Special meeting of the City Council held April 19th 1875

Present Hon. B. S. Dowell Mayor
A. Blacker, Alderman
J. W. Tays "
A. Hornick "
Wm Tryer "
J. S. Gillett "
Estine Clk

Council proceeded to elect a Water Commissioner for the ensuing year, the ballot being counted & Wm Tryer receiving a majority of the votes, he was declared duly elected

It was then moved & seconded that the El Paso Irrigation Co. be and the same are hereby authorized, to widen the El Paso or Ponce acequia to a uniform width of 6 feet from the Repartidor to the Hall house and from thence East to make it 7 feet wide, giving the whole acequia such a depth as may be necessary and practicable, provided however that City Council or other City authorities

shall have complete control over said acequia after the same is finished.

It was further moved & seconded that the said El Paso Irrigation Co. be and the same is hereby authorized to dig out, widen and enlarge the lower or Playa acequia to a uniform width of 6 feet and a depth of 3 feet.

The following accounts were then presented & allowed and warrants ordered to be drawn for the same.

| | |
|---|---|
| B. S. Dowell | $ 18.00 |
| Estine 5.00. Jos. Magoffin 3.00 | 8.00 |

The account of B. S. Dowell to have priority.

Council then adjourned to meet the next regular meeting.