

REGULAR MEETING

Monday, May 16, 1932.

7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at City Hall, Monday, May 16, 1932, following a public hearing on General Ordinance No. 44, 1932. President Ernest C. Ropkey in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Ernest C. Ropkey, President, and seven members, viz: Fred C. Gardner, C. A. Hildebrand, James A. Houck, Chas. C. Morgan, Maurice E. Tennant, Leo F. Welch, Clarence I. Wheatley.

Absent: George A. Henry.

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

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR

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

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature, and delivered to Henry O. Goett, City Clerk, the following ordinance:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 45, 1932

AN ORDINANCE ratifying and confirming certain acts of the City Controller, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Yours very truly,

R. H. SULLIVAN,
Mayor.

RHS:M.

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

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature, and delivered to Mr. Henry O. Goett, City Clerk, the following ordinances:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 33, 1932

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain numbered funds and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 35, 1932

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 44 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended by General Ordinance No. 31, 1931, General Ordinance No. 81, 1931, and General Ordinance No. 21, 1932, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Yours very truly,

R. H. SULLIVAN,
Mayor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

May 11, 1932.

Mr. Henry O. Goett,
City Clerk,

37 S. Alabama St.,
City.

My Dear Mr. Goett:

At the request of some friends I am presenting copies of an ordinance which I am requesting that you present to the City Council at their next meeting.

Respectfully yours,

LEO F. WELCH

May 16, 1932.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of General Ordinance No. 47, 1932, transferring moneys from certain funds and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this general ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER,
City Controller.

Mr. Wheatley asked for a recess. The motion was made and seconded by Mr. Welch, and the Council recessed at 7:45 P. M.

The Council reconvened from its recess at 8:15 P. M. with the same members present as before.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 24, 1932, entitled Regulating retail sale and distribution of Coal and Coke, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be stricken from the files.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER,
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 34, 1932, entitled Amending Section 655 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925—Watchman at Harding and Pennsyl-

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

MAURICE E. TENNANT, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
C. I. WHEATLEY.
F. C. GARDNER,
CHAS. C. MORGAN.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 37, 1932, entitled Amending Section 4 of Article III of General Ordinance 48, 1931—Public Health, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

LEO F. WELCH, Chairman.
CHAS. C. MORGAN.
J. A. HOUCK.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 39, 1932, entitled Authorization to purchase Ambulance, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER,
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 40, 1932, entitled Authorization to purchase Coal—City Hospital, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
LEO F. WELCH.
FRED C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 43, 1932, entitled Transfer of Funds—Police Department, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 41, 1932, entitled Amending Section 34 of Article VI of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928—Angle Parking at Market,

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

MAURICE E. TENNANT, Chairman.
FRED C. GARDNER.
LEO F. WELCH.
C. I. WHEATLEY.
CHAS. C. MORGAN.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Parks, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 44, 1932, entitled Amending General Ordinance No. 114, 1920—Rezoning Elmira Street, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

F. C. GARDNER, Chairman.
J. A. HOUCK.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
C. I. WHEATLEY.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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. 46, 1932, entitled Transfer of Funds—Gasoline Tax Fund, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1932, entitled Appropriation of \$1,250—Municipal Airport, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1932, entitled Appropriating and transferring \$20,000 Gasoline Tax—Street Repair, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By City Controller:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 47, 1932

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain funds and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds, 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 sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) now in the Department of Finance, Controller's Fund No. 24, Printing and Advertising, be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Department of Finance, Controller's Fund No. 12, Salaries and Wages, Temporary.

Section 2. That the sum of One Hundred Eighty Eight Thousand One Hundred Sixty Three Dollars (\$188,163.00) now in the following funds of the Department of Public Sanitation, Sewage Disposal Plant, in the amounts set out hereafter, to-wit:

Fund No. II-11, Drivers, Mechanics and Laborers....	\$130,293.00
Fund No. III-11, Laborers	3,630.00
Fund No. V-11, Operating labor	54,240.00

be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated in the total sum of One Hundred Eighty Eight Thousand One Hundred Sixty Three Dollars (\$188,163.00) and reapportioned to the following funds in the Sewage Disposal Plant of the Department of Public Sanitation, in the amounts set out hereafter, to-wit:

Fund No. II-12 Drivers, Mechanics and Laborers....	\$130,293.00
Fund No. III-12 Laborers	3,630.00
Fund No. V-12 Operating labor	54,240.00

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

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

By Mr. Welch:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 48, 1932

AN ORDINANCE repealing Sections 633, 634 and 635 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925 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 Sections 633, 634 and 635 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925 be and the same are hereby repealed.

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

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

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Houck made a motion that General Ordinance No. 24, 1932, be stricken from the files. The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

President Ropkey ordered General Ordinance No. 24, 1932 stricken from the files. Which ordinance was stricken from the files by the Clerk.

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 34, 1932 for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Tennant presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 34, 1932:

Indianapolis, Ind., May 16, 1932.

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 34, 1932 be amended to read as follows, to-wit:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 34, 1932 (AMENDED)

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 655 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925, as amended by General Ordinances No. 125, 1927, and No. 18, 1929, 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 Section 655 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925, as amended by General Ordinances No. 125, 1927, and No. 18, 1929, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 655. P. R. R. Co. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company shall install, maintain and operate safety lights at the intersection of the railroad tracks, owned and operated by it in the City of Indianapolis, with each of the following streets and avenues of said

city, to-wit: Madison Avenue, Palmer Street, Caven Street, Minnesota Street, Raymond Street, Leota Street, Southeastern Avenue, Southern Avenue, State Street, Arlington Avenue, Oriental Street, Emerson Avenue, Butler Avenue, Downey Avenue, Belmont Avenue, Harding Street, Ritter Avenue, and Audubon Road, which lights shall be operated twenty-four (24) hours per day every day in the year."

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

The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 34, 1932, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 34, 1932, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Welch called for General Ordinance No. 37, 1932, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Welch, seconded by Mr. Tennant, General Ordinance No. 37, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 37, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 39, 1932 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 39, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 39, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 40, 1932 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 40, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 40, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 41, 1932 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 41, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 41, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 43, 1932, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 43, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 43, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Gardner called for General Ordinance No. 44, 1932, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 44, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 44, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 46, 1932, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 46, 1932 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 46, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1932 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 8, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1932, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

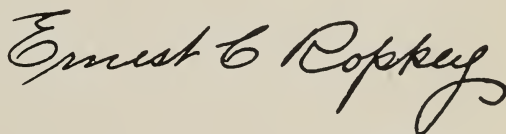
Mr. Tennant announced that the Committee on Public Safety was not ready to report on General Ordinances Nos. 36 and 42, 1932 and asked for further time for consideration of said ordinances, which was granted.

Mr. Wheatley announced that the Committee on Public Welfare was not ready to report on General Ordinance No. 38, 1932 and asked for further time for consideration of said ordinance, which was granted.

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Welch, the Common Council adjourned at 9:45 o'clock P. M.

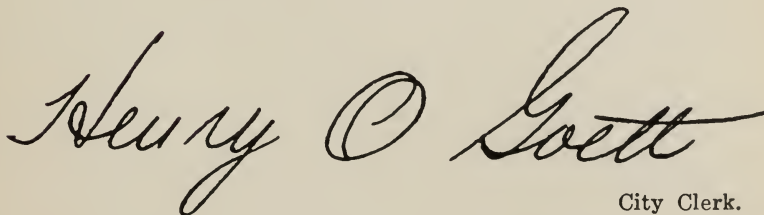
We hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, held on the 16th day of May, 1932, at 7:30 P. M.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto subscribed our signatures and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.



President.

Attest:



City Clerk.

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