

## REGULAR MEETING

Monday, November 15, 1937  
7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, Monday, November 15, 1937, at 7:30 p. m., in regular session. President Edward B. Raub in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Edward B. Raub, President, and eight members, viz: Theodore Cable, Silas J. Carr, Nannette Dowd, Adolph J. Fritz, Edward R. Kealing, William A. Oren, John A. Schumacher, Ross H. Wallace.

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

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

November 4, 1937

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

I have today approved with my signature and delivered to the Honorable Daniel J. O'Neill, Jr., City Clerk, the following ordinances:

### APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 37, 1937

AN ORDINANCE appropriating Four Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-five Dollars (\$4,775) from the unappropriated and unexpended 1936 balance of the general fund of the Department of Health and Charities and allocating the same to certain designated funds of said department, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 79, 1937

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from a certain fund in the City Hospital budget, under the Department of Health and Charities, reappropriating the same to other designated funds in said City Hospital budget, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 80, 1937

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain funds in the Department of Public Safety, reappropriating and reallocating the same to a certain other designated fund in said department, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 81, 1937

AN ORDINANCE amending certain sections of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, commonly known as the Traffic Ordinance, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 82, 1937  
(As Amended)

AN ORDINANCE establishing a certain passenger and/or loading zone in the City of Indianapolis, pursuant to the provisions of Section 28 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended by General Ordinance No. 31, 1931, as amended by General Ordinance No. 58, 1931, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 83, 1937

AN ORDINANCE transferring the sum of Nine Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$915.00) from certain funds of the 1937 budget of the Department of Public Parks, reappropriating and reallocating the same to a certain other fund of said budget of said department, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully,

WALTER C. BOETCHER,  
Mayor.

November 4, 1937

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

Gentlemen:

I have today approved with my signature and delivered to  
Mr. Daniel J. O'Neill, Jr., City Clerk, the following ordinance:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 84, 1937

AN ORDINANCE to amend General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, com-  
monly known as the Zoning Ordinance.

Respectfully,

WALTER C. BOETCHER,  
Mayor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

November 15, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

In re: General Ordinance No. 88, 1937.

Pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused notice  
by publication to be inserted in the Indianapolis Times and Indianap-  
olis News on November 6, 1937, that interested citizens would have  
a right to be heard on the above ordinance at the regular meeting  
of the Common Council, to be held on the 15th day of November,  
1937, at the regular meeting place in the City Hall.

Yours very truly,

DANIEL J. O'NEILL, JR.,  
City Clerk.

November 15, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

In re: A. O. No. 38, 39, 40, 41  
and G. O. No.85 and 86, 1937.

Pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused notice by publication to be inserted in the Indianapolis News and Indianapolis Times, on November 4th, 1937, that taxpayers would have a right to be heard on the above ordinances at the regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held on the 15th day of November, 1937, and by posting a copy of the notice in the following places:

City Hall,  
Court House and  
Police Station.

Yours very truly,

DANIEL J. O'NEILL, JR.,  
City Clerk.

November 15, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached find copies of Resolution No. 8, 1937, providing for an appropriation of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars from the Mayor's Contingent Fund. This sum is to be expended by the Board of Public Safety for the repair of an adding machine used in the Building Department, which machine was accidentally damaged.

I hereby approve said proposed expenditure and do recommend the adoption of the resolution as set out in the attached copies.

Very respectfully yours,

H. NATHAN SWAIM,  
Acting City Controller.

November 15, 1937.

Mr. H. Nathan Swaim,  
Acting City Controller,  
City Hall,

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that as Acting Mayor of the City of Indianapolis, I have determined that a contingency has arisen requiring the expenditure of a part of the appropriation reserved for contingencies in an amount of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars. This expenditure is necessary to meet an urgent emergency for additional funds to be used by the Board of Public Safety—Building Department, in the repairing of an adding machine accidentally damaged.

I request that upon your approval of this proposed expenditure, you notify the Common Council in writing, so that the Council may, if it sees fit, adopt a resolution setting forth the circumstances regarding this said appropriation.

Very truly yours,

/s/ WALTER C. BOETCHER  
Acting Mayor

November 15, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached find copies of Resolution No. 9, 1937, providing for an appropriation of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars from the Mayor's Contingent Fund. This expenditure is required by the Board of Public Health to meet an emergency arising out of the necessity for a reappraisal of the properties of the Indianapolis City Hospital for the purpose of adjusting the insurance thereon.

I hereby approve said proposed expenditure and do recommend the adoption of the resolution as set out in the attached copies.

Very respectfully yours,

H. NATHAN SWAIM,  
Acting City Controller.

November 15, 1937.

Mr. H. Nathan Swaim,  
Acting City Controller,  
Dear Sir:

Dear Sir:

You are hereby notified that, as Acting Mayor of the City of Indianapolis, I have determined that a contingency has arisen requiring the expenditure of a part of the appropriation reserved for contingencies in an amount of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars. This expenditure is required by the Board of Public Health to meet an emergency arising out of the necessity for a reappraisal of the properties of the Indianapolis City Hospital for the purpose of adjusting the insurance thereon.

I request that, upon your approval of this proposed expenditure, you notify the Common Council in writing, so that the Council may, if it sees fit, adopt a resolution setting forth the circumstances regarding this appropriation.

Very truly yours,

/s/ WALTER C. BOETCHER  
Acting Mayor.

November 15, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of General Ordinance No. 92, 1937, transferring moneys from certain funds in various departments of the City of Indianapolis to other designated funds.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this General Ordinance.

Yours very truly,

H. NATHAN SWAIM,  
Acting City Controller.

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November 9, 1937.

Mr. H. Nathan Swaim,  
City Controller,  
City of Indianapolis,

Dear Sir:

Because of the balance remaining in Fund No. 32—Fuel and Ice, Fire Department budget, being insufficient for the purchase of necessary coal for the months of November and December, the Board of Safety has this date approved Chief Kennedy's recommendation for the transfer of money to meet this need.

We, therefore, ask that you cause to be prepared an ordinance transferring Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars in the Fire Department budget from Fund No. 11—Salaries and Wages, Regular, First Grade Substitutes, and reappropriate this amount to Fund No. 32—Fuel and Ice.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

By: Theo. H. Dammeyer,

President.

November 9, 1937.

H. Nathan Swaim,  
City Controller,  
City of Indianapolis.

Dear Sir:

Due to the fact that the balance remaining in Police Department budget Fund No. 22—Heat, Light, and Power, is insufficient to meet the bills for the months of November and December for heat and light at the Police Station, the Board of Safety has this date approved the recommendation of Chief Morrissey for the transfer of funds in the Police Department budget.

We, therefore, ask that you cause to be prepared an ordinance transferring Five Hundred Fifty (\$550.00) Dollars in the Police Department budget from Fund No. 11—Salaries and Wages, Regular, Patrolmen 1st. Grade, and reappropriate this amount to Fund No. 22—Heat, Light and Power.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

By Theo. H. Dammeyer, President.

November 9, 1937.

Mr. H. Nathan Swaim,  
City Controller,

Dear Sir:

Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of the Sewage Disposal Plant, the Board of Public Works and Sanitation respectfully requests that you cause to be prepared an ordinance transferring the sum of \$250.00 from Garbage Plant No. 11 into Garbage Plant No. 26, and submit the same to the Common Council at its next meeting with the recommendation from the Board that the same be passed.

This transfer is made necessary due to severe injuries sustained by two of the employees of that department and these additional funds are necessary for the payment of additional medical care.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SANITATION,

/s/ Ernest F. Frick,

Executive Secretary.

November 15, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached find copies of General Ordinance No. 93, 1937, amending General Ordinance No. 9, 1925, the ordinance establishing the Official Thoroughfare Plan of the City of Indianapolis.

The effect of the passage of this ordinance will be to enable the Board of Public Works and Sanitation to vacate Montcalm Street between Burdsal Boulevard and 25th Street if said board shall deem said vacation of said portion of said street a proper proceeding.

This department recommends the passage of this ordinance.

Very respectfully yours,

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

By Clyde E. Baker

Assistant City Attorney



November 13, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached find copies of General Ordinance No. 94, 1937, amending Section 42 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, commonly known as the Traffic Code.

The effect of this proposed amendment to said Traffic Code is to require trackless trolleys on the approach of an emergency vehicle, such as ambulances, fire wagons, etc., to stop in the congested district until said emergency vehicles have passed, and to require said trackless trolleys in the territory outside of the congested district to pull over to the side of streets and remain there until said emergency vehicle have passed.

This proposed ordinance will clarify the situation as what trackless trolleys are to do under the circumstances as set out above.

We respectfully recommend passage of this ordinance.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW

By Clyde E. Baker

Assistant City Attorney

November 15, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

In re: G. O. 95, 1937

Submitted herewith is an ordinance making East 62nd Street, Keystone Avenue, Hillside Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue, preferential between certain points and we respectfully recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,  
BLYTHE Q. HENDRICKS,  
Executive Secretary.

November 13, 1937.

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

Gentlemen:

We are enclosing herewith twenty copies of General Ordinance No. 96, 1937, effecting the zoning of the property bounded by Central Avenue, north property line of the Indiana Central Canal, first alley east of Central Avenue, 64th Street, first alley west of College Avenue and the first alley south of Riverview Drive.

This Ordinance will increase the area requirements of the property effected from 2,400 sq. ft. per family to 7,500 sq. ft. per family, making it a first-class residential district.

Very truly yours,

V. B. McLeay,  
Secretary-Engineer  
CITY PLAN COMMISSION

At this time those present were given a chance to speak on matters pending before the Council.

Mr. Cable asked for a recess. The motion was seconded by Mrs. Dowd and the Council recessed at 7:40 p. m.

The Council reconvened at 8:35 p. m., with all members present.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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, 1937, entitled:

Appropriating the sum of \$1167.31 to certain City Departments

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

ROSS H. WALLACE, Chairman.  
THEODORE CABLE.  
SILAS J. CARR.  
ADOLPH J. FRITZ.  
NANNETTE DOWD.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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, 1937, entitled:

Appropriating the sum of \$800.00 to the  
Municipal Airport

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

ROSS H. WALLACE, Chairman.  
THEODORE CABLE.  
SILAS J. CARR.  
ADOLPH J. FRITZ.  
NANNETTE DOWD

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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, 1937, entitled:

Appropriating the sum of \$2250.00 to the  
Gamewell Division

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

ROSS H. WALLACE, Chairman.  
THEODORE CABLE.  
SILAS J. CARR.  
ADOLPH J. FRITZ.  
NANNETTE DOWD

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 41, 1937, entitled:

Appropriating the sum of \$40,000.00 to the  
Board of Public Works and Sanitation

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

ROSS H. WALLACE, Chairman.  
THEODORE CABLE.  
SILAS J. CARR.  
ADOLPH J. FRITZ.  
NANNETTE DOWD.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 85, 1937 entitled:

Transfer in the sum of \$293.00 for the Airport

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

ROSS H. WALLACE, Chairman.  
THEODORE CABLE.  
SILAS J. CARR.  
ADOLPH J. FRITZ.  
NANNETTE DOWD.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 72, 1937, entitled:

Additional cab stands by fire hydrants

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

S. J. CARR, Chairman.  
NANNETTE DOWD  
ROSS H. WALLACE.  
WM. A. OREN.  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 75, 1937, entitled:

Governing pawn shops

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

SILAS J. CARR, Chairman.  
NANNETTE DOWD  
ROSS H. WALLACE.  
WM. A. OREN.  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 89, 1937, entitled:

Making { Louisiana Street,  
          { Court Street and  
          { Pearl Street one-way streets

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

SILAS J. CARR, Chairman.  
NANNETTE DOWD  
ROSS H. WALLACE.  
WM. A. OREN.  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 90, 1937, entitled:

Passenger and/or Loading Zone for  
the House of Crane

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

SILAS J. CARR, Chairman.  
NANNETTE DOWD  
ROSS H. WALLACE.  
WM. A. OREN.  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 86, 1937, entitled:

Transfers for the Sanitation  
and Safety Departments

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

THEODORE CABLE, Chairman.  
ROSS H. WALLACE.  
S. J. CARR.  
WM. A. OREN.  
JOHN A. SCHUMACHER.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 59, 1937, entitled:

Fumigation

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

ADOLPH J. FRITZ, Chairman.  
THEODORE CABLE.  
NANNETTE DOWD.  
WM. A. OREN.  
EDWARD R. KEALING.

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

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. 88, 1937, entitled:

Amending the Zoning Ordinance

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

Wm. A. OREN, Chairman.  
EDWARD R. KEALING.  
ROSS H. WALLACE.  
THEODORE CABLE.  
ADOLPH J. FRITZ.

## INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. Raub:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 91, 1937

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 23 of General Ordinance No. 87, 1935, and naming an effective date.

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

Section 1. That Section 23 of General Ordinance No. 87, 1935, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 23, **Bond or Insurance.** No person, firm or corporation shall operate or cause to be operated upon any public street within the City of Indianapolis a taxicab, as above defined, unless there shall first have been filed with the City Controller a bond, indemnity undertaking or policy of insurance executed by a company, mutual association or reciprocal exchange, legally authorized to execute such instruments in the State of Indiana, and to the approval of the City Controller, guaranteeing the payment of all damages which may result from any and all accidents due to the negligence in the use or operation of such taxicab,



which bond, indemnity undertaking or policy of insurance shall be payable to the City of Indianapolis, for the benefit of persons other than employees of said person, firm or corporation who may suffer personal injury or death on account of such negligence, in a sum not less than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for the injury or death of any one person, and in a sum of not less than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the injury or death of more than one person in any one accident.

“A licensee under this Act shall have fully complied with this section if in lieu of depositing a policy of insurance or bond as provided for above, such licensee shall at all times have on deposit with the City Controller a sum of \$5,000.00 in cash, a surety bond in the amount of \$5,000.00, or securities of a market value of \$5,000.00 to the satisfaction of the City Controller, guaranteeing the payment of damages due to personal injuries which may result to any individual by reason of the negligence in the use or operation of such taxicab licensed under the provisions of this Act.

“In addition to the above, each person, firm, operating company or corporation engaged in the business of operating taxicabs upon the streets of the City of Indianapolis shall also file in its behalf with the City Controller a similar bond, indemnity undertaking or policy of insurance executed by a company, mutual association or reciprocal exchange legally authorized to execute such instruments in the State of Indiana, and to the approval of the City Controller, in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), or deposit, and at all times keep on deposit with the City Controller Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) in cash, or securities of the market value of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), to the approval of the City Controller, guaranteeing the payment of all damages to property of any person or corporation which may result from any and all accidents due to the negligence in the use or operation of such taxicab.”

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.

By the City Controller:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 92, 1937

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain funds in various departments of the City of Indianapolis to other designated funds, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000) now in Fund No. 11—Salaries and Wages, Regular, First Grade Substitutes, as set out in the 1937 budget of the Fire Department, is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Fund No. 32, Fuel and Ice, of said department, as set out in said budget.

Section 2. That the sum of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$550.00) now in Fund No. 11—Salaries and Wages, Regular, Patrolmen, First Grade, as set out in the 1937 budget of the Police Department, is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Fund No. 22—Heat, Light and Power—of said department as set out in said budget.

Section 3. That the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) now in Fund No. 11—Salaries and Wages, Regular, as set out in the 1937 budget of the Department of Public Sanitation under the heading "Department of Garbage Reduction Plant," is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Fund No. 26—Other Contractual—of said department as set out in said budget under said heading.

Section 4. 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.

By the Legal Department:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 93, 1937

AN ORDINANCE to amend General Ordinance No. 9, 1925, known as the Official Thoroughfare Plan of the City of Indianapolis, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That General Ordinance No. 9, 1925, known as the Official Thoroughfare Plan of the City of Indianapolis, be amended and changed so as to exclude as a thoroughfare that portion of Montcalm Street, from the north property line of Burdsal Boulevard northward to the south property line of Twenty-fifth Street.

Section 2. That all copies of the Official Thoroughfare Plan maps be amended and changed so as to exclude such portion of Montcalm Street as set out in Section 1 hereof.

Section 3. 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 Law and Judiciary.

By the Legal Department:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 94, 1937

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 42 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, commonly known as the Traffic Code, 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 Section 42 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, commonly known as the Traffic Code, be amended to read as follows:

Section 42. **Operation of Vehicles on Approach of Authorized Emergency Vehicle:** Upon the approach of any authorized EMERGENCY vehicle or vehicles giving audible signal by bell, siren or exhaust whistle, the operator of every other vehicle (except operators of trackless trolleys) shall immediately drive the same to a position as near as possible and parallel to the right hand edge or curb of the roadway, clear of any intersection, and shall stop and remain in such position until the authorized EMERGENCY vehicle or vehicles shall have passed, unless otherwise directed by a police or fire department officer; and the operator of every street car shall immediately stop such car clear of any intersection and keep it in such position until the authorized EMERGENCY vehicle or vehicles shall have passed, unless otherwise directed by a police or fire department officer; and the operator of every trackless trolley, if inside of the CENTRAL TRAFFIC DISTRICT, shall immediately stop such trackless trolley clear of any intersection, and if outside of the CENTRAL TRAFFIC DISTRICT, shall immediately drive the same to a position, parallel

to, and as close to the right hand edge or curb of the roadway as its trolley poles and wires permit, clear of any intersection, and shall stop such trackless trolley and cause it to remain in such position until the authorized EMERGENCY vehicle or vehicles shall have passed, unless otherwise directed by a police or fire department officer; and the operator of any vehicle shall not drive the same into any street intersection if police or fire department or other authorized EMERGENCY vehicle or vehicles are approaching such street intersection within a distance of three hundred (300) feet thereof.

Section 2. 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. 95, 1937

AN ORDINANCE establishing certain portions of certain streets as preferential streets, supplementing certain other preferential streets heretofore established by General Ordinance No. 78, 1932, providing that the operator of a vehicle shall come to a full stop before entering upon said streets, providing for the maintenance of appropriate signs at the intersections with cross streets, providing a penalty for 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 the following streets of the City of Indianapolis are hereby declared to constitute "thru" or preferential streets for the purpose of this ordinance, supplementing the streets and parts of streets heretofore constituted as "thru" or preferential streets heretofore established by General Ordinance No. 78, 1932, to-wit:

East 62d Street—from the east curb line of Rosslyn Street east to the west road line of Keystone Avenue.

Keystone Avenue—from the south curb line of East 62d Street south to the north road line of State Road No. 13.

Keystone Avenue—from the south curb line of East 38th Street south to the north curb line of East 30th Street.

Keystone Avenue—from the south curb line of East 30th Street south to the north curb line of East 25th Street.

Hillside Avenue—from the south curb line of East 25th Street south to the south curb line of East 19th Street.

Roosevelt Avenue—from the north curb line of East 18th Street south to the west curb line of Lewis Street.

Section 2. The above named streets are hereby declared to be "thru" or preferential streets for the purpose of regulating traffic upon or crossing the same, and every operator of a vehicle, street car or other conveyance traveling upon any street or roadway intersecting any "thru" streets above designated, shall bring the same to a full, complete stop at the place where said street meets the prolongation of the nearest property line of such "thru" street, subject, however, to the direction of any official traffic control sign or signal or the directions of any police officer at such intersection.

The operator of any vehicle who has come to a full stop as above required, upon entering the "thru" street, as well as operators of vehicles on such "thru" street, shall be subject to the usual right-of-way rule prescribed by state law governing the meeting of vehicles at street or highway intersections.

The Board of Public Safety is hereby authorized and required to place and maintain or cause to be placed and maintained on each and every street intersecting a "thru" street as designated above, and at or near the property line of a "thru" street, appropriate signs upon the street and/or may place and maintain any appropriate devices or marks in the roadway, such signs, devices or marks to bear the word "STOP," or the legend "STOP, THRU STREET," and to be located in such position and to be provided with letters of a size to be legible at least one hundred (100) feet along the street intersecting the "THRU" street.

Section 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, 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 4. 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 City Plan Commission:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 96, 1937

AN ORDINANCE to amend General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance, and fixing a time when same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That the U1 or Residence District, the A1 or 7500 sq. ft. Area District and the H1 or 50 ft. Height District, as established by General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, be and the same are hereby amended, supplemented and extended so as to include the following described territory:

Beginning at a point on the east property line of Central Avenue at its intersection with the south property line of the first alley southeast of Riverview Drive, as the said streets are now located in the City of Indianapolis, thence south on and along the east property line of Central Avenue to the north right-of-way line of the Indiana Central Canal, thence northeast on and along the north right-of-way line of the Indiana Central Canal to a point in the production of the center line of the first alley east of Central Avenue, thence north on and along the production of the center line of the first alley east of Central Avenue and the center line of the said alley to the north property line of 64th Street, thence east on and along the north property line of 64th Street to the center line of the first alley west of College Avenue, thence north on and along the center line of the first alley west of College Avenue to the south property line of the first alley south of Riverview Drive, thence west and southwest on and along the south property line of the first alley south and southeast of Riverview Drive to the east property line of Central Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Section 2. 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 Law and Judiciary.

By Mr. Fritz:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 97, 1937

AN ORDINANCE concerning the issuance of dog licenses, 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. From and after the passage of this ordinance, no license for the owning, keeping or harboring of any dog in the City of Indianapolis shall be issued by the City Controller to any person without and unless such person so desiring such license shall first present to such controller the certificate of a veterinarian licensed under the laws of Indiana, showing that the dog for which a license is sought has been vaccinated against rabies by the administration of an antirabic vaccine within a period of thirty (30) days prior to the application for such license.

Section 2. This ordinance shall not repeal any provision of any other ordinance regulating and/or licensing dogs, but is supplemental thereto and in aid thereof.

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 Health.

By the City Controller:

RESOLUTION No. 8, 1937

WHEREAS, an adding machine used in the Building Department under the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, has been accidentally damaged; and

WHEREAS, the repair of such adding machine is essential for the efficient operation of the business of said Building Department; and

WHEREAS, there are not sufficient moneys remaining in the funds of said Building Department available for such repair, estimated to cost Fifty-three Dollars (\$53.00); and

WHEREAS, the Acting Mayor of said city and the Acting City Controller have and do now recommend to this Council that there is immediate necessity for an appropriation not exceeding Fifty

Dollars (\$50.00) to be appropriated from the Fund No. 26-1, Mayor's Contingent Fund, as set out under the 1937 budget of Department of Finance—City Controller, NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA:

First: That the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) is hereby appropriated from the above designated fund for expenditure by said Board of Public Safety and said Building Department thereunder, for the purposes above stated, said expense to be incurred and accounted for by said Board of Public Safety upon requisitions and vouchers directed to the office of the City Controller to be paid out of said appropriated amount as in similar cases made and provided.

Second: This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by said Mayor.

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

By the City Controller:

#### RESOLUTION NO. 9, 1937

WHEREAS, it is necessary that the properties of the Indianapolis City Hospital be reappraised for the purpose of adjusting the insurance thereon; and

WHEREAS, there are not sufficient moneys remaining in the funds of the Board of Health to accomplish said reappraisal, estimated to cost One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00); and

WHEREAS, the Acting Mayor of the City of Indianapolis and the Acting City Controller have and do now recommend to this Council that there is immediate necessity for an appropriation not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) to be appropriated from Fund No. 26-1—Mayor's Contingent Fund, as set out under the 1937 budget of the Department of Finance—City Controller,

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

FIRST: That the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) is hereby appropriated from the above designated fund for expenditure by said Board of Health for the purpose above stated, said expense



to be incurred and accounted for by said Board of Health upon requisitions and vouchers directed to the office of the City Controller to be paid out of said appropriated amount as in similar cases made and provided.

SECOND: This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by said Mayor.

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

### ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Wallace called for General Ordinance No. 85, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, seconded by Mr. Kealing, General Ordinance No. 85, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 85, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Wallace called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, seconded by Mrs. Dowd, Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Wallace called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, seconded by Mr. Kealing, Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Wallace called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 40, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, seconded by Mr. Carr, Appropriation Ordinance No. 40, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 40, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Wallace called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 41, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wallace, seconded by Mr. Fritz, Appropriation Ordinance No. 41, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 41, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Oren called for General Ordinance No. 88, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Oren, seconded by Mr. Carr, General Ordinance No. 88, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 88, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Carr called for General Ordinance No. 72, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Carr presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 72, 1937:

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 72, 1937, be amended as follows:

By striking out all of Sub-Section 22 lines 63 to 66, inclusive, of Section 1. and re-numbering the succeeding Sub-sections to allow for such elimination.

S. J. CARR,  
Councilman

The motion was seconded by Mr. Wallace and passed by the viva voce vote of the Council.

On motion of Mr. Carr, seconded by Mrs. Dowd, General Ordinance No. 72, 1937, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 72, 1937, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Carr called for General Ordinance No. 75, 1937, for second reading.

Mr. Carr presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 75, 1937:

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 75, 1937, be amended as follows:

By striking out the word "six" in line 9 of Section 1. and substituting in lieu thereof the word "seven."

S. J. CARR,  
Councilman

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

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Noes, 1, viz: Mr. Kealing.

Mr. Fritz presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 75, 1937:

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 75, 1937, be amended as follows:

By striking out in line 39 of Section 2. the words "and right thumb print"; also the words "right thumb" from the card giving the description of the one pawning an article not listed as jewelry or clothing.

ADOLPH J. FRITZ  
Councilman

The motion was seconded by Mrs. Dowd, but failed of passage as shown by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 2, viz: Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz.

Noes, 7, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Cable presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 75, 1937:

Indianapolis, Ind., November 15, 1937

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 75, 1937, be amended as follows:

By substituting the word "replevin" in place of the word "affidavit".

THEO. CABLE  
Councilman

There was no second to the motion.

On motion of Mr. Carr, seconded by Mr. Cable, General Ordinance No. 75, 1937, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 75, 1937, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote.

Ayes, 6, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Noes, 3, viz: Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing.

Mr. Carr called for General Ordinance No. 89, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Carr, seconded by Mr. Wallace, General Ordinance No. 89, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 89, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Carr called for General Ordinance No. 90, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Carr, seconded by Mr. Cable, General Ordinance No. 90, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 90, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Cable called for General Ordinance No. 86, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Cable, seconded by Mr. Wallace, General Ordinance No. 86, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 86, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

Mr. Fritz called for General Ordinance No. 59, 1937, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Fritz, seconded by Mr. Kealing, General Ordinance No. 59, 1937, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 59, 1937, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Cable, Mr. Carr, Mrs. Dowd, Mr. Fritz, Mr. Kealing, Mr. Oren, Mr. Schumacher, Mr. Wallace, President Raub.

### MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

General Ordinances No. 57, 58, 69, 87, and Resolution No. 4, 1937, were held for further consideration at the request of the Chairmen of the Committees to whom they were referred.

On motion of Mr. Schumacher, seconded by Mr. Wallace, the Common Council adjourned at 9:00 p. m.

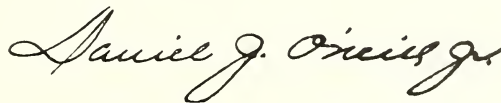
We hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, held on the 15th day of November, 1937, at 7:30 p. m.

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



President.

Attest:



City Clerk.