

Council Chamber)  
May 6th 1840)

The Council met, present a full board.

Mr. Goldsberry presented the following petition to wit

"Indianapolis April 4, 1840 To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Gentlemen, The undersigned owners and holders of real estate on the north side of Washington Street, between Delaware and Pennsylvania Streets desire you to pass an ordinance requiring the said north side of Washington Street to be paved in the usual way within sixty days.

Names	No. of feet in front owned
Samuel Beck	33
Charles Martins	34 $\frac{1}{3}$
Henry Rushaupt	24 $\frac{1}{3}$
AW Russell for Wm. Conner	67 $\frac{1}{3}$
M. Givan	67 $\frac{1}{3}$ "

The above being a majority of the whole number of feet and the owners on said north side of Washington Street between Pennsylvania and Delaware Streets the prayer in said petition is granted and the Town Surveyor and Engineer be directed to make the necessary surveys and said pavements ordered to be made in conformity with the ordinance regulating side walks and pavements.

On Motion of Mr. Norwood

Resolved That a Committee be appointed to view Pogues run and if there is immediate danger to be apprehended from the drift to take measures to remove the same, and report at the next meeting

Messrs Norwood Seibert & Lyttle were appointed said Committee.

And the Council adjourned

Attest  
Hervey Brown  
Secretary

H.P. Coburn  
President Com Council

Council Chamber  
May 21. 1840 at 8 o'clock AM

Council met on call of the President - present a full Council

On Motion of Mr. Norwood

Resolved That the Common Council be appointed a Committee and that the Council view Illinois Street South of Washington Street and ascertain and report what further improvements are necessary on said street.

A Petition was presented by A W Morris and others on the subject of paving grading etc. on Illinois Street in the words and figures following towit.

"To the Honorable President & Council of the City of Indianapolis.

The undersigned owners of the lots on each side of Illinois Street South of Washington Street and north of Louisiana are desirous of grading and gravelling the side walks on said Illinois Street - They therefore pray that in as much as they constitute a majority of the persons interested that immediate steps be taken by your Hon, board to further our wishes

Names of Owners of Lots	feet	Description of property owned
A.W. Morris	195	N E $\frac{1}{4}$ of Block 88
John Ramsay	195	Lot no 7 sq. 66
N B Palmer lot no. 6. in square 66	195	
N B Palmer lot no 1 in sq 74 (195 feet)	195	
James M Ray cash State ) Bank of Indiana Lot ) one in sq 67 )	195	
Geo. W. Stipp lot 10 sq. 75, length 195 feet	195	
Bentley Allee	39	off the N. end of lott No. 10. 11 & 12 Block 84
J.H. Roll sq. 67 lot 2		
John E Stretcher	28	feet

The above being the majority of the whole number of feet owned between Washington Street and Louisiana Street on Illinois Street the prayer of said Petition is granted and the Town Surveyor is required to make the necessary surveys and the Supervisor is directed to have the above improvements made in conformity with the Ordinance of said town of Indianapolis regulating side walks and pavements.

And the Council adjourned to meet at 7 Oclock

Attest  
Hervey Brown  
Secretary

H.P. Coburn  
President Com Council