

REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1934
7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at City Hall, Monday, December 17, 1934, following a public hearing on Special Ordinance No. 5, 1934. President Ernest C. Ropkey in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Ernest C. Ropkey, President and eight members, viz: Fred C. Gardner, George A. Henry, Carl A. Hildebrand, James A. Houck, Charles A. Morgan, Maurice E. Tennant, Leo F. Welch, Clarence I. Wheatley.

On motion of Mr. Welch, seconded by Mr. Houck, the reading of the Journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

December
5th,
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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 Henry O. Goett, City Clerk, the following ordinances:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 36, 1934

AN ORDINANCE appropriating moneys from the unappropriated and unbudgeted Gasoline Tax, Auto License, etc., Funds to Special Street Fund and transferring said moneys and fixing the time when the same shall take effect.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE No. 37, 1934

AN ORDINANCE appropriating an unexpended and heretofore unappropriated sum of eighteen hundred and seventy-five (\$1,875.00) now in the Board of Health General Fund to City Hospital General Fund No. 721, Furniture and Fixtures, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 76, 1934

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain funds and reallocating and reappropriating the same to other designated funds, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 77, 1934

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the transfer of moneys from a certain fund and reappropriating and reallocating the same to another designated fund, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 78, 1934

AN ORDINANCE transferring certain amounts from certain numbered funds of the Department of Public Health and Charities and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds in said Department and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 79, 1934

AN ORDINANCE establishing a certain passenger and/or loading zone in the City of Indianapolis, pursuant to the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended 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. 81, 1934

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Mayor of the City of Indianapolis to petition and request the State Highway Commission of Indiana to improve certain streets in said city with Federal funds and to enter into an agreement binding said city to maintain such streets, providing for the future maintenance of said streets and for the enactment of ordinances for protection of said streets and the regulation of traffic thereon and matters connected therewith.

Respectfully,

REGINALD H. SULLIVAN,
Mayor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

December 17, 1934

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

Gentlemen:

We are submitting herewith an ordinance, General Ordinance No. 87, 1934, establishing an 18-foot "Passenger Zone" and/or "Loading Zone" on Pennsylvania Street at the Consolidated Building. We respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
(Signed) Walter O. Lewis,
Executive Secretary.

December 17, 1934

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

Gentlemen:

We are submitting herewith an ordinance, General Ordinance No. 88, 1934, establishing two taxicab stands, one three car stand on the south side of Vermont Street at the Indianapolis Athletic Club, and one two car stand on the east side of Pennsylvania Street at the Pennhoff Grille. We respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
(Signed) Walter O. Lewis,
Executive Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Welch the Common Council recessed at 8:10 P. M.

The Council reconvened from its recess at 8:30 P. M., with the same members present as before.

COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Indianapolis Ind., December 17, 1934

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, 1934, entitled Appropriating \$3,000 from 1934 balance, Department of Health and Charities, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.
C. I. WHEATLEY.

Indianapolis Ind., December 17, 1934

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, 1934, entitled Appropriating and Allocating moneys from unexpended balance of Gasoline Tax Fund for the years 1933, 1934, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.
C. I. WHEATLEY.

Indianapolis Ind., December 17, 1934

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. 80, 1934, entitled Authorization of Purchase Automomo-

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

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 17, 1934

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. 83, 1934, entitled Designating Taxi Stands in Conformance with General Ordinance No. 96, 1933, St. Clair Street at Antlers Hotel, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

MAURICE E. TENNANT, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
C. I. WHEATLEY,
F. C. GARDNER.
CHAS. C. MORGAN.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 17, 1934

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. 84, 1934, entitled Transfer of Funds, \$871.60, Board of Works, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.
C. I. WHEATLEY.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 17, 1934

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, 1934, entitled Establishing Annual Budget for Municipal Airport for year 1935, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed as amended.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.
C. I. WHEATLEY.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 17, 1934

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. 86, 1934, entitled Transfer of Funds—Department of Public Works—Street Commissioners and Engineers Budget, etc. beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman.
LEO F. WELCH.
F. C. GARDNER.
MAURICE E. TENNANT.
C. I. WHEATLEY.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 17, 1934

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Parks to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 5, 1934, entitled Disannexing of Certain Unimproved Territory within the City of Indianapolis, beg leave to report we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

F. C. GARDNER, Chairman.
C. I. WHEATLEY.
GEO. A. HENRY.
CARL A. HILDEBRAND.
J. A. HOUCK.

Mr. Gardner asked that General Ordinance No. 90, 1933, which was laid on the table, be reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 90, 1933, which was laid on the table, was ordered to be reconsidered, by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 17, 1934

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Parks to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 90, 1933, entitled Amending General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, Rezoning Territory on Meridian Street between 71st Street and Williams Creek, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be stricken from the files.

F. C. GARDNER, Chairman,
C. I. WHEATLEY,
GEO. A. HENRY,
C. A. HILDEBRAND,
J. A. HOUCK.

INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES

By Board of Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 87, 1934

AN ORDINANCE establishing a certain passenger and/or loading zone in the City of Indianapolis, pursuant to the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended by General Ordinance No. 31, 1931, as amended by General Ordinance No. 58, 1931, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of providing the owners or occupants of certain premises fronting on certain public streets of the City of Indianapolis with ingress and egress for passengers, materials and merchandise coming to or going from such premises, such owners or occupants having complied with the provisions of Section 26 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended by General Ordinance No. 31, 1931, as amended by General Ordinance No. 58, 1931, relative to the establishment of a passenger and/or loading zone, at the place hereinafter set out, and said board having caused an investigation to be made thereof and having recommended its establishment, pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid ordinances, the following passenger and/or loading zone be and the same is hereby established in the City of Indianapolis, to-wit:

18 feet on the east side of North Pennsylvania Street extending north from the south property line of the Consolidated Building.

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 Board of Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 88, 1934

AN ORDINANCE approving the orders of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis designating certain taxicab stand locations, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis has adopted orders designating taxicab stand locations, in conformance to Section 2 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1933, and has submitted the same for approval to the Common Council of said city, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

SECTION 1. That the orders of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, dated December 11, 1934, designating the following taxicab stand locations, be and the same are hereby in all things ratified, to-wit:

A two (2) car taxicab stand in front of the Pennhoff Grille, 23 North Pennsylvania Street, starting from a point 15 feet south of the south curb line of Court Street and extending 20 feet south from that point.

A three (3) car taxicab stand on the south side of Vermont Street, at the Indianapolis Athletic Club, starting at the east curb line of Pierson Street and extending east for a distance of 25 feet.

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.

Mr. Gardner made a motion that the rules be suspended as to the time of filing copies of ordinances, and that General Ordinance No. 89, 1934 be received and considered for first reading and referred to committee by the Council. The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.
By Legal Department:

GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 89, 1934

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain funds and re-appropriating the same 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 Three Thousand Fifty Dollars (\$3,050.00), now in Department of Public Works, Street Commissioner, Special Street Fund to be Derived from Gasoline Tax, etc. Item 4—Materials, Sub-Item 43—Paved Streets and Alleys Materials, be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated and reallocated to the following funds in the Department of Public Works, Street Commissioner, to-wit:

To Item 4—Materials, Sub-Item 41—Building Materials...\$100.00
To Item 4—Materials, Sub-Item 42—Sewer Materials ---- 600.00

To Special Street Fund to be Derived from Gasoline Tax, etc.,
Unpaved Street Department:

Item 3—Supplies, Sub-Item 33, Gasoline, Oils, etc., ----\$ 300.00
Item 3—Supplies, Sub-Item 38, General Supplies ----- 750.00
Item 4—Materials, Sub-Item 43, Road Oils, etc., ----- 1,100.00

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 Finance.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Gardner called for General Ordinance No. 90, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 90, 1933 was ordered stricken from the files. The motion was passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1934 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1934 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 38, 1934 was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1934 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1934 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 39, 1934 was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 80, 1934 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 80, 1934 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 80, 1934 was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 83, 1934 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Tennant seconded by Mr. Wheatley General Ordinance No. 83, 1934 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 83, 1934 was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 84, 1934 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 84, 1934 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 84, 1934 was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 85, 1934.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 17, 1934

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 85, 1934, be amended by striking out in Section two, line twenty-nine, the figures "100" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: the figures "250."

J. A. HOUCK, Councilman.

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

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 85, 1934 as amended, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 85, 1934, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 85, 1934, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 86, 1934, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 86, 1934 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 86, 1934 was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Gardner called for Special Ordinance No. 5, 1934 for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Gardner, seconded by Mr. Welch, Special Ordinance No. 5, 1934 was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Special Ordinance No. 5, 1934 was read a third time by the Clerk, and passed by the following roll call vote:

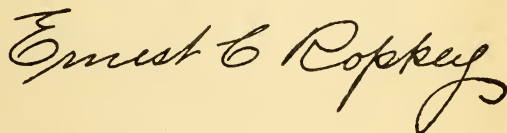
Ayes, 9 viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Mr. Tennant announced that the Committee on Public Safety was not ready to report on General Ordinance No. 82, 1934 and needed further time for consideration of said ordinance.

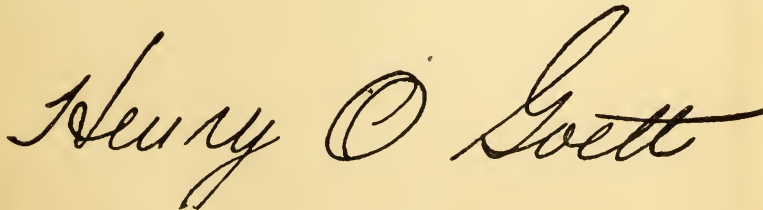
On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Henry, the Common Council adjourned at 9:00 P. M.

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.

SEAL.