

REGULAR MEETING

Monday, September 20, 1943.
7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chambers at the City Hall, Monday, September 20, 1943, at 7:30 p. m., in regular session. Vice-President Kealing in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.
Absent: Mr. Jordan, President Schumacher.

The reading of the Journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with on motion of Mr. Worley, and seconded by Mr. Bowers.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

September 8, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to Mr. Frank J. Noll, Jr., City Clerk, the following ordinances:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 61, 1943

AN ORDINANCE prohibiting parking on certain parts of certain streets of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana; providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 62, 1943

AN ORDINANCE establishing the annual budget of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 1944, and ending December 31, 1944, appropriating monies for the purpose of defraying the expenses and all outstanding claims and obligations of the several departments and officials of the city government; and fixing and establishing the annual rate of taxation and tax levy for the year 1943 for each fund for which a special tax levy is authorized, and fixing a time when this ordinance shall take effect.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 43, 1943

AN ORDINANCE transferring, reallocating, and reappropriating the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800.00) from Fund No. 72, Equipment, Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to Fund No. 53, Refunds, Awards, and Indemnities, in the same department, as per 1943 budget classification; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 44, 1943

AN ORDINANCE transferring the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000.00) from Fund No. 11, Nurses Training School, Wards, Graduate Nurses, Supervisors, City Hospital, Board of Public Health and Charities, and reappropriating and reallocating the same to certain other designated funds in said Department; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 45, 1943

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) from the estimated, anticipated, and unexpended 1943 balance of the General Fund of the Department of Public Sanitation of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to Fund No. 24, Administration, of said Department; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully,

ROBERT H. TYNDALL,
Mayor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

In Re: A. O. Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54
and 55, 1943

I beg leave to report that pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused "Notice to Taxpayers of Public Hearing" to be inserted in the following newspapers, to-wit:

A. O. Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54 and 55, 1943—Friday, September 10, 1943—The Indianapolis Commercial and Indianapolis News.

that Taxpayers would have the right to be heard on the above ordinances at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held, September 20, 1943, and by posting copies of notices in the City Hall, Court House and Police Station in the City of Indianapolis, which notices remained posted for more than 10 days prior to the date of hearing.

Sincerely,

FRANK J. NOLL, JR.,
City Clerk.

September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

In Re: G. O. No. 55, 1943, and G. O. No. 57, 1943

I beg leave to report pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused publication to be inserted in the following newspapers:

G. O. No. 55, 1943—Friday, August 27, and September 3, 1943—The Indianapolis News and The Messenger.

G. O. No. 57, 1943—Friday, August 27, and September 3, 1943—
The Indianapolis News and The Messenger.

and that said Ordinances are now in full force and effect as of the
last date of publication.

Sincerely,

FRANK J. NOLL, JR.,
City Clerk.

September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

In Re: G. O. Nos. 68 and 69, 1943

I beg leave to report that pursuant to the laws of the State
of Indiana, I caused "Notice to the Public" to be inserted in the
following newspapers, to-wit:

G. O. No. 68, 1943—Friday, September 3, 1943—The Indianapolis
Star and The Indianapolis Times.

G. O. No. 69, 1943—Friday, September 10, 1943—The Marion County Messenger and The Indiana Catholic and Record.

that taxpayers would have the right to be heard on the above ordinances at the meeting of the Common Council to be held on September 20, 1943.

Sincerely,

FRANK J. NOLL, JR.,
City Clerk.

September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached are copies of Appropriation Ordinance No. 56, 1943, appropriating the sum of \$350.00 from Fund No. 26, Fire Department, Department of Public Safety, to Fund No. 36, Office Supplies, of the same department.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

ROY E. HICKMAN,
City Controller.

September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached are copies of Appropriation Ordinance No. 57, 1943, appropriating the sum of \$1,200.00 from Fund No. 11, Engineer (Clarification), Sewage Disposal Plant, Department of Public Sanitation, to Funds No. 26 of the Sewage Disposal Plant and Garbage Reduction Plant.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

ROY E. HICKMAN,
City Controller.

September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached are copies of Appropriation Ordinance No. 58, 1943, appropriating the sum of \$1,331.42 from Fund No. 72, Laundry Divi-

sion of Fund No. 22, Maintenance and Repairs Division, City Hospital, Department of Public Health & Charities, to Funds No. 11 of the Garage and Power Plant, City Hospital, increasing various salaries.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

ROY E. HICKMAN,
City Controller.

September 18, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached herto 18 copies of General Ordinance No. 70, 1943, pursuant to the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended, proposing that the following be designated as "Loading Zones."

Beginning at a point two hundred and eighty-four (284) feet from the west curb line of Delaware Street, on the east side of Massachusetts Avenue and extending southwest eighteen (18) feet. . .

Beginning at a point one hundred and twenty-six (126) feet east of the east curb line of North Pennsylvania Street and extending east eighteen (18) feet on the north side of East Market Street.

The Board of Safety recommends the passage of this ordinance.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

By WM. H. REMY,
President.

September 20, 1943.

Honorable President and Members
of the Common Council
City of Indianapolis

Gentlemen:

Attached are 18 copies of Resolution No. 9, 1943.

I sincerely recommend the passage of this Resolution.

Respectfully,

WILLIE B. SULLIVAN,
Councilman

September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

I am submitting herewith 18 copies of Resolution No. 10, 1943, providing for the appointment of a committee to determine the proper steps necessary for a new Municipal Code for the City of Indianapolis. A city the size of Indianapolis should have a suitable code and in my opinion it is regrettable that action was not taken a number of years ago to provide the same.

I believe you as members of the Common Council would perform a very valuable service to the community by making possible the establishment of a new code.

A codification of ordinances is a matter wholly within the powers of the Council as provided by statute. The purpose of this Resolution is merely to get the movement under way.

Sincerely yours,

FRANK J. NOLL, JR.,
City Clerk.

At this time those present were given an opportunity to be heard on Appropriation Ordinances Nos. 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54 and 55, 1943, and General Ordinances Nos. 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69, 1943, and Special Ordinance No. 1, 1943.

Mr. Bowers asked for recess. The motion was seconded by Mr. Worley, and the Council recessed at 7:45 p. m.

The Council reconeved at 9:15 p. m., with the same members present as before.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 46, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE amending certain items in Fund No. 11, Department of Public Safety in the 1943 budget as enacted by General Ordinance No. 61, 1942, beginning as of October 1, 1943, and transferring, appropriating and reallocating the sum of One Thousand Three

Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$1,350.00) from said items to other items in said Fund of the same Department, effective as of October 1, 1943; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

R. C. DAUSS, Chairman
O. H. WORLEY
EDWARD R. KEALING
HERMAN E. BOWERS

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 47, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE transferring certain sums of money from certain designated funds in the Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana,

to certain other funds of said Department, as per 1943 budget classification; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

ROSS MANLY, Chairman
R. C. DAUSS
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN
O. H. WORLEY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

**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. 48, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Two Dollars and Eighty-Six Cents (\$6,352.86) from the estimated, anticipated, unappropriated and unexpended 1943 balance of the General Fund of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to the Department of Public Works, Administration

Fund No. 22—Heat, Light and Power, as per 1943 budget classification, for the purpose of paying a delinquent 1939 bill; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

HERMAN E. BOWERS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER
R. C. DAUSS
ROSS MANLY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 49, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700.00) from the unappropriated and unexpended balance of the Park Land Fund of the

Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to Fund No. 73 of said Department, etc.;

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

ROSS MANLY, Chairman
R. C. DAUSS
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER
O. H. WORLEY
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 50, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty-Two Dollars (\$12,562.00) from the estimated, anticipated and unex-

pended 1943 balance of the General Fund of the Municipal Airport of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, etc.;

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

EDWARD R. KEALING, Chairman
HERMAN E. BOWERS
R. C. DAUSS
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 51, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE transferring the sum of Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$5,500.00) from Fund No. 11, Salaries and Wages, Regular, Patrolmen, Police Department in the Department of Public Safety of Indianapolis, Indiana, and reallocating and appropriating

same to certain other funds in the same Department, as per 1943 budget classification; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

R. C. DAUSS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
HERMAN E. BOWERS
O. H. WORLEY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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. 52, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE transferring the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) from Fund No. 46, Radio Parts, Police Radio Division, Department of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to Fund No. 26 in the same Department, as per 1943 budget classifi-

cation, for the purpose of painting the radio station antenna towers as required by the Federal Communications Commission; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

HERMAN E. BOWERS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
R. C. DAUSS
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER
ROSS MANLY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on City Welfare, to whom was referred Appropriation Ordinance No. 53, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000.00) from the estimated, anticipated, unappropriated and unexpended 1943 balance of the General Fund of the Municipal Airport of Indianapolis, Indiana, to Fund No. 72, Equipment, Municipal

Airport in the Board of Public Works and Sanitation Department, as per 1943 budget classification, for the purchase of certain designated equipment; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

CARSON C. JORDAN, Chairman
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN
ROSS MANLY
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER
HERMAN E. BOWERS

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 54, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Two Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$2,950.00) from the estimated, anticipated, unexpended, and unappropriated

1943 balance of the Department of Public Sanitation General Fund to Fund No. 45 of said Department, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

EDWARD R. KEALING, Chairman
HERMAN E. BOWERS
R. C. DAUSS
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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. 55, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Six Dollars and Thirteen Cents (\$5,166.13) from the estimated, anticipated, unexpended and unappropriated 1943 balance of the General Fund of the Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to Fund No. 51, Insurance and Premiums, of the same Department; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

HERMAN E. BOWERS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
R. C. DAUSS
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER
ROSS MANLY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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. 63, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE prohibiting and regulating parking on certain parts of certain streets in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana; providing a penalty for violation thereof; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

R. C. DAUSS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
HERMAN E. BOWERS
O. H. WORLEY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Law and Judiciary, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 64, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE abolishing the taxi-cab stand located on the north side of Market Street, immediately east of Illinois Steet, in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

OTTO H. WORLEY, Chairman
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN
HERMAN E. BOWERS
EDWARD R. KEALING
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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. 65, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 44 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

R. C. DAUSS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
HERMAN E. BOWERS
O. H. WORLEY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 66, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Public Works and Sanitation, Municipal Airport, to make certain repairs, alterations and improvements and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
ROSS MANLY
O. H. WORLEY
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

**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. 67, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section Twenty-Nine (29) of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925, known as the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1925; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

R. C. DAUSS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
HERMAN E. BOWERS
O. H. WORLEY

September 20, 1943.

Honorable President and Members
of the Common Council
City of Indianapolis

Gentlemen:

The City Plan Commission, at its regular meeting on August 30, 1943, approved and recommended the passage of General Ordinance

No. 68, 1943, an Ordinance to amend Section 3(b) of General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance.

Respectfully yours,

OTTO T. FERGER,
Secretary
CITY PLAN COMMISSION

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Law and Judiciary, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 68, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 3(b) of General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

O. H. WORLEY, Chairman
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN
HERMAN E. BOWERS
EDWARD R. KEALING
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER,

September 20, 1943.

Honorable President and Members
of the Common Council
City of Indianapolis

Gentlemen:

The City Plan Commission, at its regular meeting on August 30, 1943, approved and recommended the passage of General Ordinance No. 69, 1943, an Ordinance to amend Section 5 of General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance.

Respectfully yours,

OTTO T. FERGER,
Secretary,
CITY PLAN COMMISSION.

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 69, 1943, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 5 of General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, as amended by General Ordinance No. 79, 1942; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect;

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

EDWARD R. KEALING, Chairman
HERMAN E. BOWERS
R. C. DAUSS
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Election, to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 1, 1943, entitled:

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

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

WILLIE B. SULLIVAN, Chairman
R. C. DAUSS
HERMAN E. BOWERS
ROSS MANLY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Resolution No. 6, 1943, entitled:

WHEREAS, there has been considerable loss of life by drowning in the Canal of the Indianapolis Water Company and in other waterways within the City of Indianapolis, apparently due to a lack of proper protection by the City, and etc.;

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

R. C. DAUSS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
HERMAN E. BOWERS
O. H. WORLEY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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 Resolution No. 7, 1943, entitled:

WHEREAS, the number, duties and compensation of the employees of the City of Indianapolis have never heretofore been determined by any co-ordinated study or plan, but by the individual ideas of officials and department heads in changing administrations throughout the years, and etc.;

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

HERMAN E. BOWERS, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
R. C. DAUSS
LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER
ROSS MANLY

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred Resolution No. 8, 1943, entitled:

WHEREAS, on May 17, 1943, the Federal Works Agency, through its Regional Director in Chicago, Illinois, submitted its offer of Federal Funds for the maintenance and operation of the Detention Hospital and Clinic for venereally infected persons, in the City of Indianapolis, wherein said Agency proposed to contribute to the City of Indianapolis for such maintenance and operation the sum of One Hundred Nine Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$109,520.00), for the period beginning January 1, 1943, and ending December 21, 1943, or such lesser sum as the Federal Works Administrator might determine to be sufficient, and etc.;

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

LUCIAN B. MERIWETHER, Chairman
EDWARD R. KEALING
ROSS MANLY
O. H. WORLEY
WILLIE B. SULLIVAN

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES

By the City Controller:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 56, 1943

AN ORDINANCE transferring, reallocating and reappropriating the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) from Fund No. 26, Fire Department in the Department of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to Fund No. 36, Office Supplies, in the same Department; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, there will be a probable excess in the amount of Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) in Fund No. 26, Fire Department of the Department of Public Safety of Indianapolis, Indiana, which amount is sufficient to supply the deficiency which now exists in Fund No. 36, Office Supplies of the same Department, if transferred, without increasing or affecting current tax levies; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) be and the same is hereby transferred, reallocated and reappropriated from Fund No. 26, Fire Department under the Department of Public Safety of Indianapolis, Indiana, according to 1943 Budget classifications, to Fund No. 36, Office Supplies, of the same Department.

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 the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

By the City Controller:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 57, 1943

AN ORDINANCE transferring, reallocating and reappropriating the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00) from Fund No. 11, Engineer (Clarification), Sewage Disposal Plant of the Department of Public Sanitation of Indianapolis, Indiana, to certain other designated funds in the same Department, according to 1943 Budget classifications; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, there exists a probable excess of Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00) in a certain fund of the Sewage Disposal Plant in the Department of Public Sanitation, which excess is available for and now required by certain other funds in the same Department because of deficiencies in the latter funds, and such transfer, reallocation and reappropriation of said excess to such deficient funds will not increase or affect current tax levies; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00) be and the same is hereby transferred, reallocated and reappropriated from Fund No. 11, Salaries and Wages, Regular, Engineer (Clarification) under Sewage Disposal Plant of the Department of Public Sanitation of Indianapolis, Indiana, according to 1943 Budget classifications, to the following designated funds of the same Department in the respective amounts indicated, to-wit:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SANITATION

GARBAGE REDUCTION PLANT

Fund 26—Services (Other Contractual).....\$ 500.00

SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT

Fund 26—Services (Other Contractual)..... 700.00

TOTAL.....\$1,200.00

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

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

By the City Controller:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 58, 1943

AN ORDINANCE transferring, reallocating and reappropriating the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-One Dollars and Forty-Two Cents (\$1,331.42) from certain funds to other designated funds in the City Hospital, Department of Public Health and Charities of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, according to 1943 budget classifications, for the purpose of increasing certain salaries beginning as of October 15, 1943; and fixing a time when this ordinance shall take effect.

WHEREAS, under the present Emergency and high salaries, the city is faced with the necessity of increasing the salaries of certain employees in order to maintain reasonably efficient service for the public; and

WHEREAS, there exists sufficient excess in certain funds in the Department involved to provide for such increases, beginning as of October 15, 1943, by transfer thereof to the necessary salary and wage funds, without thereby increasing or otherwise affecting existing tax levies; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That the sum of Three Hundred Ten Dollars and Forty Cents (\$310.40) be transferred, reallocated and reappropriated from Fund No. 72, Laundry Division of the City Hospital under the Department of Public Health and Charities of Indianapolis, Indiana, beginning as of October 15, 1943, to the respective items hereinafter

designated in the respective amounts indicated, in Fund No. 11, Salaries and Wages, Regular, Garage, of the same Department according to 1943 Budget classifications, for the purpose of increasing certain salaries, as also designated hereinafter, in the respective amounts therein indicated, to-wit:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES
CITY HOSPITAL

Fund No. 11—Salaries and Wages, Regular.

Garage Foreman (increase from \$1,920.00 to \$2,400.00 per year)	\$100.00
Mechanic and Chauffeur (increase from \$1,710.00 to \$2,000.00 per year)	60.40
Chauffeurs (increase from \$1,620.00 to \$1,800.00 max. per year)	150.00
Additional Appropriation.....	\$310.40

Section 2. That the sum of One Thousand Twenty-One Dollars and Two Cents (\$1,021.02) be transferred, reallocated and reappropriated from Fund No. 22, Maintenance and Repairs Division, City Hospital under the Department of Public Health and Charities of Indianapolis, Indiana, beginning as of October 15, 1943, to the respective items hereinafter designated in the respective amounts indicated, in Fund No. 11, Salaries and Wages, Regular, Power Plant, City Hospital, in the same Department, according to 1943 Budget Classifications, for the purpose of increasing certain salaries, as also hereinafter designated, in the respective amounts therein indicated, to-wit:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES
CITY HOSPITAL
POWER PLANT

Fund No. 11—Salaries and Wages, Regular.

Chief Operating Engineer (increase from \$2,500.00 to \$3,000.00 per year)	\$ 104.18
Operating Engineers (8) (increase from \$1,700.00 to \$2,100.00 max. each per year).....	666.80
Foreman (3) (increase from \$1,540.00 to \$1,800.00 max. each per year)	162.54
Mechanic (increase from \$1,380.00 to \$1,800.00 per year)	87.50
Additional Appropriation.....	\$1,021.02

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 the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Works.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 70, 1943

AN ORDINANCE establishing certain passenger and/or loading zones in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, pursuant to the pro-

visions 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 streets in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, 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, relative to the establishment of passenger and/or loading zones, at the places hereinafter set out, and the Board of Public Safety having caused investigation to be made thereof and having recommended the establishment, pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid ordinance, the following passenger and/or loading zones be and the same are hereby established in the City of Indianapolis, to-wit:

Beginning at a point two hundred and eighty-four (284) feet from the west curb line of Delaware Street, on the east side of Massachusetts Avenue and extending south-west eighteen (18) feet.

Beginning at a point one hundred and twenty-six (126) feet east of the east curb line of North Pennsylvania Street and extending east eighteen (18) feet on the north side of East Market Street.

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

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

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

By Councilman Sullivan :

RESOLUTION No. 9, 1943

WHEREAS, there exists in the City of Indianapolis a condition that is detrimental to the health and safety of its citizens, to-wit: numerous buildings, houses and other structures which through neglect and abandonment on the part of the owners thereof have become unsafe to the extent of endangering the lives of occupants and persons living in the vicinity because of said structural defects, fire hazards and unsanitary conditions;

WHEREAS, there are certain ordinances of the City of Indianapolis and laws of the State of Indiana relating to such conditions, such ordinances and laws being intended to correct such conditions and promote the health and safety of the citizens of Indianapolis;

WHEREAS, notwithstanding the existence of such ordinances and laws the above mentioned conditions continue to exist to the extent that the lives and health of the citizens are endangered;

WHEREAS, this body deems that an emergency now exists which demands prompt action on the part of parties responsible for the enforcement of said laws and ordinances;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, that the President of the Common Council is hereby empowered to appoint a committee of three (3) members of the Common Council to investigate such conditions as they exist and to report to the Common Council within thirty (30) days;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that said committee shall have full authority to investigate any department of the City concerned with the enforcement of such ordinances and laws; subpoena witness and records of said departments; make recommendations as to proposed changes in City Ordinances affecting the same;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk, as Clerk of Common Council be and is hereby designated as Clerk of said committee with full authority, as provided by the statutes of the State of Indiana, to serve said subpoenas upon any employee of the City of Indianapolis, any person residing within the City of Indianapolis or upon any officer of any corporation located within said City.

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

By the Department of City Clerk:

RESOLUTION No. 10, 1943

WHEREAS, the last official codification and publication of ordinances for the City of Indianapolis was in 1925, and

WHEREAS, many ordinances contained in said codification have become obsolete and hundreds of new ordinances have been subsequently enacted and become law, and,

WHEREAS, the need for a new codification, with proper supplement to keep the same up-to-date, is apparent, and,

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis believes that proper steps should be taken immediately to provide a suitable code for the government of the City;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, By the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis in regular meeting assembled that the President of the Council appoint a committee of three (3) members of the Council to ascertain what steps shall be necessary for such codification and accordingly prepare the proper ordinances to provide for and to defray the expenses of such codification.

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

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Manly called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 47, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Manly, seconded by Mr. Dauss, Appropriation Ordinance No. 47, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 47, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Manly called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 49, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Manly, seconded by Mr. Dauss, Appropriation Ordinance No. 49, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 49, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Bowers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 50, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Bowers, seconded by Mr. Worley, Appropriation Ordinance No. 50, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 50, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Dauss called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 51, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Dauss, seconded by Mr. Manly, Appropriation Ordinance No. 51, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 51, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Bowers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 52, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Bowers, seconded by Mr. Dauss, Appropriation Ordinance No. 52, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 52, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Sullivan called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 53, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Sullivan, seconded by Mr. Manly, Appropriation Ordinance No. 53, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 53, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Bowers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 54, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Bowers, seconded by Mr. Worley, Appropriation Ordinance No. 54, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 54, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Bowers called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 55, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Bowers, seconded by Mr. Manly, Appropriation Ordinance No. 55, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 55, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Dauss called for General Ordinance No. 63, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Dauss, seconded by Mr. Bowers, General Ordinance No. 63, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 63, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 6, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Noes, 1, viz: Mr. Manly.

Dr. Meriwether called for General Ordinance No. 66, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Dr. Meriwether, seconded by Mr. Manly, General Ordinance No. 66, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 66, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Dauss called for General Ordinance No. 67, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Dauss presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 67, 1943:

Indianapolis, Ind., September 20, 1943.

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 67, 1943, be amended by striking out the words and figures—"Five Dollars (\$5.00)" in Section 1, sub-section—Section 29. MATRON: and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures: "Four Dollars (\$4.00)."

R. C. DAUSS,
Councilman.

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

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

On motion of Mr. Dauss, seconded by Mr. Sullivan, General Ordinance No. 67, 1943, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 67, 1943, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Worley called for General Ordinance No. 68, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Worley, seconded by Mr. Bowers, General Ordinance No. 68, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 68, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Bowers called for General Ordinance No. 69, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Bowers, seconded by Mr. Worley, General Ordinance No. 69, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 69, 1943, was read for a third time and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Mr. Bowers called for Resolution No. 7, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Bowers, seconded by Mr. Dauss, Resolution No. 7, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Resolution No. 7, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

Dr. Meriwether called for Resolution No. 8, 1943, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Dr. Meriwether, seconded by Mr. Bowers, Resolution No. 8, 1943, was ordered engrossed, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

Resolution No. 8, 1943, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Bowers, Mr. Dauss, Mr. Manly, Dr. Meriwether, Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Worley, Vice-President Kealing.

On motion of Mr. Dauss, seconded by Mr. Bowers, the Common Council adjourned at 9:50 p. m.

We hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, held on the 20th day of September, 1943, 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.

Edward R. Keating

Vice-President

Attest:

Frank J. Holly

City Clerk.

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