordered paid out of Street Tax fund:

Jim Darby, 7 Hrs. Street Work @ 75¢	5.25
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The following bills were presented and ordered paid out of General Town fund:

Mississippi Power Company, Light Bill	1.00
Mississippi Power Company, Park Lights	3.89
Mississippi Power Company, Street Lights	25.67
The Carthaginian, Minute Book	43.00
J. E. Smith, Atty. Certified Copy of Charter	10.00

Officers' Salaries:

W. G. Phillips, Marshal	150.00
W. G. Phillips, 5% Com. On \$3,389.20 Adv. Tax	
5% Com On \$37.76 Priv. Tax	171.35
W. C. Dawson, Mayor	30.00
Essie F. Harrelson, Clerk	30.00
D. C. Ware Alderman	5.00
Mac Dawson "	5.00
B. M. Stewart "	5.00
Elvin Hanna "	5.00
W. O. Harrison "	5.00

Balance on hand General Town Fund \$8,783.39

Balance on hand Street Tax Fund 4,983.31

There being no further business motion was made to recess until further notice.

Mac Dawson Mayor  
Minutes read and approved

Essie F. Harrelson Clerk

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