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OF THE

Common Council

OF THE

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

In Marion County, in the State of Indiana





SPECIAL MEETING

Monday, January 5, 1959, 6:00 P.M. CST

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, met in the Council Chamber in the City Hall, Monday, January 5th, 1959, at 6:00 P.M., CST., with Vice-President Wallace in the chair, subject to the following call:

SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA.

GENTLEMEN:

You are hereby notified that there will be a SPECIAL MEETING of the COMMON COUNCIL held in the Council Chamber on Monday, January 5, 1959 at 6:00 o'clock P.M., CST., the purpose of such SPECIAL MEETING being to elect a successor to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Councilman Christian J. Emhardt, effective December 31, 1958 and other acts connected therewith.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH C. WALLACE
Vice-President, Common Council

I, Teresa F. Laffey, Clerk of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, 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 such SPECIAL MEETING, pursuant to the rules.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto affixed my signature and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.

TERESA F. LAFFEY
City Clerk.

[SEAL]

Which was read.

Vice-President Wallace called the meeting to order.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, Vice-President Wallace.

The reading of the journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with on motion of Mr. Bright, seconded by Mrs. Francis.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

January 5, 1959

To the President and Members
of the Common Council of the
City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

I wish to advise that in accordance with the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused the following notice of Special Meeting to be inserted in the Indianapolis Star and the Indianapolis Times on Thursday, January 1, 1959.

Very truly yours,

TERESA F. LAFFEY
City Clerk

NOTICE TO CITIZENS OF INDIANAPOLIS OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of

Indianapolis, Indiana, will meet in Special Session at 6:00 o'clock P.M., CST., on Monday, January 5, 1959, in the Council Chambers in the City Hall, for the purpose of electing a member of the Common Council to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Councilman Christian J. Emhardt, effective December 31, 1958.

Witness my hand and official seal of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, this 30th day of December, 1958.

TERESA F. LAFFEY,
City Clerk, City of Indianapolis

Vice-President Wallace announced that the first order of business would be the election of a Member to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Councilman Christian J. Emhardt.

Mr. McGill presented the name of Mr. August C. Huber. The motion was seconded by Mr. McKinney.

Vice-President Wallace asked if there were any further nominations, receiving none, the Chair recognized Mr. Williamson, who moved that the nominations be closed. The motion was seconded by Mrs. Francis and passed by the unanimous vote of the Council.

On motion of Mr. McGill, seconded by Mrs. Francis, the Clerk was instructed to cast the unanimous vote of the Council for Mr. Huber, and to certify to Mr. Huber that he had been duly elected a Member of the Common Council to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Christian J. Emhardt.

On motion of Mr. Bright, seconded by Mrs. Francis, the Common Council adjourned at 6:25 P.M., CST.

We hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full true and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, held on the 5th day of January, 1959, at 6:00 P.M., CST.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our signatures and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.

Joseph C. Wallace

ATTEST:

Vice-President.

Teresa J. Kappay

(SEAL)

City Clerk

REGULAR MEETING

Monday, January 5th, 1959,

6:30 P.M., CST

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, met in the Council Chamber in the City Hall, Monday, January 5th, 1959, at 6:30 P.M., CST, in regular session.

Joseph C. Wallace in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, Mr. Wallace.

Mr. Wallace announced that the first order of business would be the election of officers for the year, 1959, and asked the City Clerk to act as temporary chairman of the meeting until the presiding officer for the year is elected.

The chairman asked for nominations for the office of President of the Council.

Mr. McKinney nominated Mr. Joseph C. Wallace to serve as President of the Council for the year, 1959.

Mrs. Francis seconded the nomination of Mr. Wallace.

Mr. Huber made a motion that the nominations be

closed and the Deputy Clerk be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot which was seconded by Mrs. Francis. Motion carried.

The Deputy Clerk cast the unanimous ballot.

Mr. Wallace was elected President of the Council for the year, 1959.

On invitation of Mrs. Laffey, the Chairman, Mr. Wallace took the chair.

President Wallace asked for nominations for the office of Vice-President.

Mr. McKinney nominated Mrs. Francis to serve as Vice-President of the Council for the year, 1959. The nomination of Mrs. Francis was seconded by Mr. McGill.

Mr. Williamson made a motion that the nominations be closed and the Clerk be instructed to cast a unanimous ballot. Mr. McKinney seconded the motion. Motion carried.

The Clerk cast the unanimous ballot.

Mrs. Francis was duly elected Vice-President of the Council.

President Wallace announced the appointment of the Standing Committees as selected for the year, 1959, as follows:

COMMON COUNCIL

STANDING COMMITTEES OF 1959

FINANCE COMMITTEE—Wm. H. Williamson, Chairman; R. Thomas McGill, Roscoe A. McKinney, Mary M. Francis, August C. Huber.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE—R. Thomas McGill, Chairman; Wm. H. Williamson, August C. Huber. Charles W. Applegate, Gladys C. Pohlmann.

PUBLIC SAFETY & AVIATION COMMITTEE—Roscoe A. McKinney, Chairman; R. Thomas McGill, Wm. H. Williamson, Joseph E. Bright, Gladys C. Pohlmann.

PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEE—Mary M. Francis, Chairman; August C. Huber, Joseph E. Bright, Charles W. Applegate, Wm. H. Williamson.

PARKS COMMITTEE—August C. Huber, Chairman; Roscoe A. McKinney, R. Thos. McGill, Gladys C. Pohlmann, Charles W. Applegate.

LAW & JUDICIARY COMMITTEE—Charles W. Applegate, Chairman; Joseph E. Bright, August C. Huber, R. Thos. McGill, Wm. H. Williamson.

CITY WELFARE COMMITTEE—Joseph E. Bright, Chairman; Charles W. Applegate, Roscoe A. McKinney, Mary M. Francis, August C. Huber.

ELECTION COMMITTEE—Gladys Pohlmann, Chairman; Joseph E. Bright, Mary M. Francis, Roscoe A. McKinney, R. Thomas McGill.

The reading of the Journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with on motion of Mr. Bright, seconded by Mrs. Francis.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

December 17, 1958

TO THE HONORABLE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE
COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to the City Clerk, Mrs. Teresa Laffey, the following Ordinances:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 41, 1958

An ordinance amending Appropriation Ordinance No. 21, 1958, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 113, 1958

An Ordinance authorizing the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, to purchase through its duly authorized Purchasing Agent, certain equipment to be paid for out of funds heretofore appropriated or available, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully yours,

PHILLIP L. BAYT
Mayor

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

January 5, 1959

To the Honorable President and Members of the
Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-eight copies of Appropriation Ordinance No. 1, 1959, appropriating the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00), to pay the cost of a program of street widening and improvement in said City.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH C. WALLACE
Councilman

January 5, 1959

To the Honorable President and Members of the
Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-eight copies of General Ordinance No. 1, 1959 establishing certain passenger and/or loading zones in the City of Indianapolis, for the use and occupancy of the following concerns:

Jack Ensley, Inc., 923 North Meridian Street
The Board of School Commissioners
150 North Meridian Street

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. McKINNEY
Councilman

January 5, 1959

To the Honorable President and Members of the
Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-eight copies of General Ordinance No. 2, 1959, authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of said City, designated "City of Indianapolis Street Improvement Bonds of 1959," including all matters pertaining thereto, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH C. WALLACE
Councilman

January 5, 1959

To the Honorable President and Members of the
Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-eight copies of General Ordinance No. 3, 1959, authorizing the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, to purchase through its duly authorized Purchasing Agent, certain equipment to be paid for out of funds heretofore appropriated or available, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect. This authorization is covered by Requisition No. 9525.

Respectfully submitted,

R. THOMAS MCGILL
Councilman

January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-eight copies of Special Ordinance No. 1, 1959, annexing certain contiguous territory of the City of Indianapolis.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. H. WILLIAMSON
Councilman

Mr. Bright asked for recess. The motion was seconded by Mr. McGill and the Council recessed at 6:50 P.M., CST.

At this time those present were given an opportunity to be heard on General Ordinances Nos. 109, 111, 112, 114, 115, 116, and 117, 1958, and Special Ordinances Nos. 24 and 25, 1958.

The Council reconvened at 7:05 P.M., CST, with the same members present as before.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Finance to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 119, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE establishing a rate for the adoption and use of any Department paying travel allowances to its employees for using their own automobiles in the prosecution of City routine work,

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

WM. H. WILLIAMSON, Chairman
R. THOMAS McGILL
R. A. McKINNEY
MARY M. FRANCIS
AUGUST C. HUBER

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Finance to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 24, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the sale of property located in the 300 block of Beville, by the Board of Public Safety

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

WM. H. WILLIAMSON, Chairman
R. THOMAS McGILL
R. A. McKINNEY
MARY M. FRANCIS
AUGUST C. HUBER

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Finance to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 25, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the sale of real estate owned by the Park Department located at Elder Avenue and West Washington Streets,

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be held for further consideration.

WM. H. WILLIAMSON, Chairman
R. THOMAS MCGILL
R. A. MCKINNEY
MARY M. FRANCIS
AUGUST C. HUBER

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Works to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 109, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code, Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-812 by the addition of sub-section 321 prohibiting parking, standing or stopping at all times on both sides of Olive Street from Lexington Ave. to English Ave.,

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

R. THOMAS MCGILL, Chairman
WM. H. WILLIAMSON
AUGUST C. HUBER
CHARLES W. APPLGATE
GLADYS C. POHLMANN

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Works to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 112, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE amending Title 4, Chapter 6, Section 4-602, sub-sections (35) and (40), of the Municipal Code making Michigan Street and New York Street one-way between certain points

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

R. THOMAS MCGILL, Chairman
 WM. H. WILLIAMSON
 AUGUST C. HUBER
 CHARLES W. APPLGATE
 GLADYS C. POHLMANN

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
 of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana.

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Safety to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 114, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the purchase of one Cab and chassis for use by the Traffic Engineer

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

R. A. MCKINNEY, Chairman
 R. THOMAS MCGILL
 WM. H. WILLIAMSON
 JOSEPH E. BRIGHT
 GLADYS C. POHLMANN

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
 of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Safety to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 117, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, General Ordinance No. 140, 1951, As Amended, and more particularly Title 5, Chapter 29, by the addition of sub-section 5-2911 requiring permit to burn buildings or structures, etc.

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed, as amended.

R. A. McKINNEY, Chairman
R. THOMAS McGILL
WILLIAM H. WILLIAMSON
JOSEPH E. BRIGHT
GLADYS C. POHLMANN

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 115, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE establishing a passenger and/or loading zone for the use and occupancy of the Romer Electric Company, 106 S. Meridian St.

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

WM. H. WILLIAMSON, Chairman
AUGUST C. HUBER
MARY M. FRANCIS
JOSEPH E. BRIGHT
CHARLES W. APPLGATE

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

To the President and Members of the Common Council
of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 116, 1958, entitled

AN ORDINANCE establishing a passenger and/or loading zone for the use and occupancy of Progress Laundry at 2139-41 N. Talbot St.

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration and recommend that the same be passed.

WM. H. WILLIAMSON, Chairman
AUGUST C. HUBER
MARY M. FRANCIS
JOSEPH E. BRIGHT
CHARLES W. APPLGATE

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES

By Councilman Wallace:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 1, 1959

AN ORDINANCE of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, appropriating the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) to pay the cost of a program of street widening and improvement in said City.

WHEREAS, the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, has found and determined that it would be for the best interests of said City and its citizens to provide a street widening and improvement program, and has further determined and estimated the cost of such improvement, including incidental and preliminary expenses necessarily incurred in connection therewith, including the issuance of bonds on account thereof will be in the approximate sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00), and

WHEREAS, said Board of Public Works adopted a resolution December 11, 1958, Miscellaneous Resolution No. 611, requesting an appropriation in the amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) for said purpose, which request has been approved by the City Controller with the recommendation that the funds necessary to cover such appropriation be obtained by the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds of the City, and

WHEREAS, this Council now finds that the City has no funds avail-

able or provided for in the existing budget and tax levy which may be applied upon said street improvement program, therefore making it necessary to authorize the issuance of bonds of the City in order to provide such funds, and that an extraordinary emergency exists for the making of the additional appropriation hereinafter set forth:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA:

Section 1. That the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00), be, and the same is, hereby appropriated out of the proceeds from the bonds heretofore authorized to be issued and sold by the Common Council and designated as "City of Indianapolis Street Improvement Bonds of 1959," for the use of the Board of Public Works of the Department of Public Works of said City to pay the cost of the program for street widening and improvement as called for the Board of Works Miscellaneous Resolution No. 611, December 11, 1958, together with the preliminary and incidental expenses necessarily incurred in connection therewith, including the issuance of bonds on account thereof. Said funds are hereby appropriated to the following special fund to be known and designated as "Street Improvement Bond Fund of 1959," for the uses and purposes hereinabove set forth. Any surplus proceeds shall be credited to the Sinking Fund as provided by law.

Section 2. Immediately upon the final passage and approval of this ordinance and determination, the City Clerk and the City Controller shall deliver two certified copies thereof to the Auditor of Marion County, Indiana, with a request that a copy thereof be certified and transmitted by said Auditor to the State Board of Tax Commissioners for further action thereon as provided by law.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, signing by the Mayor and publication as provided by law.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By Councilman McKinney:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 1, 1959

AN ORDINANCE establishing certain passenger and/or loading zones in the City of Indianapolis, pursuant to the provisions of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, General Ordinance No. 140, 1951, as Amended, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA:

Section 1. That for the purpose of providing the owners or occupants of certain premises fronting on certain public streets in the City of Indianapolis, with ingress and egress for passengers, materials and merchandise coming to or going from such premises, such owners or occupants having complied with the provisions of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, General Ordinance No. 140, 1951, as Amended, Section 4-1001, and the Board of Public Safety, after due investigation, having recommended the establishment of the same, the following passenger and/or loading zones be and the same are, hereby established in the City of Indianapolis, to-wit:

- (a) Beginning at a point 30' west of the west curb line of Meridian Street and extending 50 ft. west, on the south side of Ohio Street for the use and occupancy of The Board of School Commissioners, 150 North Meridian Street.
- (b) Beginning at a point 13 feet south of the south property line of Sahn Street and extending 50 ft. south on the east side of Meridian Street for the use and occupancy of Jack Ensley, Inc., 923 North Meridian Street.

Section 2. That said loading zones are hereby declared to be subject to all existing traffic and parking regulations, and to any later ordinances and regulations as may be applicable.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from

and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Councilman Wallace:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 1959

AN ORDINANCE of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of said City, designated "City of Indianapolis Street Improvement Bonds of 1959," including all matters pertaining thereto, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of December, 1958, the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis adopted Miscellaneous Resolution No. 611, 1958, duly spread of record on the minute book of said Board, providing for widening and improvement of the street systems in the City of Indianapolis, as more particularly described in said Resolution, and providing that the necessary procedure under the law be carried out to acquire funds in the amount of \$2,000,000.00, the same being the City Civil Engineer's estimate of the cost of construction of such street widening and improvement program in 1959.

WHEREAS, there has heretofore been filed with the Common Council, petitions purporting to bear the signatures of more than fifty (50) persons owning taxable real estate in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, requesting the Council to authorize the issuance of bonds of the City of Indianapolis in the amount not exceeding a sum of \$2,000,000.00, to provide funds for the completion of the widening and improvement of street systems, as more specifically set out hereinafter in this Ordinance.

WHEREAS, there exists at the present time an acute, grave, and extreme emergency in that due to the antiquated, inadequate, narrow, blocked, and dead-end streets, and the lack of through and crosstown street systems, a situation exists whereby vehicular traffic is impeded and piled up, necessitating the opening of dead-

end streets, the construction of pass-overs and turn-arounds, and generally to create city-wide through and cross street systems, and constructing the same is the only proper method whereby the safety and the mobility of the citizens and vehicles using the City streets of Indianapolis can be protected and expedited, and

WHEREAS, it is by the Common Council deemed necessary and proper that such condition be remedied as quickly as possible, and that the recommendation of the City Civil Engineer for the relief of said condition by the construction of new street systems, as provided in the Barton Engineering Survey of City traffic problems, and otherwise adopted by said Board of Public Works in said Miscellaneous Resolution No. 611, 1958, should be carried into effect as soon as possible by the carrying out of said street construction program, the estimated cost of which is Two Million (\$2,000,000.00), as shown by said Resolution and said City Civil Engineer's estimate, and

WHEREAS, it will be necessary for the City of Indianapolis to borrow the sum of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) in order to secure a fund for the purpose herein set out, and to issue its bonds for said amount as evidence of its obligations, to be repaid from levies of taxes therefor as may now or hereafter be provided by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA:

Section 1. That there be issued and sold, for the purpose of obtaining funds with which to construct the street widening and improvement program, as described in Miscellaneous Resolution No. 611, 1958, of the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, two thousand direct negotiable general obligation bonds of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in the denomination of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) each, numbered from one (1) to two thousand (2,000), both inclusive and designated as "City of Indianapolis Street Improvement Bonds of 1959." All of such bonds shall be dated as of the first day of the month in which said bonds are sold. Said bonds shall mature and be paid as follows: 100 bonds on July 1, 1960, and 100 bonds on each first day of July thereafter, to and including July, 1979.

Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding four per

cent (4%) per annum, the exact rate to be determined by bidding as hereinafter more particularly provided. The first interest shall be payable on July 1, 1960. Thereafter, the interest on said bonds shall be payable semi-annually on the first day of January and the first day of July of each year for the period of said bonds. Said installments of interest shall be evidenced by interest coupons attached to said bonds.

Section 2. Said bonds and the interest coupons attached thereto shall be payable at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis in said City and State, in lawful money of the United States of America. Said bonds shall be signed in the name of the City of Indianapolis, by the Mayor of said City, countersigned by the City Controller of said City, and attested by the City Clerk, who shall affix the seal of said City to each of such bonds. The interest coupons attached to said bonds shall be executed by placing thereon the facsimile signatures of the said Mayor and the said City Controller, who by the signing of said bonds, shall adopt as and for their own proper signatures their facsimile signatures appearing on said coupons. Said bonds shall, in the hands of the bona fide owners, have all the qualities of negotiable instruments under the law merchant.

Section 3. The form and tenor of said bonds and the interest coupons to be attached thereto shall be substantially as follows: (all blanks to be filled in properly prior to delivery); to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF INDIANA
No.-----

COUNTY OF MARION
\$1,000.00

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS OF 1959

The City of Indianapolis, in Marion County, State of Indiana, for value received, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to the bearer the principal amount of

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

on the first day of July, 19----, and to pay interest thereon

from the date hereof until the principal is paid, at the rate of ----- per cent (----%) per annum, payable on July 1, 1960, and semi-annually thereafter on the first days of January and July in each year, which interest to maturity is evidenced by and payable upon presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons as they severally become due.

Both principal and interest of this bond are payable at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis in said City, in lawful money of the United States of America.

This bond is one of an issue aggregating Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00), numbered from 1 to 2,000, inclusive, of like denomination, date, tenor and effect as this bond, except as to date of maturity issued by the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, pursuant to an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of said City, designated 'City of Indianapolis Street Improvement Bonds of 1959,' including all matters pertaining thereto; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect," duly adopted by the Common Council of said City on the-----day of-----, 1959, and in compliance with an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled, "An Act concerning municipal corporations," approved March 6, 1905, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, for the purpose of providing funds for the construction, improvement and widening of street systems in Indianapolis, under the Board of Public Works Miscellaneous Resolution No. 611, 1958.

It is hereby certified that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the execution, issuance and delivery of this bond have been done and performed in regular and due form, as provided by law, and that this bond and said total issue of bonds are within every limit of indebtedness prescribed by the constitution and laws of the State of Indiana. The full faith and credit of the City of Indianapolis are hereby irrevocably pledged to punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond according to its terms.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City of Indianapolis, in Marion County, State of Indiana, has caused this bond to be signed in its corporate name by its Mayor, countersigned by its City Controller, its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by its City Clerk, and the interest coupons hereto attached to be executed by placing

thereon the facsimile signatures of said Mayor and said City Controller, as of the-----day of-----, 1959.

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

By -----
Its duly qualified Acting Mayor

(SEAL)

Countersigned:

Attest:-----
City Clerk

Countersigned:

By -----
Its duly qualified Acting City Controller

FORM OF INTEREST COUPON

No.----- \$-----

On the-----day of-----, 19----, the City of Indianapolis, in Marion County, Indiana, will pay to bearer, at the office of the City Treasurer in said City, -----Dollars, being the interest due on said date on its "Street Improvement Bonds of 1959."

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

By -----
Its duly qualified Acting Mayor
(Facsimile)

By -----
Its duly qualified Acting City Controller
(Facsimile)

Section 4. The Street Improvement program provided for herein shall include the following specific projects:

No. 1. Russell J. Dean Memorial Expressway, Alignment: Connection with Harding and Koehne Streets at Washington Street with underpass in Koehne Street, and C.C.C. & St. L. and B. & O. Railroad

tracks, continuing northerly along Koehne Street with widened Right-of-Way on right side to its intersection with present White River Parkway West Drive at Vermont Street, continuing northerly along and with White River Parkway West Drive at its intersection with West Tenth Street; thence in a northerly direction on a curve to the left (eliminating a very sharp curve now existing in the present Parkway Drive) to its intersection again with said Parkway Drive; thence westerly along and with said Parkway Drive to the State Highway's connection to Pershing Street, north of Fourteenth Street.

The design calls for two (2) thirty-six (36) ft. roadways with curbs, divided by a fifteen (15) ft. median strip in the center.

This will be a limited access Expressway with connections only with New York, Michigan and Tenth Streets.

Approx. cost -----\$1,000,000.00

No. 2. Construction of Half-Clover-Leaf Turnaround at Tibbs Ave. and West Washington Street, concrete roadway and curbs to reduce the left turning movements which cause serious congestion for vehicles and bus traffic.

Plans on file. Approx. cost-----\$35,000.00

No. 3. Oliver-McCarty-English System (Barton Design). Extending Oliver Avenue from Warman Avenue to Kentucky Avenue and Sand Street, south in Sand Street to McCarty Street, east in McCarty Street to Virginia Avenue and Cedar Street, northeasterly in Cedar Street to English Avenue, east in English Avenue to Southeastern Ave.

Pavement and intersections approach widening.

Plans on file. Approx. cost -----\$400,000.00

No. 4. 16th-Nowland-Brookside System (Barton Design). Extending Sixteenth Street from Northwestern Avenue to Roosevelt Ave. and Commerce Street, south in Commerce Street to Nowland Street, and east in Nowland Street and Brookside Parkway to Sixteenth Street, east in Sixteenth Street to Sherman Drive.

Intersections and roadway widening, easing of curves, and providing new street connections.

Approx. cost -----\$270,108.00

No. 5. Reconstruction of South College Avenue from Washington Street to approximately 200 ft. south of Maryland Street, with street and driveway connections.

The purpose is to provide adequate clearance for transport trucks under grade separation of Pennsylvania and B. & O. Railroad tracks south of Washington Street, in connection with one-way College-Central System.

Approx. cost -----\$45,000.00

No. 6. Reconstruction of 52nd Street from approximately 150 ft. east of Carvel Avenue to College Avenue, including jog elimination at railroad between Carvel and College Avenues.

Proposed improvement to provide new 40 ft. concrete roadway with curbs and sidewalk both sides to connect with new concrete roadway in Fifty-second Street, that Sanitary Commission will construct due to sewer installation eastward from Carvel Avenue.

Approx. cost -----\$130,000.00

No. 7. Fountain Square: Resurface and removal of failed pavement with bituminous concrete within intersection of Virginia Avenue, Shelby and Prospect Streets.

Approx. cost -----\$5,800.00

No. 8. Indiana Avenue: Michigan Street to Ohio Street. Resurface and removal of failed pavement with bituminous concrete between existing curbs.

Approx. cost -----\$26,000.00

Should any one of the foregoing projects be infeasible or abandoned, the proceeds allocated for such project may be used for the extension or enlargement of any of the other projects listed in this Petition.

Section 5. As soon as may be done after the passage of this Ordinance, the City Clerk shall give notice of the filing of the Peti-

tion for and determination to issue bonds. Said notice shall be published once each week for two (2) consecutive weeks in two (2) newspapers of opposite political parties, published in the City of Indianapolis, and said notice shall also be posted in three (3) public places in the City, as provided by Chapter 119 of the Acts of 1937, and Section 64-1332 of Burns' Indiana Statutes Annotated, 1933.

Section 6. Said bonds shall be offered for sale by the City Controller as soon as may be done after the passage of this Ordinance, and after the expiration of the time in which objections, if any, to the issuance of said bonds may be filed by ten (10) or more taxpayers within the time and manner provided by law. Prior to the sale of any of said bonds, the City Controller shall cause to be published a notice of the sale of said bonds, once each week for two (2) consecutive weeks in two (2) local newspapers. The date fixed for the sale of said bonds shall be not earlier than seven (7) days after the last of said publications. Said bond sale notice shall state the time and place of sale, the purpose for which the bonds are issued, the amount thereof, the maximum rate of interest thereon, the time of payment, and the terms and conditions upon which bids will be received and the sale made, and such other information as the City Controller deems necessary.

Among other things, such notice shall advise the bidders that all bids for said bonds shall be filed with the City Controller in his office in said City, in sealed envelopes marked "Bid for City of Indianapolis Street Improvement Bonds of 1959"; that each shall be accompanied by a certified check or a cashier's check, payable to the "City of Indianapolis", in the amount of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.00), to guarantee the good faith of the bidder, and that in the event the bidder to whom the bonds are awarded shall fail or refuse to comply with the provisions of its bid, then said check and the proceeds thereof shall be and become the property of the City of Indianapolis, and shall be taken and considered as liquidated damages of the City on account of such failure, or refusal. Said notice shall also provide that the bidders for said bonds shall be required to name the rate of interest which said bonds are to bear, not exceeding the maximum rate herein provided, and that such interest rate must be in multiples of one-eighth ($\frac{1}{8}$) of one per cent (1%), and not more than one interest rate shall be named by each bidder; that the City Controller will award said bonds to the highest qualified bidder who has submitted his bid in accordance with the notice of sale, and that the highest bidder shall be the one who offers the

lowest net interest cost to the City, determined by computing the total interest on all bonds to their maturities and deducting therefrom the premium bid, if any.

Section 7. No bid for less than the par value of said bonds, including the accrued interest from the date of said bonds to the date of delivery whereof, at the rate named in the bid, shall be considered. The City Controller shall have the right to reject any and all bids. In the event the City Controller shall receive no satisfactory bid for said bonds at the time fixed in said notice of sale, he shall be authorized to continue to receive bids thereafter from day to day until a satisfactory bid has been received, and in the event of the continuance of sale the City Controller shall open all bids filed at the same hour each day as stated in the bond sale notice.

Section 8. The City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to have said bonds and coupons prepared, and the Mayor, City Controller and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds and the interest coupons to be attached thereto in the form and manner herein provided, and the City Controller shall, after the execution of said bonds, deliver the same to the City Treasurer. The Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to deliver said bonds to the purchaser thereof, upon receipt from the purchaser of the amount bid for said bonds as certified to the Treasurer by the City Controller.

Section 9. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Councilman McGill:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 3, 1959

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis to purchase through its duly authorized Purchasing Agent, certain equipment to be paid for out of funds heretofore appropriated or available, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA:

Section 1. That the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis be and the same is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, through its duly authorized Purchasing Agent, the hereinafter designated equipment to be used by the department as indicated. The said equipment is to be purchased from the lowest and best bidder, or bidders, whose bids have been received and opened in public by said Board after advertisement therefor, as provided by law, and the total cost of said equipment shall not exceed the sum of money heretofore appropriated or available for the use of said Board.

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Req. No. 9525—Wrecking and Demolition of property at
130-140 N. Alabama Street and 230-254
East Wabash Street -----\$4,250.00

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL ORDINANCES

By Councilman Williamson:

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 1, 1959

AN ORDINANCE annexing certain contiguous territory of the City of Indianapolis, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA:

Section 1. That the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, be and the same is hereby extended so as to include the following described territory, which is hereby annexed to and made a part of the territory consti-

tuting the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and described as follows, to-wit:

A part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 22, Township 15 North, Range 3 East, and a part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 22, Township 15 North, Range 3 East, Marion County, Indiana, more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of said Section 22, Township 16 North, Range 3 East, said point being also the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 22, Township 15 North, Range 3 East; running thence East on and along the South line of the said Southeast Quarter Section a distance of 268.07 feet to a point; running thence North and parallel to the West line of the Southeast Quarter of said Section 22 a distance of 1845.0 feet, more or less, to the South bank of White River, as said River is now located and established; thence in a westerly direction, a southwesterly direction and a southerly direction and following the meanderings of the South bank and the East bank of said White River to the point of the intersection of the East bank of said White River with the South line of the aforesaid Southwest Quarter Section; thence in an eastward direction and on the South line of the said Southwest Quarter Section a distance of 320.0 feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor and publication according to law.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Williamson called for General Ordinance No. 119, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, seconded by Mr. McGill, General Ordinance No. 119, 1958, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 119, 1958, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

Mr. Williamson called for Special Ordinance No. 24, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, seconded by Mr. McGill, Special Ordinance No. 24, 1958, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Special Ordinance No. 24, 1958, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

Mr. McGill called for General Ordinance No. 109, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. McGill, seconded by Mrs. Francis, General Ordinance No. 109, 1958, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 109, 1958, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

Mr. McGill called for General Ordinance No. 112, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. McGill, seconded by Mrs. Francis, General Ordinance No. 112, 1958, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 112, 1958, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

Mr. McKinney called for General Ordinance No. 114, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. McKinney, seconded by Mrs. Francis, General Ordinance No. 114, 1958, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 114, 1958, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

Mr. McKinney called for General Ordinance No. 117, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. McKinney presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 117, 1958, to-wit:

Indianapolis, Ind., January 5, 1959

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 117, 1958 be amended by striking out the last two lines in the first paragraph, and by striking out all of the first paragraph of Section 5-2911, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

BURNING OF STRUCTURES PROHIBITED: No person shall set fire to or burn, or cause the setting of fire to or the burning, or aid, counsel or procure the setting of fire to or the burning of any dwelling house, rooming house, apartment house, hotel, shop, barn, stable garage, or any other building structure or outhouse whether finished or unfinished, occupied or unoccupied, and whether owned by him or another, within the City of Indianapolis.

PENALTIES: Any person or persons violating this section will be subject to a maximum fine of \$300.00, three hundred dollars and six months in jail.

ROSCOE A. MCKINNEY, Councilman

Which was seconded by Mrs. Francis and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis,

Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

On motion of Mr. McKinney, seconded by Mrs. Francis, General Ordinance No. 117, 1958, As Amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 117, 1958, As Amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

Mr. Williamson called for General Ordinance No. 115, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, seconded by Mrs. Francis, General Ordinance No. 115, 1958, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 115, 1958, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

Mr. Willimson called for General Ordinance No. 116, 1958, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Williamson, seconded by Mrs. Francis, General Ordinance No. 116, 1958, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 116, 1958, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Applegate, Mr. Bright, Mrs. Francis, Mr. Huber, Mr. McGill, Mr. McKinney, Mrs. Pohlmann, Mr. Williamson, President Wallace.

On motion of Mr. Bright, seconded by Mrs. Francis, the Common Council adjourned at 7:35 P.M., CST.

We hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, held on the 5th day of January, 1959, at 6:30 P.M., CST.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our signatures and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.

Joseph C. Wallace

ATTEST:

President.

Teresa J. Kappay

(SEAL)

City Clerk