

SPECIAL MEETING.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

FRIDAY, April 10, 1908.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, Friday evening, April 10, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock, in special session, President William J. Neukom in the chair, pursuant to the following call:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 10, 1908.

*To the President and Members of the Common Council:*

GENTLEMEN: You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of the Common Council held in the Council Chamber, in the City of Indianapolis, this Friday evening, April 10, 1908, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of considering and taking action upon the following ordinances:

Appropriation Ordinance No. 12, 1908, being "An ordinance providing for the appropriation of the sum of \$20,000 to and for the use of the Department of Public Works."

Appropriation Ordinance No. 13, 1908, being "An ordinance providing for the appropriation of the sum of \$40,000 to and for the use of the Board of Public Works."

I have the honor to remain,

Yours very truly,

C. A. BOOKWALTER,  
*Mayor.*

I, James McNulty, Clerk of the Common Council, do hereby certify that I have served the above and foregoing notice to each and every member of the Common Council, prior to the time of meeting, pursuant to the rules.

JAMES McNULTY,  
City Clerk.

The clerk called the roll:

Present: The Hon. William J. Neuköm, President of the Common Council, and 17 members, viz: Messrs. Cottey, Hamlet, Wood, Smither, Rhodes, Bangs, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Royse, Donavon, Sullivan, Hofmann, Hilkene, Wright and Henry.

Absent, 3, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Davis and Eppert.

Mr. Hilkene called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 13, 1908, for second reading. It was read a second time.

At this point Mr. Brown entered the Council Chamber and took his seat.

By Mr. Rhodes:

Motion to amend Appropriation Ordinance No. 13, 1908:  
Strike out the words "construction and" in the fifth line Section 1, as printed.

Motion carried.

Mr Hilkene moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 13, 1908, be ordered engrossed as amended, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 13, 1908, was read a third time and failed to pass by the following vote:

Ayes, 13, viz.: Messrs. Brown, Cottey, Hamlet, Smither, Rhodes, Uhl, Stickelman, Hartmann, Portteus, Sullivan, Hilkene, Wright and Henry.

Noes, 6, viz.: Messrs. Wood, Bangs, Royse, Donavon, Hofmann and President William J. Neukom.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By the Mayor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,  
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS.  
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., April 10, 1908.

To the President and Members of the Common Council:

GENTLEMEN: I am to-day in receipt of a letter from the Hon. W. E. Rohde, Mayor of the City of Tulsa, Oklahoma, informing me that on next Tuesday evening, at 7:45 o'clock, a special train on which over one hundred men representing the City of Tulsa, the Board of Education, and the Commercial Club of such city, will arrive in Indianapolis on a tour of inspection. Immediately upon receipt of this communication I referred the matter to the Board of Trade and to the Commercial Club, suggesting that a committee from such organizations be appointed to act in connection with a similar committee from the Common Council in the reception of our visitors. I am pleased to inform you that both the Commercial Club and the Board of Trade acted promptly in the matter, and arrangements are now under way to hold a reception in the rooms of the Board of Trade on Tuesday evening, immediately after the arrival of the visiting delegation. I would suggest that a special committee of five from the Common Council, of which committee the president should be chairman, be appointed to represent the City of Indianapolis at such reception. I am ready and willing to co-operate with you in any steps you may take looking towards the entertainment of our visitors.

I have the honor to remain,

Yours very truly,

C. A. BOOKWALTER,  
Mayor.

Mr. Royse moved that the chair be authorized to act on the communication. Carried.

On motion of Mr. Royse, the Common Council at 8:05 o'clock P. M., adjourned.

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President.

ATTEST:

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City Clerk.

