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An adjourned meeting of the City Council was held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, July 16, 1946, with Mayor Baxter presiding, and Councilmen Childs, Hinson, Johnston, McIntyre, Newson, Puette and White present.

HEARING ON PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE POSTPONED UNTIL SEPTEMBER.

Mayor Baxter announced that the meeting had been called, and duly advertised through the press according to law, in order that the parties in interest and citizens have an opportunity to be heard with respect to a Zoning Ordinance recommended by the Charlotte Zoning Commission.

However, requests had been received from interested citizens that the hearing be postponed until September in order that citizens now on vacation might be present. He advised the Council was willing to postpone the hearing if it was the desire of the delegation present.

Mr. Paul Whitlock, Attorney, requested that the hearing be postponed and the proposed ordinance be published in a Charlotte newspaper prior to the hearing, in order that interested persons might become acquainted with its contents.

Mayor Baxter then announced that the hearing would be postponed until September 17, 1946 and the proposed ordinance would be published.

CITY ATTORNEY DIRECTED TO PREPARE AMENDMENT TO SET-BACK ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CITY COUNCIL TO ACT AS APPEAL BOARD UNTIL HEARING ON ZONING ORDINANCE.

Mr. Carol Taliferro, Attorney, requested that the existing Set-back Ordinance be repealed, or some means be provided for waiving its requirements until the hearing is held on the Zoning Ordinance.

Councilman Newson moved that the City Attorney draw an amendment to the Set-back Ordinance providing that the Council act as an Appeal Board to which specific cases regarding the requirements of the ordinance may be referred until the hearing is held on the proposed Zoning Ordinance, and that the amendment be presented to Council at its next meeting. Motion seconded by Councilman Puette, and unanimously carried.

ADJOURNEMENT.

Upon motion of Councilman Hinson, seconded by Councilman Johnston, the meeting was adjourned.

Lillian R. Huffman
City Clerk