

SPECIAL MEETING.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, IND.,

SATURDAY, May 22, 1915.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, Saturday evening, May 22, 1915, at 6:30 o'clock in special session, President Thomas C. Lee in the chair, pursuant to the following call:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 22, 1915.

To the Members of the Common Council, of the City of Indianapolis, Ind.:

GENTLEMEN—You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of the Common Council held in the Council Chamber on Saturday evening, May 22, 1915, at 6:30 o'clock, for the purpose of receiving communications from the City Controller, and the introduction, consideration and final action on an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance fixing the salaries and compensation of certain officers and employes of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and creating certain positions of employment in the government of said City, fixing the salaries and compensation thereof, and appropriating the money necessary to pay such salaries for the remainder of the year 1915;" also for receiving reports from standing committees and for consideration and final action on Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1915, and General Ordinance No. 15, 1915; No. 21, 1915; No. 22, 1915, and No. 25, 1915.

Very truly yours,
THOMAS C. LEE,
President.

I, Thomas A. Riley, 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.

THOMAS A. RILEY,
City Clerk.

Which was read.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: The Hon. Thomas C. Lee, President of the Common Council, and 8 members, viz.: Messrs. Barry, Young, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Connor, Graham and Shea.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

From City Controller :

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 22, 1915.

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

GENTLEMEN—I hand you herewith letters from the Department of Public Works and Public Safety, requesting a readjustment of certain salaries and additional appropriations aggregating \$3,435 to cover the same. I recommend the changes and the appropriations, and inclose ordinance providing for them.

Respectfully submitted,

J. P. DUNN,
City Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 21, 1915.

Mr. J. P. Dunn, City Controller, Indianapolis, Ind.:

DEAR SIR—We respectfully request that you recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance providing for the compensation of city employes under the Department of Public Works at the following rates:

City Civil Engineer, \$3,500 per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Superintendent of Street Cleaning Department, \$2,100 per annum, payable semi-monthly.

First and Second Assistant Street Commissioners, \$1,800 each per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Custodian of Tomlinson Hall, \$960 per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Foreman of Sewer Gang, \$840 per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Sewer Gang Employes, \$720 each per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Municipal Garage Mechanician, \$1,200 per annum, payable semi-monthly.

First and Second Assistant Municipal Garage Mechanicians, \$960 each per annum, payable semi-monthly.

Stablemen, Street Cleaning Department, \$720 each per annum, payable semi-monthly.

J. A. RINK,
HUBERT S. RILEY,
GEO. B. GASTON,
Board of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 21, 1915.

Jacob P. Dunn, City Controller, City Hall, City:

DEAR SIR—It has been recommended to the Common Council that the salaries of the Engineers and Janitors in the East Market House be increased. These increases will make it necessary to have additional funds to the amount of four hundred ninety dollars (\$490) to cover such salaries.

We therefore ask that you address a letter to the Common Council requesting an additional appropriation of four hundred ninety dollars (\$490) to the salaries fund of the East Market.

Yours truly,
ALBERT GALL,
ANDREW H. WAHL,
ROBERT METZGER,
Board of Public Safety.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 22, 1915.

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

GENTLEMEN—We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1915, entitled, "An ordinance appropriating \$300 to the Department of Public Safety for special patrolmen and fixing the time when the same shall take effect," beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

Respectfully,
JOHN F. CONNOR,
FRANK GRAHAM,
EDWARD R. MILLER,
W. T. YOUNG,
MICHAEL J. SHEA.

Mr. Connor moved that the report of the Committee be concurred in. Carried.

From the Committee on Finance:

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 22, 1915.

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

GENTLEMEN—We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 22, 1915, entitled, "An ordinance authorizing the sale of ten (10) bonds of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) each of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, payable from the general revenues and funds of said city, or from the Sinking Fund of said city, or as may be required by law, for the purpose of procuring money to be used in the erection of engine houses and work thereunto appertaining, and providing for the time and manner of advertising, sale of bonds and the receipt of bids for the same, together with the mode and terms of sale, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect," beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. CONNOR,
EDWARD MCGUFF,
MICHAEL J. SHEA,

Mr. Connor moved that the report of the Committee be concurred in. Carried.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

By City Controller:

General Ordinance No. 27, 1915: An Ordinance fixing the salaries and compensation of certain officers and employees of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and creating certain positions of employment in the government of said city, fixing the salaries and compensation thereof, and appropriating the money necessary to pay such salaries for the remainder of the year 1915.

Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, That:

SECTION 1. The salary of the City Civil Engineer is hereby increased to the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) a year, and hereafter the salary of the City Civil Engineer shall be three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) per annum, payable semi-monthly.

SECTION 2. The salary of the Superintendent of Street Cleaning Depart-

ment shall be twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum, payable semi-monthly.

SECTION 3. The salaries of the First and Second Assistant Street Commissioners shall be one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum each, payable semi-monthly.

SECTION 4. The salary of the Custodian of Tomlinson Hall shall be nine hundred sixty dollars (\$960) per annum, payable semi-monthly. The salaries of the Engineers at the Market House shall be nine hundred dollars (\$900) each per annum, payable semi-monthly. The salaries of the Janitors at the Market House shall be seven hundred twenty dollars (\$720) each per annum, payable semi-monthly. The salary of the Foreman of the sewer gang shall be eight hundred forty dollars (\$840) per annum, payable semi-monthly. The salaries of other members of the sewer gang shall be seven hundred twenty dollars (\$720) each per annum, payable semi-monthly. The salaries of the stablemen in the Street Cleaning Department shall be seven hundred twenty dollars (\$720) each per annum, payable semi-monthly.

SECTION 5. There is hereby created the position of Municipal Garage Mechanician, who shall be appointed by the Board of Public Works. It shall be his duty, under the orders of said Board of Public Works, to have general charge and supervision of all automobiles owned and operated by the city, and to keep the same in repair and good condition, and perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the board. His salary shall be twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum, payable semi-monthly.

SECTION 6. There is hereby created two positions of First and Second Assistant Municipal Garage Mechanicians, to be appointed by the Board of Public Works, to perform such duties as may be prescribed by such board. The salary of such assistants shall be nine hundred sixty dollars (\$960) each per annum, payable semi-monthly.

SECTION 7. For the purpose of paying the additional salaries hereinbefore provided, there is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works the following additional sums: For Tomlinson Hall Janitors, seventy dollars (\$70); for City Civil Engineer, corps and office, nine hundred thirty-five dollars (\$935); for salaries in municipal garage, one thousand nine hundred forty dollars (\$1,940); and there is appropriated to the Department of Public Safety for East Market salaries, four hundred ninety dollars (\$490).

SECTION 8. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, and within the purview hereof, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 9. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Barry moved that the rules be suspended and General Ordinance No. 27, 1915, be placed upon its passage.

The roll was called and the motion to suspend the rules was lost for want of a unanimous vote, as follows:

Ayes, 8, viz.: Messrs. Barry, Young, McGuff, Porter, Connor, Graham, Shea and President Thomas C. Lee.

Noes, 1, viz.: Mr. Miller.

General Ordinance No. 27, 1915, was thereupon referred to the Committee on Finance.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

Mr. Connor called for General Ordinance No. 22, 1915, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Connor moved that General Ordinance No. 22, 1915, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 22, 1915, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 7, viz.: Messrs. Barry, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Connor, Shea and President Thomas C. Lee.

Noes, 2, viz.: Messrs. Young and Graham.

Mr. Connor called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1915, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Connor moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1915, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1915, was read a third time and passed by the following vote :

Ayes, 9, viz. : Messrs. Barry, Young, McGuff, Miller, Porter, Connor, Graham, Shea and President Thomas C. Lee.

On motion of Mr. Graham the Common Council, at 7:40 o'clock P. M., adjourned.

Thomas C. Lee
President.

ATTEST :

Thomas A. Riley
City Clerk.

