

REGULAR MEETING.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, met in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, June 1, 1925, at 7:30 o'clock in regular session, President Ben H. Thompson in the chair.

Present: The Hon. Ben H. Thompson, President of the Common Council, and eight members, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray and Wise.

Mr. King moved that the reading of the Journal be dispensed with. Carried.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR.

May 19, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

I return herewith, without my approval, the following ordinances: Switch Contract, General Ordinance No. 29, 1925.

I do not care to sign an ordinance allowing a railroad track to come up a city street.

Special Ordinance No. 2, 1925, an ordinance to annex to the City of Indianapolis, in the State of Indiana, certain territory contiguous thereto, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

In my opinion this ground along the railroad will all be built up by manufacturing concerns, and this ordinance was just passed to keep Mr. McNamara from building an asphalt plant there. We are trying to bring manufacturers to our city, instead of driving them away and manufacturing plants must be built along railroad tracks.

Very truly yours,
LEW SHANK,
Mayor.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS.

From the City Controller:

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

At the request of the Board of Public Safety I am sending you herewith copies of an ordinance providing for an appropriation of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars to the Material and Supplies for

Traffic Fund, in the Police Department, under the Department of Public Safety, said sum to be used for the purchase of Stop and Go Signals.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

JOS. L. HOGUE,
City Controller.

June 1, 1925.

Mr. Joseph L. Hogue,
City Controller,
City.

Dear Sir:

The Board of Public Safety respectfully requests that you recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$2,000.00 to the Material and Supplies for Traffic Fund, in the Police Department, under the Department of Public Safety, the same to be used to purchase Stop and Go Signals for the regulation of traffic.

You will find hereto attached copies of an ordinance covering the same.

Yours very truly,
BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
By Oscar O. Wise, Executive Secretary.

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

I hand you herewith a communication from the Board of Public Works asking for the passage of an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$48,406.12 from any unappropriated funds to the Street and Alley Opening and Vacation Fund, in the Department of Public Works to pay a judgment rendered in favor of Edward W. Fitzpatrick and others in Cause No. 38422 in the Marion Circuit Court vs. the City of Indianapolis.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours truly,

JOS. L. HOGUE,
City Controller.

June 1, 1925.

Mr. Jos. L. Hogue,
City Controller,
City.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by the Board of Public Works to submit for your approval and transmission to the Common Council an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$48,406.12 from any unappropriated funds to the Street and Alley Opening and Vacation Fund to pay a judgment in favor of Edward W. Fitzpatrick and others vs. the City of Indianapolis, Cause No. 38422 in the Marion Circuit Court of Indiana.

Yours truly,
ELMER WILLIAMS,
Clerk of the Board of Public Works.

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

At the request of the Board of Public Safety I am sending you herewith copies of an ordinance providing for the appropriation of Nine Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-two (\$9,452.00) Dollars out of any unexpended funds in the City of Indianapolis, to the Salaries Fund in the Fire Department, under the Department of Public Safety.

This sum is needed to take care of the payment of the salaries of ten additional firemen for the balance of the year 1925, beginning with July 1, 1925, to be appointed in order to put into service a ladder truck at the Broad Ripple Fire Station.

The citizens of this section of the city have been urging that this be done for some time past in order that they be provided with proper fire protection.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

JOS. L. HOGUE,
City Controller.

June 1, 1925.

Mr. Jos. L. Hogue,
City Controller,
City.

Dear Sir:

The Board of Public Safety respectfully requests that you recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance appropriating the sum of Nine Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty-two (\$9,452.00) Dollars out of any unexpended funds of the City of Indianapolis to the salaries fund in the Fire Department, under the Department of Public Safety, said sum to be used in the payment of the salaries beginning July 1, 1925, for the balance of the year 1925, for ten (10) additional firemen to be appointed in order to man a truck company at the Broad Ripple Fire Station.

The citizens living in that section of the city have for some time past been urging the installation of a fire truck in this section, and the Board of Public Safety deems it necessary to comply with the request of these citizens in order that they be provided with proper fire protection.

Am sending you herewith copies of an ordinance covering the same.

Yours very truly,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
By Oscar O. Wise, Executive Secretary.

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

At the request of the Board of Public Safety I am sending you herewith copies of an ordinance providing for the transfer and re-appropriation of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars from the

Oil Fund in the Police Department to the Gasoline Fund in the same department, under the Department of Public Safety.

I respectfully recommend the passage of said ordinance.

Yours truly,

JOS. L. HOGUE,
City Controller.

June 1, 1925.

Mr. Jos. L. Hogue,
City Controller,
City.

Dear Sir:

The Board of Public Safety respectfully requests that you recommend to the Common Council the passage of an ordinance transferring and reappropriating the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars from the Oil Fund in the Police Department to the Gasoline Fund in the same department. Attached hereto you will find copies of an ordinance covering the same.

Yours very truly,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

By Oscar O. Wise, Executive Secretary.

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

I hand you herewith a General Ordinance asking for your approval of the bond of the City Treasurer elect for the two-year term, beginning January 1, 1926, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

I recommend the passage of the above mentioned ordinance.

Respectfully yours,

JOS. L. HOGUE,
City Controller.

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

At the request of the City Clerk I am sending you herewith copies of an ordinance providing for the employment of an additional assistant clerk in the City Clerk's office and appropriating the sum of \$975.00 for payment of the salary of such clerk.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

JOS. L. HOGUE,
City Controller.

June 1, 1925.

Mr. Jos. L. Hogue,
City Controller,
City.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith copies of an ordinance providing for employment of an additional clerk in the office of the City Clerk,

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and appropriating the sum of \$975.00 for the payment of the salary of such clerk until December 31, 1925.

The services of another clerk are badly needed because of the establishment of a second City Court, which together with the present system of handling traffic violations, makes practically three courts in session at all times.

Will you please submit this ordinance to the Common Council with a recommendation for the passage of same?

Very truly yours,
JOHN W. RHODEHAMEL,
City Clerk.

From the Board of Public Safety:

May 26, 1925.

City Clerk,
City of Indianapolis.
Dear Sir:

The Building Department has transmitted to us three copies of the new Building Code, which we have approved and recommend the same to the Common Council for their consideration.

Yours very truly,
BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
By Oscar O. Wise, Executive Secretary.

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

The American Gas Accululator Company, Flash Light danger signal constructors, have proposed to construct, install and maintain, without cost to the city a certain type of Flash Light danger signals at railroad and interurban crossings, and at dangerous intersections on State Highways just inside the City of Indianapolis.

These signals we understand have been installed in other cities and have been very effective in preventing accidents at dangerous places. The cost to the city of installation of danger signals of the character as proposed by this company would be prohibitive if very many of them were installed, and it is deemed advisable by this board to take advantage of this opportunity to obtain the much-needed protection against accidents these signals may provide.

They propose to install these danger signals provided that they be permitted to carry thereon advertising features such as direction to certain hotels in the city and such other advertising matter as would be most effective on devices of this character.

If the board is granted authority by ordinance to issue permits for this installation and maintenance of these danger signals, only such locations of the same shall be approved as are deemed beneficial in preventing accidents and the character of advertising permitted to be displayed upon the signal devices shall not be of an objectionable nature.

The board respectfully recommends the passage of this ordinance covering the same, copies of which are hereto attached.

Yours very truly,
 BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
 By Oscar O. Wise, Executive Secretary.

From the Department of Parks:

Indianapolis, Indiana.

June 1, 1925.

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

Gentlemen:

In compliance with Property Sale Resolution No. 1, 1925, of the Board of Park Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, I herewith submit to your honorable body Special Ordinance No. —, 1925, for the sale of certain real estate now a part of the Park and Boulevard System of the City of Indianapolis, which is no longer needed or desired for the use of the Department of Public Parks for Park and Boulevard purposes:

"Beginning at the intersection of the west property line of Northwestern avenue and the south property line of 24th street, in the City of Indianapolis, Marion county, Indiana, thence west on the said south property line of 24th street to the east property line of Isabella street; thence south on the said east property line of Isabella street to a point, said point being 55 feet measured at right angles to the center line of Fall Creek Parkway North Drive; thence southeastwardly parallel to and 55 feet distant from the said center line of Fall Creek Parkway North Drive to a point, said point being 55 feet and at right angles to the center line of Northwestern avenue; thence northeastwardly to a point in the west property line of Northwestern avenue, said point being 398 feet from the intersection of the said west property line of Northwestern avenue with the south property line of 23rd street; thence northwestwardly on the said west property line of Northwestern avenue to the place of beginning, containing 14 acres more or less."

Respectfully submitted,
 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
 City of Indianapolis.

By Board of Park Commissioners.
 By Newton J. McGuire, Attorney.

From the City Plan Commission:

June 1, 1925.

Clerk, Common Council,
 City of Indianapolis.
 Dear Sir:

Attached hereto are 13 copies of an ordinance zoning that territory to be annexed by Special Ordinance No. 2, 1925, the same to be introduced at the regular meeting of the Council, June 1st, 1925,

in the event that Special Ordinance No. 2 is passed over the Mayor's veto.

Very truly yours,
CITY PLAN COMMISSION,
R. A. Jaenisch, Secretary.

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES.

By the City Controller:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 18, 1925

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars to the fund in the Police Department, under the Department of Public Safety, known and designated as the "Material and Supplies for Traffic" fund, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated out of any unappropriated funds of the City of Indianapolis the sum of Two Thousand (\$2000.00) Dollars to the fund in the Police Department, under the Department of Public Safety known and designated as the "Material and Supplies for Traffic" fund, said sum to be used for the purchase of Stop and Go Signals.

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

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

By the City Controller:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 19, 1925

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Forty-eight Thousand Four Hundred Six Dollars and Twelve Cents (\$48,406.12) from any unappropriated moneys in the General Fund to the Street and Alley Opening and Vacation Fund to pay a judgment rendered in favor of Edward W. Fitzpatrick and others in Cause No. 38422 in the Marion Circuit Court vs. the City of Indianapolis, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, under Resolution No. 1178 the Board of Public Works provided for the opening and widening of certain parts of Delaware street in order to construct a bridge at Delaware street, and

WHEREAS, with the consent and approval of the Board of Public Works a judgment was entered putting 50% of the cost of said work upon the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in the cause of Edward W. Fitzpatrick et al vs. the City of Indianapolis, being Cause No. 38422 in the Marion Circuit Court, leaving the property holders in the district 50% of the cost of opening and widening said street.

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

Section 1. That the sum of Forty-eight Thousand Four Hundred Six Dollars and Twelve Cents (\$48,406.12) be and the same is hereby appropriated from any unappropriated moneys in the General Fund of the City of Indianapolis and is hereby appropriated to a fund known as the "Street and Alley Opening and Vacation Fund" in the Department of Public Works, the said sum being appropriated for the special purpose of paying a judgment entered in Cause No. 38422 in the Marion Circuit Court, Marion County, Indiana, in the cause where Edward W. Fitzpatrick et al were plaintiffs and the City of Indianapolis was the defendant.

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

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

By the City Controller:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 20, 1925

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Nine Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-two (\$9,452.00) Dollars to the Salaries Fund in the Fire Department, under the Department of Public Safety and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That there be and hereby is appropriated out of any unexpended funds of the City of Indianapolis, the sum of Nine Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-two (\$9,452.00) Dollars to the "Salaries Fund" in the Fire Department, under the Department of Public Safety, said sum to be used in the payment of the Salaries of ten (10) additional firemen for the balance of the year 1925, beginning with July 1, 1925.

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

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

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES.

By the City Controller:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 41, 1925

AN ORDINANCE transferring the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500.00) Dollars from the "Oil Fund" in the Police Department, under the Department of Public Safety to the "Gasoline Fund" of the Police Department, under the same department, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That there be and is hereby transferred the sum of Twenty-five Hundred (\$2500) Dollars from the "Oil Fund" in the Police Department, under the Department of Public Safety, and that the same is hereby transferred and reappropriated to the fund in the Police Department, under the same department known and designated as the "Gasoline Fund."

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

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

By the City Controller:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 42, 1925.

AN ORDINANCE prescribing the penalty for the bond of the City Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis, approving the Bond of the City Treasurer-elect for the two year term beginning January 1st, 1926, and declaring the time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, It is provided by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana entitled, "An Act to amend Section Two Hundred Seven (207) of an Act Entitled, 'An Act concerning municipal corporations, approved March 6, 1905,' approved March 6, 1909, page 289, it is provided as follows: The bond of said County Treasurer, ex officio City Treasurer, shall be in the sum and with such sureties as the Common Council may by ordinance determine, to the approval of such Common Council, and

WHEREAS, Edward A. Ramsey, was at the General Election, held in the County of Marion, State of Indiana, November 4, 1924, duly elected to the office of Treasurer of the County of Marion, State of Indiana, ex officio Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis for the two-year term, beginning January 1st, 1926.

WHEREAS, He has executed a certain bond in the favor of the City of Indianapolis, in the penal sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars with the Massachusetts Bonding Insurance Company of Boston, as surety, which bond has been approved by James M. Ogden, Corporation Counsel, and has tendered same to the Common Council of said city for its approval.

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

Section 1. That the amount of the bond of the County Treasurer acting ex officio in the capacity of the City Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis, is hereby fixed for a term of two (2) years, beginning January 1st, 1926, and until his successor is elected and qualified, in the penal sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars, payable to the City of Indianapolis.

Section 2. That the bond of Edward A. Ramsey, in the penal sum of One Hundred Thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars, as above with the Massachusetts Bonding Insurance Company of Boston, is hereby

in all things confirmed and approved. Said bond shall be filed with the City Controller as provided by law.

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

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

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 43, 1925

AN ORDINANCE authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Safety to issue permits for the construction and maintenance of Gas Flash Light Signals at railroad and interurban crossings and at dangerous intersections of State Highways just inside the City of Indianapolis, also to permit advertising on such danger signals, and declaring 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 is hereby authorized and empowered to issue permits for the installation, construction and maintenance of Gas Flash Light Danger Signals at dangerous railroad and interurban crossings and at dangerous intersections of State Highways just inside the City of Indianapolis, such danger signals to be installed, constructed and maintained without any cost whatsoever to the City of Indianapolis.

Section 2. That such danger signals mentioned in the above and foregoing section of this ordinance may have thereon and in conjunction therewith, advertising features, the nature and character of which, shall be submitted to the Board of Public Safety for their approval before the same may be installed and constructed.

Section 3. That the design of such flash light danger signals and the proposed place of construction shall be subject to the approval of the Board of Public Safety, before a permit is issued for the installation of the same.

Section 4. The Board of Public Safety shall reserve the right to revoke such permits in the event that any signals or devices are installed or constructed that are not in compliance with the provisions of this ordinance or for a failure to keep such signals in satisfactory operation, after thirty days' notice of their intention so to do, and in case of the revocation of such permits, the Board shall have the right to remove such signal devices or cause the same to be removed.

Section 5. Any and all ordinances or parts of ordinances insofar as the same may be in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed.

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

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 44, 1925

AN ORDINANCE regulating the parking of vehicles on certain public streets in the City of Indianapolis, fixing a penalty for the violation thereof, and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That it shall hereafter be unlawful to leave vehicles of any kind parked between the hours of six o'clock a. m. and six o'clock p. m., each and every day excepting Sunday at the following designated place: On the north side of North street from Cincinnati street to Noble street; on the south side of Walnut street between Liberty street and Noble street; on the west side of Liberty street from North street to Walnut street and on the west side of Noble street from North street to Walnut street.

Section 2. Any one violating the provisions of Section One of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined any sum not less than One Dollar, nor more than Fifty Dollars.

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

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

By the City Controller:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 45, 1925.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the employment of an additional clerk in the office of the City Clerk, appropriating the sum of \$975.00 for payment of salary of such clerk 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 there be and is hereby authorized and created the position of additional assistant clerk in the office of City Clerk in the Department of Finance of the City of Indianapolis at the salary of Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars per year.

Section 2. That there be and is hereby appropriated to the City Clerk's Salary Fund in the Department of Finance the sum of Nine Hundred and Seventy-five (\$975.00) Dollars.

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

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

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 46, 1925.

AN ORDINANCE creating in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana the office of the Commissioners of Buildings under the Department of Public Safety; creating certain positions under the Commissioner of Buildings sufficient to strictly enforce the provisions of this ordinance; defining the qualifications of such positions; fixing the salaries thereof; providing for an examining Board to examine all applicants for certain positions, defining their qualifications and duties; providing for an oath of office; providing for a building code of construction and use; consisting of divisions, parts and sections of parts; requiring permits, permit fees and reinspection fees; providing for an inspection of all equipment of combustion; providing fire prevention inspection, providing for a brand and date on concrete blocks, refining the quality of all materials used in building or structure construction; regulating all matters concerning, affecting or pertaining to the location, construction, alteration, covering, repairs or additions to, remodeling, removal, ownership, use or occupation of all buildings, parts of buildings or appurtenances thereto or therein and structures of every nature, including a group of definitions, also regulating the construction and use of all improvements, machinery, equipment, elevators, equipment of combustion fixtures, advertising displays, electric wiring, piping of all descriptions, and all appliances and appurtenances used in connection with such buildings, parts of buildings or structures, installed therein or thereon; providing for the closing, the condemning and the stopping of the use or construction thereof, the razing and the wreckage of the same, and the removal of the wreckage; providing for fire protection, providing for the use of the streets during building construction and the regulation of storage of petroleum products, explosives, inflammable materials or liquids used or stored on any premises within said city; providing for the abatement of smoke, declaring smoke a nuisance and a detriment to public health; repealing all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith; providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions thereof and declaring a time when the same shall take effect.

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

By the City Plan Commission:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 47, 1925

AN ORDINANCE to amend General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, entitled: "An ordinance dividing the City of Indianapolis into districts for the purpose of regulating and restricting the location of trades, callings, industries, commercial enterprises and the location of buildings designed for specified uses; of classifying,

regulating and determining the area of front, rear and side yards and other open spaces about buildings; of regulating and determining the use and intensity of use of land and lot areas within such city; creating a board of zoning appeals; defining certain terms used in said ordinance; providing a penalty for its violation and designating the time when the same shall take effect," 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 U1 or dwelling house district, the A2 or 4800 square foot area district and the H1 or 50 foot height district, as established by General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, be and the same is hereby amended, supplemented and changed so as to include all territory annexed to the City of Indianapolis by Special Ordinance No. 2, 1925.

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the east line of the right-of-way of the Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville (Monon) Railway Company and the south line of 56th street, thence east along the south line of 56th street to the east line of Haverford avenue; thence north with the east line of Haverford avenue to the north line of Section 6, Township 16, North of Range 4, East; thence west to the east line of the right-of-way of the said Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville Railway Company; thence south with said east line of said right-of-way to the place of beginning.

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

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

By the Department of Parks:

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 3, 1925.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the sale, alienation and conveyance of real estate by the Board of Park Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, 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 Board of Park Commissioners is hereby authorized the sell, alienate and convey for cash, at public or private sale, for not less than the appraiser value, to be hereinafter determined by appraisers appointed by the Judge of Marion Circuit Court, Marion County, Indiana, as required by law, the following described real estate in Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana, to-wit:

"Beginning at the intersection of the west property line of Northwestern avenue and the south property line of 24th street, in the City of Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana; thence west to the said south property line of 24th street to the east property line of Isabella street; thence south on the said east property line of Isabella street to a point, said point being 55 feet measured at right angles to the center line of Fall Creek Parkway, North Drive; thence southeasterly parallel to and 55 feet distant from the said center line of

Fall Creek Parkway, North Drive, to a point, said point being 55 feet and at right angles to the center line of Northwestern avenue; thence northwestwardly to a point in the west property line of Northwestern avenue, said point being 398 feet from the intersection of the said west property line of Northwestern avenue with the south property line of 23rd street; thence northwestwardly on the said west property line of Northwestern avenue to the place of beginning, containing fourteen acres more or less."

Said real estate shall be sold at public or private sale upon such notice as the Board of Park Commissioners may determine.

Section 2. 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 and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

INTRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Mr. King:

RESOLUTION NO. 13, 1925.

WHEREAS, Walter W. Wise, a leading contractor of this city, and a member of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, believes it possible to save approximately \$40,000.00 in redesigning the Surgical Ward of the City Hospital, without interfering with the purpose of the ward, and,

WHEREAS, Walter W. Wise in the instance of the first bond issue passed by this Council for the Nurses' Home and Administration Building did effect a saving of \$100,000.00,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the President of the City Council appoint a committee consisting of three members of the City Council, including Walter W. Wise as chairman to examine the plans and specifications to determine if this saving is possible.

JOHN E. KING.

Which was adopted on motion of Mr. Buchanan.

President Thompson appointed the following committee to examine plans and specifications of the proposed Surgical Ward at the City Hospital:

Messrs. Wise, Ray and King.

By Mr. Buchanan:

RESOLUTION NO. 14, 1925.

WHEREAS in the course of human events the Great Rules of the Universe has seen fit to call from our midst one of our most distinguished and honored citizens and statesmen,

WHEREAS, in the death of our beloved Thomas R. Marshall there is awakened in our hearts a warmth of the sympathy for those who are most intimately effected by his departure from this life, and

WHEREAS, We believe our country, as well as those most near and dear to him have suffered the loss of not only a true and loving husband, but a statesman who has unselfishly served both his state and nation in a most commendable manner, looking always to the betterment of his people as a whole and not to his own personal aggrandizement, and

WHEREAS, Although we feel the weakness of our attempt to ease the hearts of those to whom he was near and dear, yea we desire that the permanent records of this Common Council bear testimony of our expression of sympathy and feelings of sad regret occasioned by the loss of our beloved fellow citizen Thomas R. Marshall.

NO THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That we extend our sincere personal and official condolence to those who must suffer the greater loss, and commend them to Him who comforteth most in time of great sorrow and grief, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting as a part of the permanent records of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis and that a copy of the same be sent to the bereaved widow and faithful companion of the departed.

HEYDON W. BUCHANAN.

Which was adopted on motion of Mr. King.

Mr. Bernd moved that General Ordinance No. 29, 1925, be passed over the veto of the Mayor.

The roll was called and General Ordinance No. 29, 1925, failed to pass over the veto of the Mayor by the following vote:

Ayes, 5, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Claycombe, Ray and Wise.

Noes, 4, viz.: Messrs. Buchanan, Clauer, King and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. Claycombe moved that Special Ordinance No. 2, 1925, be passed over the veto of the Mayor.

The roll was called and Special Ordinance No. 2, 1925, failed to pass over the veto of the Mayor by the following vote:

Ayes, 4, viz.: Messrs. Bramblett, Claycombe, King, Ray and Wise.

Noes, 5, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Buchanan, Clauer, Ray and President Ben H. Thompson.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING.

Mr. King called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 11, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King called for General Ordinance No. 30, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that General Ordinance No. 30, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 30, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 15, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 15, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 15, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King moved that General Ordinance No. 38, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 38, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 5, viz.: Messrs. Buchanan, Clauer, King, Ray and President Ben H. Thompson.

Noes, 4, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Claycombe and Wise.

Mr. Buchanan called for second reading of Resolution No. 1925. It was read a second time.

Mr. Buchanan moved that Resolution No. 11, 1925, be adopted.

The roll was called and Resolution No. 11, 1925, was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King called for second reading of Resolution No. 12, 1925. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that Resolution No. 12, 1925, be adopted.

The roll was called and Resolution No. 12, 1925, was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King called for General Ordinance No. 38, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King called for General Ordinance No. 40, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that General Ordinance No. 40, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 40, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. King called for General Ordinance No. 39, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. King moved that General Ordinance No. 39, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 39, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 9, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Clauer, Claycombe, King, Ray, Wise and President Ben H. Thompson.

Mr. Bramblett called for General Ordinance No. 32, 1925, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Bramblett moved that General Ordinance No. 32, 1925, be ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage. Carried.

General Ordinance No. 32, 1925, was read a third time and passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 6, viz.: Messrs. Bernd, Bramblett, Buchanan, Claycombe, King and Wise.

Noes, 3, viz.: Messrs. Clauer, Ray and President Ben H. Thompson.

On motion of Mr. Clauer the Common Council at 9:15 o'clock p. m., adjourned.

Ben H. Thompson

Attest:

President.

John M. Rhodehamel

City Clerk.