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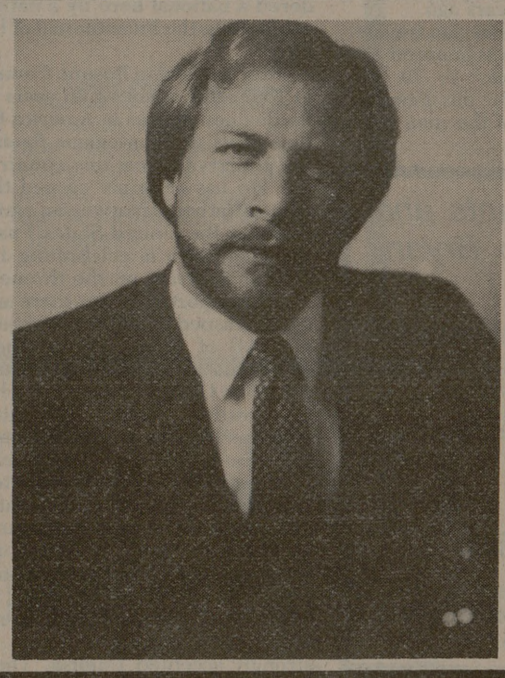
Council discusses  
railroad bypass

by Shellee Bratton  
Battalion Reporter  
The Bryan City Council approved its 1982-83 budget Monday night and heard requests from a group of residents for a bypass at the railroad track at Villa Maria Road.  
Hubert Nelson, representing the group of citizens, asked the City Council to look into the necessity of building an overpass or underpass at the intersection near Finfeather Road and Villa Maria.  
Nelson said many subdivisions in west Bryan were isolated from the police, fire and other emergency services whenever a train passes at the intersection. He said an overpass or underpass would improve service to residents and would improve the flow of traffic and the development of the west Bryan.  
Mayor Richard Smith asked City Manager Ernest Clark to make a report on the feasibility of such a bypass. The report will include information on how much an overpass or underpass would cost, how many will be needed, where they will be and how to appropriate funding resources for such a project. The report will be considered at a later meeting.

Beer company  
sponsors bands

by Jennifer Carr  
Battalion Staff  
The MSC Council approved a proposal to let Miller Brewing Co. sponsor programs for the MSC basement committee in its meeting Monday night. The council also approved a proposal for new wall coverings in the MSC Gallery to be submitted to the MSC Enrichment Board of Directors.  
Miller will sponsor bands in Rumours Oct. 15, 16, 29 and 30 and Nov. 5 and 6, said Ken Bunch, basement programs director. Miller also will be giving away caps, shirts and buttons, he said.  
Sue Leibert, committee chairman said all advertising will be controlled by the basement committee, and Miller's name would not be on any advertising outside of campus. No alcohol will be served at any of the performances.  
The proposal was approved on a non-precedent basis and an ad hoc committee was appointed to re-

view the success of the program and to set a precedent if necessary.  
A proposal to install covered wall panels in the MSC Gallery will be submitted to the enrichment board with the understanding that the arts committee explore alternate sources of funding. Jim Reynolds, director of the Memorial Student Center, suggested the MSC operating fund, the University Center budget, Texas A&M University and the Brazos Valley Arts Council as possible sources.  
In other business, the council approved speakers for the 28th Student Conference on National Affairs, which include officials of several Latin American countries. A Cepheid Variable speaker on parapsychology to be presented in conjunction with "Poltergeist" was tabled pending information on the speaker's qualifications.



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Bryan approves  
special ed plan

by Maureen Carmody  
Battalion Reporter  
The Bryan School Board approved the continuation of a five-year special education plan at its meeting Monday night.  
The program serves 925 students with learning disabilities in the district and is funded through the local budget and federal funds, said Sondra Cooke, special education administrator.  
"The main emphasis of the program is on mathematics and the language arts," Cooke said.  
The program provides special classes in mathematics and language arts for students with learning disabilities and for students with deficiencies in those subjects. The Bryan school district has 58 teachers, 19 aides and 10 helpers who teach the special education classes.  
There are certain requirements the student must fulfill before graduating, but the program only supports students up to 21 years old, she said.  
"If the child has not graduated

by the time he reaches 21, he is referred to other agencies," Cooke said, "perhaps to the Texas Rehabilitation Center or to some other resource."  
Cooke said Bryan has had five-year plans for the special education program for over ten years.  
Planning for this year's program started in July, but in order to continue the program, the board needed to approve it "as soon as possible," said board member Wesley K. Summers.  
The board also approved a request for \$186,250 for seven new school buses for the 1983-84 school year — one 19-passenger bus for special education students and six 71-passenger buses. The district has 73 buses now and will sell the older ones.  
The board also approved a recommendation for a textbook committee. Summers said the committee is set up to choose the books that will be used in the schools in the district. The committee will present recommendations on 19 subjects by March, he said.

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