

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

Common Council

OF THE

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

In Marion County, in the State of Indiana

REGULAR MEETING

Monday, January 21, 1929, 7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber Monday, January 21, 1929, following a public hearing at 7:00 by the Committees on Parks and Welfare, on Special Ordinances 1 and 2, 1929. Vice-President Robert E. Springsteen took the chair.

The Clerk called the roll:

Present: Robert E. Springsteen, Vice-President, and seven members, viz: Earl Buchanan, Edward W. Harris,

Herman P. Lieber, Albert F. Meurer, Meredith Nicholson,
Paul E. Rathert, John F. White.

Absent: Edward B. Raub.

On motion of Mr. Harris, seconded by Mr. Rathert, the reading of the Journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

January 8, 1929.

*Mr. President and Members of the Common Council of the
City of Indianapolis:*

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to William A. Boyce, Jr., City Clerk, the following ordinances:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 1, 1929

AN ORDINANCE, authorizing the City Controller of the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan, or loans, in the sum of six hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$650,000.00) in anticipation of current revenues of such city actually levied and in course of collection for the fiscal year in which the loan or loans are made, and payable out of the current revenues of said city for the year 1929, authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor, providing for legal notice, appropriating the sum of six hundred sixty-two thousand dollars (\$662,000.00) for the payment of the bonds and interest thereon, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 1929

AN ORDINANCE, authorizing the city of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the sum of one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000.00) for the use of the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in anticipation of its current revenues, and payable out of the current revenues of said Board of Health for the year 1929, authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor, pro-

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viding for legal notice, and fixing the time when the same shall take effect.

Very truly yours,

L. ERT SLACK,

Mayor.

Mr. President and Members of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis:

January 14, 1929.

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to William A. Boyce, Jr., City Clerk, the following resolution:

RESOLUTION NO. 1, 1929

relating to the acquirement, improvement, equipment, management, operation and maintenance of an aviation field as a municipal airport for the City of Indianapolis.

Very truly yours,

L. ERT SLACK,

Mayor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

January 21, 1929

To the Honorable President and Members of the Common Council of Indianapolis:

Gentlemen:

Attached hereto are fourteen copies of an ordinance amending Section 28 of the General Zoning Ordinance. The purpose of this ordinance is to clarify the language used in this section and to reduce the penalty provided for violation of the ordinance.

The City Plan Commission respectfully recommends the passage of this ordinance.

Very truly yours,

H. B. STEEG,
Secretary, City Plan Commission.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., January 21, 1929.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Welfare, to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 2, 1929, entitled Annexation of Territory, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

EARL BUCHANAN, Chairman.
E. W. HARRIS,
MEREDITH NICHOLSON,
ALBERT MEURER,
HERMAN P. LIEBER.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By City Plan Commission:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 5, 1929

AN ORDINANCE to amend General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance.

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

Section 1. That Section 28 of General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 28. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION. Any person or corporation who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance or fail to comply therewith, or with any of the requirements thereof, or who shall build or alter any building in violation of any detailed statement or plan submitted and approved thereunder, shall for each and every violation or noncompliance be guilty of an offense, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00) and each day such violation shall be permitted to exist shall constitute a separate offense. The owner or owners of any building, or any premises or part thereof, where anything in violation of this ordinance shall exist, and any architect, builder, contractor, agent, person or corporation employed in connection therewith and who may have assisted in the commission of any such violation with knowledge thereof, shall each be guilty of a separate offense and upon conviction thereof shall be fined as herein provided. Any building erected, raised, remodelled or converted, or land or premises used in violation of any provision of this ordinance, or of the requirements thereof, is hereby declared to be a common nuisance and such common nuisance may be abated in such manner as nuisances are now, or may hereafter be abated under existing law. All the provisions of this ordinance, or orders of the Board of Zoning Appeals, may be enforced by injunction or other proceedings according to law.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force after passage and publication according to law.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Public Welfare.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Buchanan called for Special Ordinance 2, 1929, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Buchanan, seconded by Mr. Rathert, Special Ordinance 2, 1929, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Special Ordinance 2, 1929, was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Harris, Mr. Lieber, Mr. Meurer, Mr. Nicholson, Mr. Rathert, Mr. White, Vice-President Springsteen.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Mr. Lieber announced that the Committee on Parks would make their report on Special Ordinance 1, 1929, at the next meeting of the Council.

Mr. Nicholson announced that the Committee on Law and Judiciary was not ready to report on General Ordinance 4, 1929.

Mr. Springsteen announced that the Committee on Public Safety was not ready to report on General Ordinance 3, 1929 .

Mr. Harris announced that the Committee on Finance wished more time before reporting on Appropriation Ordinance 1, 1929.

On motion of Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Meurer, the Common Council adjourned at 9 o'clock P. M.

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, Indiana, held on Monday, January 21st, 1929, at 7:30 P. M.

In witness whereof we have hereunto subscribed our signatures and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.

Edward B. Raub,

President.

Attest:

William A. Boyce,

City Clerk.

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