

The President introduced an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a sufficient levy upon the amount of property taxable of the city of Indianapolis for the current year to pay the city indebtedness, and the ayes & nays being demanded on the passage of said Ordinance those who voted affirmatively were Messrs. Gates, Tutewiler, King, Rooker, Morris & Mr. President 6. Negatively Mr. Wingate 1. So said Ordinance was adopted to take effect & be in force from and after its publication as required by the charter.

Mr. Wingate introduced an Ordinance to repeal an Ordinance regulating the size of Wood wagons, and the measurement & sale of Fire Wood in the city of Indianapolis. And the ayes & nays being demanded on the passage of said Ordinance it was rejected by the following vote. Ayes Messr. King, Wingate & Mr. President 3. Nays Messrs. Gates, Tutewiler, Rooker & Morris 4.

Ordered. That the Secretary draw Order on the Treasury chargeable to the Small pox hospital fund in favor of Seth Bardwell to an amount not exceeding Five hundred dollars, in payment of the first installment due said Bardwell on his contract for the erection of said Hospital.

Ordered That the Secretary draw an Order in favor of A. Sanders, on the Road Moneys of the 7th Ward for Five dollars in lieu of one heretofore issued and lost.
(Issued.)

And the council adjourned to meet on the 15th inst at 3 o'clock P.M.

Attest

James G. Jordan Secy.

Chas. W. Cady
President City Council.

Council Chamber
Indianapolis April 15, 1848

The Council met upursuant to adjournment. Present Mr. Cady President. Messr. Gates, Tutewiler, King, & Morris.

Proceedings of last meeting were read and received.

Mr. Cady presented an estimate of the city Engineer for Grading gravelling & stoning Washington Street between Pogues Run Bridge & the donation line east, which was read & accepted & the Street commissioner orderd to notify the property holders fronting said improvement under the provisions of Ordinance No. 2.

The President laid before the council the following petition to wit:

To the City council of Indianapolis

The undersigned Trustees of the 1st Regular Baptist church, and owners in trust for said church of Lot No. One in Square No. Seventy five being desirous of grading and gravelling the Side walks in front of said lot respectfully petition that an Order be passed granting such privilege and directing the city Engineer to survey the same and set grade marks therefor & notify the Street commissioner pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 2.

Jonathan Crawford)
Milam Knox) Trustees
Robert Tucker)

Ordered, That the prayer of said petitioners be granted, and that the city Engineer survey the same and set grade marks therefor and notify the city commissioner of Streets thereof as required by Ordinance No. 2.

Ordered That Dow Wilson have the use of the ground purchased by the city for Small pox purposes until the 1st of March 1849, for the Sum of ten dollars, and that Mr. King be appointed a committee to draw the proper article, between him & the city.

Ordered That Mr. Wilson be and he is hereby directed to make the division fence on the West Side of said property at the usual prices for said fencing.

A Petition from H. L. Ellsworth was read praying the privilege to change the alleys in Block No. 29, or to vacate the same as they now are, and make others instead. Whereupon it was Ordered That the prayer of the petitioner be granted provided he does not decrease the number of alleys in said Block. Ayes Tutewiler, King, Morris & Mr. President 4. Nays Mr. Gates 1.

The City Engineer submitted an estimate for Grading, Stoning & Gravelling Washington Street between Pogues Run and the Donation line east, which was read & received.

N. Lister presented a petition upon an (word illegible) compensation which was read and laid upon the table until the next meeting.

The President laid before the council a plat of the property purchased by the city for a city Hospital which was Ordered to be filed.

	Allowed	Josiah W. Davis	\$1.50	for sundries
634 - 635	Do	Wm Campbell	3.50	" removing nuisances
	Do	Jacob Miller	2.75	" do do

The President laid before the Council a communication from James M. Ray requesting that Scrip be issued to him for gravelling Indiana Avenue in front of his property according to a special estimate of the City Engineer, accompanying said



communication showing the amount of Scrip to which he is entitled for said gravelling to be Forty dollars and seventy three cents. -- which was read, and thereupon

It was Ordered, That the Secretary issue scrip to James M. Ray to the Amount of Forty dollars and Seventy three cents, for gravelling on said Avenue.

The President also laid before the council a communication from James M. Ray requesting that the Secretary be authorized to issue scrip to him for the benefit of J.P. Micheal for the small amount of gravelling done by him on Delaware Street under the Order of the council which the city Engineer has certified, or shall certify he has done, and which the Owners of property on said Street refuse to pay him for. Which communication was read and laid upon the table.

The President & Secretary were on motion appointed to make settlement with Nathan Lister Treas. and receive from him a resignation of his office, as by him requested. To make report of the proceedings herein at the next meeting of the council.

And on motion the council adjourned to meet on the 22nd day of April inst at 3 o'clock P.M.

Attest

James G. Jordan
Secy.

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(Chas W. Cady
(President City council.

Council Chamber
Indianapolis April 22nd 1848.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present a full council.

The proceedings of the last meeting were read and approved.

The President from the Committee appointed at the last meeting to make settlement with the City Treasurer, reported, That the duty assigned to said Committee has been discharged and presented the respective papers exhibiting said settlement, towit a final account. - Settlement Sheet Lists showing the delinquencies, illegal assessments &c. all which were ordered to be filed and the committee was discharged.

The President laid before the council the resignation of N. Lister Treasurer, and it appearing that said Treasurer had accounted for and paid over the balances of the respective funds in his hands on settlement, to the President of the city council.