


November 4th ballot, and announced that such a meeting would be held on Friday, October 24, 1952 at 7:30 P.M., either in the Council Chambers at City Hall, or at the School Auditorium - the place to be announced at a later date.

The Mayor reminded the Councilmen of their luncheon date with the Women's Club, Tuesday, October 7, 1952, to be held at the Community Club House.

Mayor Read recommended that an adjourned meeting be held by the Council to discuss the sales tax problem, so that a report may be made at the League of California Cities' convention to be held in San Diego on October 13, 14 and 15, 1952.

Mayor Read announced that, due to Mr. Fortune's having resigned as Commissioner of the Police and Fire Departments, he would at this time appoint Mr. John E. Hempel as Commissioner of the Police and Fire Departments, and appoint Mr. John R. Fortune as Commissioner of Parks and Playgrounds.

UPON MOTION OF COUNCILMAN BLAKELOCK, SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN CARRICK AND UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED the meeting was adjourned to Friday, October 3, 1952 at 4:00 P.M.



 City Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk
 of the City Council

APPROVED:



 Mayor and President of the
 City Council

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City Hall
 San Clemente, California
 October 3, 1952

An adjourned meeting of the City Council of the City of San Clemente was held in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 408 North El Camino Real, San Clemente, California on Friday, October 3, 1952 at 4:00 P.M., Mayor H. T. Read in the chair.

The Mayor called the meeting to order and upon roll call the following members were present:

PRESENT: Councilmen - Read, Blakelock, Fortune
 and Hempel
 ABSENT: Councilman - Carrick

The Mayor stated that the purpose of the adjourned meeting was to discuss a proposal by the County Supervisors' Association that a

State-wide 1% sales tax be adopted. The Mayor read a resolution adopted by the City of Huntington Beach opposing such a sales tax, and a letter from the City of Santa Rosa favoring the sales tax.

Following a discussion of the matter, it was MOVED BY COUNCILMAN FORTUNE SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN BLAKELOCK that Councilman Blakelock be designated as the City official to represent the City of San Clemente at the League of California Cities' Convention to be held in San Diego, and that he be instructed to advise the delegation that the City of San Clemente favors the plan adopted by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors which provides for a uniform State-wide 1% Sales Tax, that all revenue raised by such tax and collected within the City be retained by the City, and all revenue thus raised in urban and unincorporated areas be returned to the Counties for their use.

Upon roll call the following was the stated vote, to wit:

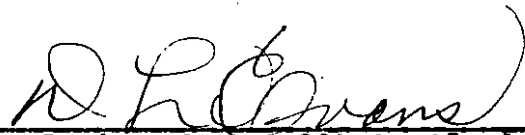
- AYES: Councilmen - Read, Blakelock, Fortune and Hempel
- NOES: Councilmen - None
- ABSENT: Councilmen - Carrick

The motion was declared carried..

The City Clerk reported that representatives of the National Housing Administration had called at the City Hall office relative to the question of constructing a 400 unit trailer court at the north end of Camp Pendleton adjacent to the City limits of San Clemente.

The Clerk further stated that the National Housing Administration would probably request that they be allowed to connect with the City's Sanitation and Water Distribution system, and that a formal application would be forthcoming.

Following a general discussion, there being no further business upon MOTION OF COUNCILMAN BLAKELOCK SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN FORTUNE AND UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED, the meeting was adjourned.



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