

COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING
Conference Room

October 14, 1943
Thursday
9:20 am--11:15 am

Absentees: Messrs. Motoyoshi and Ritchie.
Tardy: Messrs. Yonemura and Oki.
Minutes of October 12 were read and approved.

The Council secretary reported the result of the election of Block 15 councilman. Mr. Shintaro Miyazaki was duly elected councilman from Block 15 with a total casting of 74 votes.

Mr. Kimoto reported that a trial due October 12 had been postponed till next Tuesday, October 15 on account of unclarified complexity involved with court procedures; Mr. Robertson was reported to have delegated authority to try the case to the Judicial Commission. Mr. Kimoto was appointed by the Council to see Mr. McGowan, Project Attorney, to draft center ordinances and the Council's by-laws.

Joint meeting of former block chairmen, present councilmen, and chairman of the Co-op study committee has been set for Saturday, October 16 at 1:30 PM at the high school study hall by the north entrance.

Mr. Ryoichi Fujii of the Relocation Committee expressed gratitude to the Council for the past cooperation and assistance. He informed of his leave, and introduced Mr. Eihiro Iwasaki as his successor.

Mr. Nakaki informed that the Council Resettlement Committee still working in conjunction with the Relocation Committee on revision of issuance of indefinite cash grant clause.

Mr. Masunaga reported that construction of wind breakers for apartment doorways will start as soon as enough materials are available. Block Managers have completed survey on it.

Following reports, the Council took up discussion on various subjects.

Mr. Okazaki requested the Council to follow expedition of space propositions now still pending.

Throwing the "Hallows' en party at the initiation of the Council for center children was proposed. Ice cream, cookies, pies, etc., to be served. The matter was referred to the Welfare Committee. Said party was set for Saturday night, October 30, on the eve of Hallows' en.

The Council Food Committee was instructed to requisition mochi-gome for the New Year Day.

Once again three-meetings-a-week proposition was made to the Council in view of pressing agenda which have to be followed in addition to the Council's job of adopting ordinances which had not yet started. Mr. Yonemura informed that the Project Attorney is preparing a draft on rules and regulations of the Judicial Commission and is ready for ratification by the Council. As the Administrative Instruction No. 85 limits the extent of penalty and power of the Judicial Commission, there is nothing the Council could do in that respect, but Mr. Nakaki pointed out the necessity of adopting ordinances for the Police and Fire Dept., to which the Council agreed and requested the Legal Committee to contact every division to submit to the Council model ordinances. The Original proposition of 3 meetings a week was rebuked by the majority of the Council and this was ruled out of order.

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Mr. Nagumo pointed out danger in the handling of boilers in the laundry building by new residents from Tule Lake and suggested to have instructions pertaining to the boilers in bulletin forms to be posted at the boilers. The matter was referred to the Block Managers through Mr. Masunaga.

Mr. Miyazaki succeeded the Rev. C. Horikoshi in the Council sub-committees.

Mr. Chairman requested election of respective chairmen in the Council sub-committees.

Process of Community Enterprises refunds was reported by Mr. Sashihara. Figures in detail have been published in the Sentinel, October 16 issue. Mr. Okamoto argued as to the authority of WRA to intervene by setting forth regulations pertaining to refunding process of the community's enterprises in the military reservation. No conclusive decision has been made.

It was brought to the attention of the Council on erecting an old men's home which had been approved long ago and has not been started as yet. The Welfare Committee to push the matter.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:15 AM.

Next meeting: October 19, Tuesday, at 9:00 AM.