

REGULAR MEETING

Monday, December 7, 1953, 7:30 P.M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, Monday, December 7, 1953, at 7:30 P.M. in regular session.

President Bright in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Absent: Mr. Brown.

The reading of the Journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with on motion of Mr. Eltzroth, seconded by Mr. Radel.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

November 17, 1953

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,  
OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to the City Clerk, Mrs. Grace M. Tanner, the following ordinances:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 36, 1953

An ordinance repealing Appropriation Ordinance No. 29, 1953, and appropriating, transferring, reappropriating and reallocat-

ing certain sums, Tax Levy Money, from certain designated items and funds of the Department of Public Parks, as appropriated under the 1953 Budget (General Ordinance No. 80, 1952, as amended), to certain other designated items and funds therein, declaring an emergency, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 131, 1953

An ordinance to amend Section 11-103(a) of Title 11, Chapter 1 being commonly known as the "Zoning Code of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana," and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 133, 1953

An ordinance to amend the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, as adopted by General Ordinance No. 140, 1951, and more particularly Title 4, Chapter 6, Section 4-602, Sub-Section 22 thereof, by making Fort Wayne Avenue a one-way street, southwest bound, from Alabama Street to Pennsylvania Street, and fixing a time when the said amendment shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 134, 1953

An ordinance establishing a certain passenger and/or loading zone in the City of Indianapolis, pursuant to the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully,

ALEX. M. CLARK,  
Mayor

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

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To the President and Members  
of the Common Council of the  
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Gentlemen:

In Re: Appropriation Ordinances Nos. 37, 38, 39 and 40, 1953

Pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused "Notice to Taxpayers" to be inserted in the following newspapers, to-wit:

A.O. Nos. 37, 38, 39 and 40, 1953—The Indianapolis News and The Indianapolis Times—Friday, November 20 and 27, 1953

that taxpayers would have the right to be heard on the above ordinances at the meeting of the Common Council to be held at 7:30 P.M., December 7, 1953 and by posting copies of said notices at the City Hall, Court House and Police Station in the City of Indianapolis, which notices remained posted for ten days or more prior to date of hearing.

Very truly yours,

GRACE M. TANNER,  
City Clerk

December 7, 1953

To the President and Members  
of the Common Council of the  
City of Indianapolis

Gentlemen:

In Re: General Ordinances Nos. 139, 140, 141, 142, 143 and 144, 1953  
Pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused to be published on Friday, November 20, 1953 in The Indianapolis Star and The Indianapolis Times "Notice to Interested Citizens," that General Ordinances Nos. 140, 141, 142, 143 and 144, 1953 (Zoning) were set for hearing before the Common Council December 7, 1953 and General Ordinance No. 139, 1953 (Zoning) was set for hearing before the Common Council December 21, 1953.

Very truly yours,

GRACE M. TANNER,  
City Clerk

December 7, 1953

To the President and Members  
of the Common Council of the  
City of Indianapolis

Gentlemen:

In Re: General Ordinances Nos. 131 and 133, 1953

Pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused publication to be inserted in the following newspapers:

G.O. Nos. 131 and 133, 1953—Monday, November 23 and  
30, 1953—The Indianapolis Star and The Indianapolis  
Commercial

and that said ordinances are in full force and effect thirty days after the last date of publication and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

Very truly yours,

GRACE M. TANNER,  
City Clerk

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of General Ordinance No. 147, 1953, authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan in the amount of Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand (\$2,500,000.00) Dollars, for the use of the general fund of the City of Indianapolis in anticipation of current taxes of the City of Indianapolis actually levied and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which said loan is made payable; providing for the in-

terest to be charged therefor, and providing for the legal notice and the time when said loan shall mature.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES P. EHLERS  
Councilman

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of General Ordinance No. 148, 1953, authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan in the amount of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars for the use of the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, in anticipation of and payable out of the current taxes for the Firemen's Pension Fund actually levied for said fund, and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which said loan is made payable; providing for the interest to be charged therefor, and providing for the legal notice and the time when said loan shall mature.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES P. EHLERS  
Councilman

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of General Ordinance No. 149, 1953, authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan in the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars, for the use of the Board of Trustees of the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, in an-

icipation of and payable out of the current taxes for the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund actually levied for said fund, and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which said loan is made payable; providing for the interest to be charged therefor, and providing for the legal notice and the time when said loan shall mature.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES P. EHLERS  
Councilman

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of General Ordinance No. 150, 1953, to amend Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-812 of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, by the repeal of sub-section 118 thereof, prohibiting parking of vehicles at all times on the North side of Michigan Street from State Street to Oriental Street.

Very truly yours,

GLENN W. RADEL  
Councilman

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of General Ordinance No. 151, 1953, to amend Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-819 of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, by amending sub-sections 64 and 65 thereof, to prohibit parking, stopping or standing on

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Washington Street between certain designated points and during certain designated hours.

Very truly yours,

GLENN W. RADEL  
Councilman

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of General Ordinance No. 152, 1953, to amend Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-821 of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, by the addition of sub-sections 6 and 7 thereto, prohibiting the owner, driver or operator of any vehicle from parking, stopping or standing on Emerson Avenue and on Sherman Drive between certain designated points and during certain designated hours.

Very truly yours,

GLENN W. RADEL,  
Councilman

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of General Ordinance No. 153, 1953, to establish a loading and/or passenger zone for the use and benefit of Fountain Square Theatre Building, 1105 Prospect Street.

Very truly yours,

GLENN W. RADEL,  
Councilman

December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith are twenty-four (24) copies of Special Ordinance No. 25, 1953, authorizing the Board of Flood Control Commissioners of the City of Indianapolis, through their duly authorized Purchasing Agent, to sell certain real estate belonging to the City of Indianapolis.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES P. EHLERS  
Councilman

Mr. Radel asked for recess. The motion was seconded by Mr. Wicker, and the Council recessed at 8:00 P.M.

At this time those present were given an opportunity to be heard on Appropriation Ordinances Nos. 37, 38, 39, 40, 1953, General Ordinances Nos. 126, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 1953 and Special Ordinances Nos. 22, 23, 24, 1953.

The Council reconvened at 9:40 P.M., with all members present including Mr. Brown.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 37, 1953, entitled



AN ORDINANCE appropriating \$1,000,000.00 for Bond Issue—  
Weir Cook Municipal Airport

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

CHARLES P. EHLERS, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
J. WESLEY BROWN  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 38, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE appropriating \$1,550,000.00 for Bond Issue—  
Board of Public Works and St. Commissioner,

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

CHARLES P. EHLERS, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
J. WESLEY BROWN  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 39, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE transferring \$9,200.00 from Fund 11 City Engineer to Funds 32 and 62—City Controller and St. Commissioner

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

CHARLES P. EHLERS, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
J. WESLEY BROWN  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 40, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE transferring \$100,000.00 from Fund 11 to 72—  
Fire Department,

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

CHARLES P. EHLERS, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
J. WESLEY BROWN  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 126, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE authorizing Board of Works through the purchasing agent to purchase 500 Duncan-Miller Parking Meters

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

CHARLES P. EHLERS, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
J. WESLEY BROWN  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 140, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE establishing original city zoning—Lafayette Road, 25th to 30th Sts., Georgetown Road to Tibbs Ave.,

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

J. WESLEY BROWN, Chairman  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
CHRISTIAN J. EMHARDT  
JOSEPH A. WICKER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 141, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE amending the Zoning Code—E. 42nd St., Fall  
Creek Place Addition, to center line of Millersville Road

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

J. WESLEY BROWN, Chairman  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
CHRISTIAN J. EMHARDT  
JOSEPH A. WICKER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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 Gen-  
eral Ordinance No. 142, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE amending the Zoning Code—Lowell Ave., Ed-  
monson Ave., Pasadena St., Pleasant Run Pkwy., Kitley Ave.  
to Tenth St. (S.O. No. 18, 1953),

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

J. WESLEY BROWN, Chairman  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
CHRISTIAN J. EMHARDT  
JOSEPH A. WICKER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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 Gen-  
eral Ordinance No. 143, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE amending the Zoning Code—Rear Houses, rear yard requirements,

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

J. WESLEY BROWN, Chairman  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
CHRISTIAN J. EMHARDT  
JOSEPH A. WICKER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 144, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE repealing G.O. No. 86, 1953 and amending the "Official Thorofare Plan"—Sherman Drive,

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

GLENN W. RADEL, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
JOSEPH A. WICKER  
JOSEPH C. WALLACE

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 145, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE authorizing Bond Issue of \$1,550,000.00—  
Board of Public Works,

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

CHARLES P. EHLERS, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
J. WESLEY BROWN  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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. 146, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE authorizing Bond Issue in the amount of  
\$1,000,000.00—Weir Cook Municipal Airport,

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

CHARLES P. EHLERS, Chairman  
CARTER W. ELTZROTH  
J. WESLEY BROWN  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Parks to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 22, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE annexing territory in the area of Prospect St., Sherman Drive, Southeastern Ave., and east of Chester St.,

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

CARTER W. ELTZROTH, Chairman  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOSEPH C. WALLACE  
CHRISTIAN J. EMHARDT

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Parks to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 23, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE designating three streets within the territory of Weir Cook Municipal Airport,

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

CARTER W. ELTZROTH, Chairman  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOSEPH C. WALLACE  
CHRISTIAN J. EMHARDT

Indianapolis, Ind., December 7, 1953

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Parks to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 24, 1953, entitled

AN ORDINANCE annexing approximately 23.97 acres in the area of E. 38th St., Forest Manor Ave., Trimpe's Forest Brook Addition and Euclid Ave.,

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

CARTER W. ELTZROTH, Chairman  
CHARLES P. EHLERS  
GLENN W. RADEL  
JOSEPH C. WALLACE  
CHRISTIAN J. EMHARDT

## INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By Councilman Ehlers:

### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 147, 1953 -

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City Controller of the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan in the sum of Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand (\$2,500,000.00) Dollars, for the use of the general fund of the City of Indianapolis in anticipation of current taxes of the City of Indianapolis actually levied and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which said loan is made payable; providing for the interest to be charged therefor; providing for the legal notice and the time when said loan shall mature; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, The City of Indianapolis is now and will continue to be until on or about the 30th day of June, 1954, without sufficient funds to meet current expenses for the year 1954 for municipal purposes as provided in the annual budget of 1954, and

WHEREAS, the first semi-annual installment of taxes for the year 1954 will amount to more than Two Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$2,500,000.00) Dollars;

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

Section 1. That the City Controller is hereby authorized and empowered in the year 1954 to negotiate a temporary loan in anticipation



of the current taxes for the general fund of the City of Indianapolis actually levied in the year 1953 and in the course of collection in the fiscal year 1954, not to exceed the sum of Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand (\$2,500,000.00) Dollars, without considering the interest thereon to be added thereto, for a period not to exceed the time hereinafter fixed in this ordinance, at a rate of interest not to exceed four per cent (4%) per annum, the rate of interest to be fixed by the lowest interest bid for said loan. Said loan shall run for a period of not exceeding One Hundred Eighty (180) days. The City Controller is authorized to make sale of said time warrants, after notice thereof shall have been published by the City Controller once each week for two consecutive weeks in two newspapers of general circulation, printed in the English language and published in the City of Indianapolis, said sale is to be not less than ten (10) days after the last publication of said notice. Said time warrants are to be signed by the Mayor of the City of Indianapolis, and the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be attached thereto, and said time warrants shall be payable at the office of the City Treasurer in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana; and to the payment of said time warrants the current revenues and taxes thus levied in the year 1953, payable in the year 1954 for the general fund of the City of Indianapolis, are hereby irrevocably appropriated and pledged.

Section 2. For the repayment of the principal amount of the temporary loan herein authorized by this ordinance there is hereby appropriated to the City Controller's 1954 Budget Fund No. 63—Payment of Temporary Loans (hereby created), out of the current revenues and taxes levied in the year 1953, payable in the year 1954, for the General Fund of the City of Indianapolis, the sum of Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000.00); and for the payment of the interest thereon there is hereby appropriated to the City Controller's 1954 Budget Fund No. 61—Interest on Temporary Loans, out of the above designated revenues and taxes the sum of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

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

By Councilman Ehlers:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 148, 1953

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City of Indianapolis, to make a temporary loan in the sum of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars for the use of the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund of said City, in anticipation of and payable out of the current taxes for the Firemen's Pension Fund actually levied for said fund and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which said loan is made payable; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, heretofore on the 2nd day of October, 1953, the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, has, by resolution duly adopted, determined to make a temporary loan in the sum of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars, principal amount, without considering the interest thereon to be added thereto in a sum not to exceed Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars in anticipation of and payable out of the current taxes for the Firemen's Pension Fund actually levied and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which said loan is made payable, and has requested the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis to authorize such temporary loan, and

WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis is now and will continue to be until on or about the 30th day of June, 1954, without sufficient funds to meet the payment of pensions and benefits to retired members and dependents of deceased members and other death benefits, and for other necessary current and incidental expenses for the year 1954, as provided in the annual budget of 1954, payable out of the Firemen's Pension Fund; and

WHEREAS, the first semi-annual installment of taxes levied by the City of Indianapolis for the use of the Firemen's Pension Fund for the year 1954, will amount to more than Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars;

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

Section 1. That the City Controller of the City of Indianapolis is hereby authorized and empowered to negotiate a temporary loan in the year 1954, for the use and benefit of the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in anticipation of the current taxes for said Firemen's Pension Fund actually levied in the year 1953, and in the course of collection of the fiscal year 1954, for the use of the Firemen's Pension Fund, not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars; without considering the interest thereon to be added thereto, for a period not to exceed the time hereinafter fixed in this ordinance, at a rate of interest not to exceed four per cent (4%) per annum, the rate of interest to be fixed by the lowest interest bid for said loan. Said loan shall run for a period not to exceed One Hundred Eighty (180) days. The City Controller is authorized to make sale of said time warrants after a notice thereof shall have been published each week for two consecutive weeks in two newspapers of general circulation, printed in the English language and published in the City of Indianapolis, and said sale to be not less than ten (10) days after the last publication of said notices. Said time warrants are to be signed by the Mayor of the City of Indianapolis, and the City Controller, countersigned by the President of the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund of said City, and attested by the City Clerk, and the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be attached thereto, and said time warrants shall be payable at the Office of the City Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis, and to the payment of said time warrants the current revenues and taxes levied in the year 1953, and payable in the year 1954, for the Firemen's Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, are hereby irrevocably appropriated and pledged.

Section 2. That for the repayment of the principal amount of the temporary loan herein authorized by this ordinance there is hereby appropriated to Fire Pension Fund No. 63—Payment of Temporary Loans (hereby created), out of the current revenues and taxes for the year 1953, payable in the year 1954, for the Firemen's Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, the sum of Two Hundred Thousand (\$200,000.00) Dollars; and for the payment of the interest thereon is hereby appropriated to Fire Pension Fund No. 61—Interest on Temporary Loans, out of the above designated revenues and taxes the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,00.00) Dollars.

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

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

By Councilman Ehlers:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 149, 1953

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan in the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars, for the use of the Board of Trustees of the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, in anticipation of and payable out of the current taxes for the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund actually levied for said fund, and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which said loan is made payable; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, on the 9th day of November, 1953, the Board of Trustees of the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, has, by resolution duly adopted, determined to make a temporary loan in the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars, principal amount, without considering the interest thereon to be added thereto in a sum not to exceed Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars, in anticipation of and payable out of current taxes for the Police Pension Fund actually levied, and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which this loan is made payable, and has requested the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis to authorize such temporary loan; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis is now and will continue to be until on or about the 30th day of June, 1954, without sufficient funds to meet the payment of pensions and benefits to retired members and dependents of deceased members and other death benefits, and for other necessary current and incidental expenses of the year 1954, as provided in the annual budget of 1954, payable out of the Police Pension Fund; and

WHEREAS, the first semi-annual installment of taxes levied by the City of Indianapolis for the use of the Police Pension Fund for the year 1954 will amount to more than Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars:

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

Section 1. That the City Controller of the City of Indianapolis is hereby authorized and empowered to negotiate for and obtain a temporary loan in the year 1954, for the use and benefit of the Board of Trustees of the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in anticipation of the current taxes for said Police Pension Fund actually levied in the year 1953, and in the course of collection in the fiscal year 1954, for the use of the Police Pension Fund, not to exceed the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars, without considering the interest thereon to be added thereto, for a period not to exceed the time hereinafter fixed in this ordinance, at a rate of interest not to exceed four per cent (4%) per annum, the rate of interest to be fixed by the lowest interest bid for said loan. Said loan shall run for a period of not exceeding One Hundred Eighty (180) days. The City Controller is authorized to make sale of said time warrants after a notice thereof shall have been published once each week for two consecutive weeks in two newspapers of general circulation, printed in the English language and published in the City of Indianapolis, and said sale to be not less than ten (10) days after the last publication of said notice. Said time warrants are to be signed by the Mayor of the City of Indianapolis, and the City Controller, countersigned by the President of the Board of Trustees of the Indianapolis Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, and attested by the City Clerk, and the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be attached thereto, and said time warrants shall be payable at the office of the City Treasurer of the City of Indianapolis, and to the payment of said time warrants and current revenues and taxes levied in the year 1953, and payable in the year 1954, for the Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, are hereby irrevocably appropriated and pledged.

Section 2. That for the repayment of the principal amount of the temporary loan herein authorized by this ordinance there is hereby appropriated to Police Pension Fund No. 63—Payment of Temporary Loans (hereby created), out of the current revenues and taxes for the year 1953, payable in the year 1954, for the Police Pension Fund of the City of Indianapolis, the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$250,000.00) Dollars; and for the payment of interest thereon is hereby appropriated to Police Pension Fund No. 61 Interest on Temporary Loans, out of the above designated revenues and taxes the sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

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

By Councilman Radel:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 150, 1953

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, as adopted by General Ordinance No. 140, 1951, and more particularly Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-812, by the repeal of sub-section No. 118 thereof, prohibiting parking of vehicles at all times on the north side of Michigan Street from State Street to Oriental Street, and fixing a time when the said amendment shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-812 of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, be amended as follows, to-wit:

By the repeal of sub-section No. 118 thereof, as follows, to-wit:

Street	Side of Street	From	To
118. Michigan St.	North	State St.	Oriental St.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

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

By Councilman Radel:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 151, 1953

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, as adopted by General Ordinance No. 140, 1951, and more particu-

larly Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-819, sub-sections 64 and 65 thereof, prohibiting the owner, driver or operator of any vehicle from parking, stopping or standing on Washington Street between certain designated hours, subject to the penalties provided and fixing a time when the said amendment shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-819 be amended as follows, to-wit:

By amending sub-sections 64 and 65, as follows, to-wit:

	Street	Side of Street	From	To
64.	Washington St.	South	Delaware St.	Intersection of E. Washington St. with East City Limits
65.	Washington St.	North	Capitol Ave.	Intersection of W. Washington St. with West City Limits

all subject to the penalties as provided in Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-831 of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

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

By Councilman Radel:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 152, 1953

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951, as adopted by General Ordinance No. 140, 1951, and more particularly Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-821 thereof, prohibiting the own-

er, driver or operator of any vehicle from parking, stopping or standing on Emerson Avenue and on Sherman Drive between certain designated points and during certain designated hours, subject to the penalties provided and fixing a time when the said amendment shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-821 be amended as follows, to-wit:

By the addition of sub-sections 6 and 7, to read as follows, to-wit:

	Street	Side of Street	From	To
6.	Emerson Ave.	West	Washington St.	Tenth St.
7.	Sherman Dr.	West	Washington St.	Tenth St.

all subject to the penalties as provided in Title 4, Chapter 8, Section 4-831 of the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1951.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

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

By Councilman Radel:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 153, 1953

AN ORDINANCE establishing a certain passenger and/or loading zone in the City of Indianapolis, pursuant to the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended; 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 for the purpose of providing the owners or occupants of certain premises fronting on certain public streets in the



City of Indianapolis with ingress and egress for passengers, materials and merchandise coming to or going from such premises, such owners or occupants having complied with the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended, and the Board of Public Safety, after due investigation, having recommended the establishment of the same, the following passenger and/or loading zone be and the same is hereby established in City of Indianapolis, to wit:

(a) A loading zone beginning at a point eighty-seven (87) feet east of the east curb line of Shelby Street and extending twenty-two (22) feet east on the south side of Prospect Street, for the use and occupancy of Fountain Square Theatre Building, 1105 Prospect Street.

Section 2. That said loading zone is hereby declared to be subject to all existing traffic and parking regulations and to any later ordinances and regulations as may be applicable.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

Which was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on City Welfare.

## INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL ORDINANCE

By Councilman Ehlers:

### SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 25, 1953

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Flood Control Commissioners of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, through their duly authorized Purchasing Agent, to sell certain real estate belonging to the City of Indianapolis, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, certain land owned by the City of Indianapolis and heretofore used by the Board of Flood Control Commissioners, and more particularly hereinafter described, is no longer needed by the City of Indianapolis and has been wholly abandoned by the

Board of Flood Control Commissioners and is no longer necessary for the use of the Board of Flood Control Commissioners nor for the use and benefit of the general public; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed for the best interests of the City of Indianapolis to dispose of said land by sale;

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

Section 1. That the Board of Flood Control Commissioners of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, through their duly authorized Purchasing Agent, be and the same are hereby authorized, directed and empowered to sell the following described tract of real estate for cash to the highest bidder and for the amount equivalent to or above the duly appraised evaluation of such tract after the same has been appraised and advertised according to law, to wit:

Part of Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10 in Block 4 Blake and Ray's Subdivision of Outlot 12 West of White River, more particularly described as follows:

Part of Lot 7, Beginning at a point in the east line of said Lot 7, which point is ninety-four and thirty-five hundredths feet (94.35') north of the southeast corner of Lot 7; thence south along the east line of Lot 7, a distance of ninety-four and thirty-five hundredths feet (94.35') to the southeast corner of said Lot 7; thence west along the south line of Lot 7, a distance of sixty-one and twenty-five hundredths feet (61.25') to a point in the south line of said Lot 7; thence deflecting ninety-two (92) degrees and thirty (30) minutes to the right along a line making an angle of eighty-seven (87) degrees and thirty (30) minutes in the northeast quadrant with the aforesaid south line of Lot 7 at the aforesaid point, a distance of one hundred thirty-six and thirty-six hundredths feet (136.36') to a point; thence along a line in a southeasterly direction, a distance of sixty-nine and thirty-four hundredths feet (69.34'), more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 6,778 square feet, more or less.

Part of Lot 8, Beginning at a point in the east line of said Lot 8, which point is fifty-eight and fifty-eight hundredths feet (58.58') north of the southeast corner of said Lot 8; thence south along

the east line of Lot 8, a distance of fifty-eight and fifty-eight hundredths feet (58.58') to the southeast corner of Lot 8; thence west along the south line of Lot 8, a distance of forty-seven and twenty-five hundredths feet (47.25') to the southwest corner of Lot 8; thence north along the west line of Lot 8, a distance of ninety-four and thirty-five hundredths feet (94.35') to a point in the west line of Lot 8; thence along a line in a southeasterly direction, a distance of fifty-nine and twenty hundredths feet (59.20'), more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 3,613 square feet, more or less.

Part of Lot 9, Beginning at a point in the east line of Lot 9, which point is eleven and forty-three hundredths feet (11.43') north of the southeast corner of said Lot 9; thence south along the east line of Lot 9, a distance of eleven and forty-three hundredths feet (11.43') to the southeast corner of Lot 9; thence west along the south line of Lot 9, a distance of forty-seven and twenty-five hundredths feet (47.25') to the southwest corner of Lot 9; thence north along the west line of Lot 9, a distance of forty-seven and twenty-seven hundredths feet (47.27') to a point in the west line of Lot 9; thence along a line in a southeasterly direction, a distance of fifty-nine and twenty-five hundredths feet (59.25'), more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 1,387 square feet, more or less.

Part of Lot 10, Beginning at a point in the south line of Lot 10, which point is fifteen feet (15') east of the southwest corner of Lot 10; thence west along the south line of Lot 10, a distance of fifteen feet (15') to the southwest corner of Lot 10; thence north along the west line of Lot 10, a distance of eleven and forty-three hundredths feet (11.43') to a point in the west line of Lot 10; thence along a line in a southeasterly direction, a distance of eighteen and ninety hundredths feet (18.90'), more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 86 square feet, more or less.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor, and compliance with all laws pertaining thereto.

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

## ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Ehlers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 37, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Ehlers at this time withdrew his motion for engrossment and passage of Appropriation Ordinance No. 37, 1953.

Mr. Ehlers called for General Ordinance No. 145, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ehlers, seconded by Mr. Radel, General Ordinance No. 145, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 145, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Ehlers called for General Ordinance No. 146, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ehlers, seconded by Mr. Radel, General Ordinance No. 146, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 146, 1953 was read a third

time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

On motion of Mr. Ehlers, seconded by Mr. Radel, Appropriation Ordinance No. 37, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 37, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Ehlers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ehlers, seconded by Mr. Wicker, Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Ehlers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ehlers, seconded by Mr. Radel, Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Ehlers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 40, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ehlers, seconded by Mr. Wicker, Appropriation Ordinance No. 40, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 40, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Ehlers called for General Ordinance No. 126, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ehlers, seconded by Mr. Eltzroth, General Ordinance No. 126, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 126, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Brown called for General Ordinance No. 140, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Ehlers, General Ordinance No. 140, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 140, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Brown called for General Ordinance No. 141, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Eltzroth, General Ordinance No. 141, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 141, 1953 was read a third time

by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Brown called for General Ordinance No. 142, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Eltzroth, General Ordinance No. 142, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 142, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Brown called for General Ordinance No. 143, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Eltzroth, General Ordinance No. 143, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 143, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.



Mr. Radel called for General Ordinance No. 144, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Radel, seconded by Mr. Ehlers, General Ordinance No. 144, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 144, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Eltzroth called for Special Ordinance No. 23, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Eltzroth, seconded by Mr. Radel, Special Ordinance No. 23, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Special Ordinance No. 23, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

Mr. Eltzroth called for Special Ordinance No. 24, 1953 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Eltzroth, seconded by Mr. Ehlers,

Special Ordinance No. 24, 1953 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Special Ordinance No. 24, 1953 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes 9, viz: Mr. Brown, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Eltzroth, Mr. Emhardt, Mr. Radel, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, Mr. Wicker, President Bright.

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#### NEW BUSINESS

President Bright announced the next order of business would be the appointment of two members to the Off-Street Parking Commission.

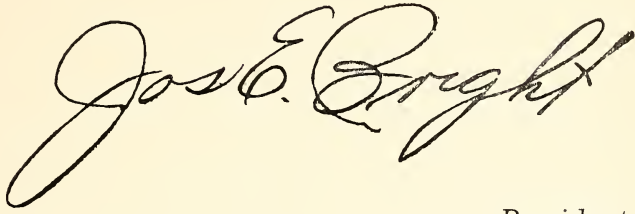
Mr. Ehlers made a motion that Mr. Donald Jameson and Mr. Edward D. Pierre be re-appointed by the Council to serve for a term of three years on the Off-Street Parking Commission.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Wicker and carried by the unanimous voice vote of the Council.

On motion of Mr. Brown, seconded by Mr. Radel, the Common Council adjourned at 10:15 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 7th day of December, 1953, at 7:30 P.M.

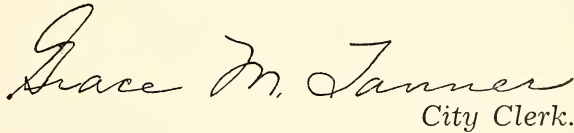
In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our signatures and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.

A large, elegant handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joseph E. Bright".

ATTEST:

*President.*

(SEAL)

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Grace M. Tanner".  

*City Clerk.*

