

# Okaloosa County League of Cities

WINTER MEETING  
January 24, 1980

The 1980 Winter Meeting of the Okaloosa County League of Cities was held at the Sheraton-Marina in Fort Walton Beach on January 24, 1980, hosted by the Town of Cinco Bayou. A social hour began at 6:30 p.m. and was followed at 7:30 p.m. by the Call to Order and dinner.

Officials representing all eight member cities were present. Guests for the evening were County Commissioner Moe Hersh and his wife, Elaine and County Commissioner Bill Peebles and his wife, Ann.

Secretary-Treasurer Kathleen Bowman of Shalimar gave a brief financial report indicating a savings account balance of \$4,071.14 and a checking account balance of \$1,061.03 as of January 24, 1980.

President Fred Pryor of Mary Esther introduced those seated at the head table.

Guest speaker for the Winter Meeting was The Honorable Joan Haggren.

Mayor Bob Gates, Fort Walton Beach, gave a brief overview of the "double taxation" study and current activities. He, also, discussed plans for the Air Force Armament Museum.

Nominating Committee Chairman, Mayor Bruce Arnold of Valparaiso, presented the Committee's report recommending 1980 League of Cities officers as follows:

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| President           | Warren Mirshak, Councilman, Mary Esther |
| Vice President      | Kathleen Bowman, Mayor-Shalimar         |
| Secretary-Treasurer | Jim Baughman, Councilman, Fort Walton B |

A motion was made by Mayor Bruce Arnold of Valparaiso to name Congressman Bob Sikes an honorary member of the Okaloosa County League of Cities. The motion was seconded by Mayor Kathleen Bowman and carried unanimously.

Mayor Bob Gates and Fort Walton Beach Councilmen offered to host the Spring League Meeting on the last Thursday in April. The offer was unanimously accepted.

Mayor Gates made a motion that the League of Cities go on record

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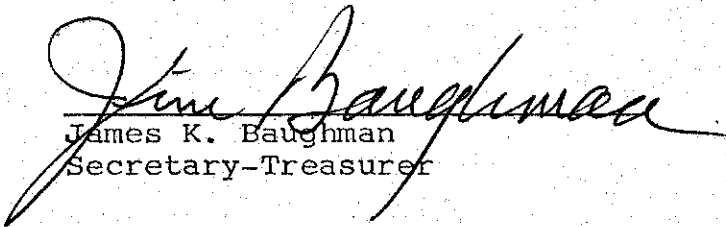
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as supporting our County governments participation in the Armament Museum as per the coming referendum on the primary ballot March 11.

Valparaiso officials offered to host the Summer League Meeting and the offer was accepted by the membership.

The Winter Meeting was adjourned at 9:30 p.m. by President Fred Pryor.

  
James K. Baughman  
Secretary-Treasurer

