

## REGULAR MEETING

Monday, March 20, 1933.

7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at City Hall, Monday, March 20, 1933, at 7:30 p. m., in regular session. President Ernest C. Ropkey in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Ernest C. Ropkey, President, and six members, viz: Fred C. Gardner, George A. Henry, James A. Houck, Chas. C. Morgan, Maurice E. Tennant, Leo F. Welch.

Absent: Carl A. Hildebrand, Clarence I. Wheatley.

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

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

March 9, 1933.

*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 ordinances:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 19, 1933

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis, through its duly authorized Agent, to purchase the season's requirements for all Street and Road Materials and supplies, used and to be used in the repair, upkeep and maintenance of Public Streets, thoroughfares and Roadways in the City of Indianapolis, out of the Gasoline Tax Fund, which has heretofore been appropriated for this purpose.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 20, 1933

AN ORDINANCE transferring certain sums 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. 23, 1933

AN ORDINANCE licensing and regulating itinerant produce dealers and wholesale produce dealers, defining who are itinerant produce dealers and wholesale produce dealers, providing penalties for the violation thereof, repealing all ordinances in conflict therewith, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully,

R. H. SULLIVAN,  
Mayor.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

March 17, 1933.

*Mr. Henry Goett,  
City Clerk.*

Dear Sir:

I am handing you herewith copies of proposed ordinance authorizing the sale of certain real estate immediately west of White River on Washington Street, now occupied by the Shell Petroleum Company:

The Board of Public Works has an offer from the Shell Petroleum Company of \$10,000.00 on this ground and believing this would be a very fair price is recommending that the ordinance be passed.

Kindly present this to the Common Council at the next meeting with the recommendation of the Board that the same be passed.

Yours very truly,

ERNEST F. FRICK,  
Secretary, Board of Public Works.

At this time Mr. Wheatley entered the Council Chamber and was counted present.

Mr. Henry asked for a recess. The motion was made and seconded by Mr. Welch, and the Council recessed at 7:35 p. m.

The Council reconvened from its recess at 9:05 p. m., with the same members present as before.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20, 1933.

*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. 21, 1933, entitled Authorization to purchase one power unit with scarifier and one disc machine—Board of Works, 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.  
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20, 1933.

*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, 1933, entitled Transfer of Funds—\$371,600.74—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.  
LEO F. WELCH.  
FRED C. GARDNER.  
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20, 1933.

*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. 25, 1933, entitled Appropriating and allocating \$152,735.57—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.  
FRED C. GARDNER.  
LEO F. WELCH.  
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20, 1933.

*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. 26, 1933, entitled Amending Sub-section 4 of Section 476 of G. O. No. 121, 1925—Baseball Park License, 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.  
LEO F. WELCH.  
F. C. GARDNER,  
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20, 1933.

*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. 27, 1933, entitled Amending G. O. No. 82-83, 1932

—Establishing Five Grades of Petroleum, 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., March 20, 1933.

*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. 28, 1933, entitled Establishing passenger or loading zone—101 East Maryland Street—C. A. Schrader Company, 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., March 20, 1933.

*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. 29, 1933, entitled Transfer of Funds—\$12,223 from balance of Sanitary Commissioner to Bond Fund, beg leave to report



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

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

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20, 1933.

*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. 3, 1933, entitled Appropriating \$7,500 from balance of Public Parks to Park District Bond and Sinking Fund, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

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

#### INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL ORDINANCES

By Board of Works:

#### SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 1933

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the sale, alienation and conveyance of real estate and interests therein by the City of Indianapolis and by the Board of Public Works thereof, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect, and repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith.

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

Section 1. The City of Indianapolis, by its Mayor and by its Board of Public Works, is hereby authorized to sell, alienate, grant and convey by warranty deed for cash, at public or private sale, for not less than appraised value, which value has heretofore been de-

terminated by appraisers appointed by the Judge of the Circuit Court of Marion County, Indiana, as required by law, the following described real estate in the City of Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana, to-wit:

Parts of Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 in Bell and Anderson's Sub., being that ground immediately west of White River on Washington Street now occupied by the Shell Petroleum Company.

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

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

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

#### ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Welch called for General Ordinance No. 21, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Welch, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 21, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 21, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 6, viz: Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Noes, 2, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 24, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 24, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 24, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

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

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 25, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 25, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 25, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

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

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 26, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Houck made a motion that General Ordinance No. 26, 1933, be stricken from the files. The motion was seconded by Mr. Morgan and passed by the following roll call vote:

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

President Ropkey ordered General Ordinance No. 26, 1923, stricken from the files. Which ordinance was stricken from the files by the Clerk.

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 27, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 27, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 27, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

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



Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 28, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Gardner, General Ordinance No. 28, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 28, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

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

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 29, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 29, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 29, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

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

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

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

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Henry, the Common Council adjourned at 9:20 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 20th day of March, 1933, 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.

*Ernest C Ropkey*

President.

ATTEST:

*Henry O Goett*

City Clerk.

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