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The adjourned meeting was called to order on May 14, 1951 by the President at 8:00 P.M. at the Burdick Junior High School.

Roll call was taken with 39 present and 1 absent. The absent member was Vito Longo ✓

George Lockwood requested that definite information be secured from the Board of Finance on Item 480.TI regarding interest and principal on Bell Street Parking Lot and why same was deleted.

On MOTION of Leonard DeVita, seconded by Michael Holahan, the Ferguson Library budget was brought up for reconsideration by vote of 24 to 13.

By vote of 22 to 14 the appropriation of the Ferguson Library was reduced from \$158,477. to \$145,757.

John Cameron MOVED, seconded by Babette Ransohoff, and CARRIED by vote of 24 to 13, Code 460.1 Welfare Department Salaries, was reduced by \$3,000. recommending the elimination of one clerk.

John Cameron MOVED, seconded by Edward Hogan and CARRIED, that action on Code 460.14 Machine Rentals and Repairs be deferred until adjourned meeting on May 15, 1951 to ascertain whether contract could be made for six months instead of one year.

The following public officials were asked to speak during this meeting: George Laturney, Welfare Department, on 460.1 and 460.14; Dr. Paul Brown on 420.54 New Cars; Mr. Edwin Schwimmer on duties of a Dog Warden; Chief John Brennan on 430.1 and 434.1 Salaries - Salaries Parking Meter (2); Mr. Negyesi on 413.B1 Salaries and New 1½ Ton Rack Body Truck; Mr. Bromfield on additional personnel for City Engineering Department.

The meeting adjourned at 12:10 to the following evening, May 15, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,
Babette Ransohoff, Clerk