

REGULAR MEETING

Monday, May 18, 1942.

7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber in the City Hall, Monday, May 18, 1942, at 7:30 p. m. in regular session. President Bach in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Absent: Mr. Moynahan, Mr. Ransom.

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

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

May 7, 1942.

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

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to Mr. John M. Layton, City Clerk, the following ordinances:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 8, 1942

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Four Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-nine Dollars and Twenty-seven Cents (\$4,379.27) from the anticipated unexpended and unappropriated balance for the year 1942 of the General Fund of the City of Indianapolis to the "Municipal Improvement Certificate Fund" of said city; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 28, 1942

AN ORDINANCE to amend Sections 2 and 13 of General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, as amended, of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 33, 1942

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, 1931, as amended by General Ordinance No. 58, 1931; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 34, 1942

AN ORDINANCE approving an order of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis to establish a taxicab stand on Roosevelt Avenue in said city, pursuant to Section 9 of General Ordinance No. 87, 1935, as amended; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 35, 1942

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Public Works and Sanitation to purchase, through its duly authorized purchasing agent, certain materials and supplies to be paid for out of funds heretofore appropriated; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully,

R. H. SULLIVAN,
Mayor.

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May 8, 1942.

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

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to
Mr. John M. Layton, City Clerk, the following ordinance:

SPECIAL ORDINANCE No. 2, 1942

AN ORDINANCE annexing certain contiguous territory to the City
of Indianapolis, and fixing a time when the same shall take
effect.

Respectfully,

R. H. SULLIVAN,
Mayor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

May 18, 1942.

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

Gentlemen:

In Re: Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1942

I beg leave to report that in accordance with the laws of the
State of Indiana, I caused notice of public hearing to be inserted in
the Indianapolis Times and the Indianapolis Star that taxpayers

would have the right to be heard on the above ordinance at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held on the 18th day of May, 1942, and by posting copy of said notice in the City Hall, Court House and Police Station.

Very truly yours,

JOHN M. LAYTON,
City Clerk

May 18, 1942.

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

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is General Ordinance No. 42, 1942, prohibiting parking at all times in designated sections of Hosbrook Street and Wyoming Street, and we respectfully recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

By L. J. Keach,
President.

May 18, 1942.

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

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is General Ordinance No. 43, 1942, estab-

lishing twenty-one (21) additional taxicab stands in the congested district, and we respectfully recommend the passage of the ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

By L. J. Keach,
President.

At this time those present were given an opportunity to be heard on Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1942.

Mr. Moore asked for a recess. The motion was seconded by Dr. Hemphill and the Council recessed at 7:45 p. m.

The Council reconvened at 9:00 p. m. with the same members present as before.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18, 1942.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1942, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating \$35,000 to City of Indianapolis City Hospital Bonds of 1941;

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

ERNEST C. ROPKEY, Chairman
JOSEPH G. WOOD
GUY O. ROSS

May 11, 1942.

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

Gentlemen:

The City Plan Commission, at its regular meeting on May 4, 1942, waived the Rules of Procedure for a public hearing on General Ordinance No. 36, 1942, and recommended the adoption of this ordinance.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE F. ROOKER,
Secretary-Engineer,
CITY PLAN COMMISSION.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18, 1942.

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. 37, 1942, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE establishing Road No. 431 through City
of Indianapolis;

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

JOSEPH G. WOOD, Chairman
ERNEST C. ROPKEY
HARMON A. CAMPBELL
RALPH F. MOORE

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18, 1942.

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. 38, 1942, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE creating a Bureau of Fire Prevention under the Fire Department of the Board of Safety;

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

JOSEPH G. WOOD, Chairman
ERNEST C. ROPKEY
H. A. CAMPBELL
RALPH F. MOORE

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18, 1942.

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. 39, 1942, entitled:

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AN ORDINANCE prohibiting and regulating parking on certain parts of certain streets;

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

JOSEPH G. WOOD, Chairman
ERNEST C. ROPKEY
HARMON A. CAMPBELL
RALPH F. MOORE

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18, 1942.

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. 40, 1942, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE amending section 44 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended (New Jersey, Holmes and Nowland Ave.);

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

JOSEPH G. WOOD, Chairman
ERNEST C. ROPKEY
HARMON A. CAMPBELL
RALPH F. MOORE

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18, 1942.

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. 41, 1942, entitled:

Switch permit—Cinder Block & Material Company;

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

ERNEST C. ROPKEY
JOSEPH G. WOOD
WALTER E. HEMPHILL
HARMON A. CAMPBELL

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 42, 1942

AN ORDINANCE prohibiting parking on certain parts of certain
streets in the City of Indianapolis; providing a penalty for the
violation thereof; 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 it shall be unlawful for the operator of any
vehicle to park the same or suffer, permit or allow the same to be
parked at any time upon certain parts of certain streets in the City
of Indianapolis, described as follows:

- (a) On the northeast side of Hosbrook Street, from Cedar Street to Shelby Street.
- (b) On the south side of Wyoming Street, from the west curb line of Alabama Street to the first alley west of Alabama Street.

Section 2. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00), to which may be added imprisonment not exceeding one hundred eighty (180) days.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the mayor and publication according to law.

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

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 43, 1942

AN ORDINANCE approving an order of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis to establish certain taxicab stands in said city, pursuant to Section 9 of General Ordinance No. 87, 1935, as amended; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis on May 12, 1942, adopted an order to establish certain taxicab stands in said city, as hereinafter described, pursuant to Section 9 of General Ordinance No. 87, 1935, as amended; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That the said order of the said Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, dated May 12, 1942, shall be and it is hereby approved so as to establish certain taxicab stands for the number of cabs as hereinafter designated and situated as follows, to-wit:

- (a) On the west side of Meridian Street, starting at a point 28 feet north of the north curb line of Pearl Street and extending 36 feet north—2 cab stands.
- (b) On the southwest segment of Monument Circle, starting at a point 12 feet northwest of the fire hydrant and extending northwest a distance of 18 feet—1 cab stand (in addition to 1 cab stand at fire hydrant).
- (c) On the southeast segment of Monument Circle, starting at a point 16 feet southwest of the fire hydrant and extending southwest a distance of 18 feet—1 cab stand (in addition to 1 cab stand at fire hydrant).
- (d) On the northeast segment of Monument Circle, starting at a point 15 feet southeast of the fire hydrant and extending southeast a distance of 18 feet—1 cab stand.
- (e) On the north side of Market Street, starting at a point 40 feet east of the east curb line of Illinois Street and extending to a point 10 feet west of the west line of the first alley east of Illinois Street—4 cab stand.
- (f) On the east side of Pennsylvania Street, starting at a point 70 feet north of the north curb line of Market Street and extending 36 feet north—2 cab stand.
- (g) On the west side of Illinois Street, starting at a point 54 feet north of the north curb line of Court Street and extending 36 feet north—2 cab stand.
- (h) On the east side of Illinois Street, starting at a point 15 feet south of the south curb line of Miami Street and extending south a distance of 56 feet—3 cab stand.
- (i) On the south side of Market Street, starting at a point 14 feet west of the west curb line of the first alley west of Pennsylvania Street and extending 40 feet west—2 cab stand.

- (j) On the south side of Washington Street, starting at a point 15 feet east of the east curb line of the first alley west of Meridian Street and extending east a distance of 20 feet—1 cab stand.

- (k) On the south side of Washington Street, starting at a point 15 feet east of the east curb line of the first alley east of Meridian Street and extending east a distance of 36 feet—2 cab stand.

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

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

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Ropkey called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Wood, Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 9, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Campbell called for General Ordinance No. 36, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Campbell made a motion that General Ordinance No. 36, 1942, be stricken from the files. The motion was seconded by Mr. Moore, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

General Ordinance No. 36, 1942, was stricken from the files.

Mr. Wood called for General Ordinance No. 37, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Wood made a motion that General Ordinance No. 37, 1942, be stricken from the files. The motion was seconded by Mr. Ropkey and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

General Ordinance No. 37, 1942, was stricken from the files.

Mr. Wood called for General Ordinance No. 38, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Wood presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 38, 1942.

May 18, 1942.

Mr. President:

I move to amend General Ordinance No. 38, 1942, as follows, to-wit:

By striking out all of Paragraph 800.

By amending Paragraph 802 thereof so that the same shall read as follows:

"Paragraph 802: Effective Date. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

JOSEPH G. WOOD,

Member of the Common Council.

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

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

On motion of Mr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Moore, General Ordinance No. 38, 1942, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 38, 1942, as amended was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Wood called for General Ordinance No. 39, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Campbell, General Ordinance No. 39, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 39, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Wood called for General Ordinance No. 40, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Ropkey, General Ordinance No. 40, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 40, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Ropkey called for General Ordinance No. 41, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Campbell, General Ordinance No. 41, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 41, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

On motion of Mr. Moore, seconded by Mr. Ross, the Council adjourned at 9:15 p. m.

Ollie A. Bach

Attest:

President.

John M. Layton

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City Clerk.