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- MARGARET J. RAY, Secy. of Committees.
- EDWARD WISE, Sergeant-at-Arms.



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CITY OFFICIALS

Mayor ----- JOHN L. DUVALL
 Secretary to Mayor ----- PEARL NICHOLS
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

City Controller ----- WILLIAM C. BUSER
 Deputy City Controller ----- CLAUDE M. WILSON
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DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Corporation Counsel ----- ALVAH J. RUCKER
 City Attorney ----- JOHN K. RUCKELSHAUS
 Assistant City Attorney ----- DONALD F. ROBERTS
 Municipal Court Deputy ----- ARTHUR M. DINSMORE
 Claim Agent ----- W. W. HYDE
 Attorney for Park Board ----- TELFORD B. ORBISON
 Attorney for Health Board ----- CHARLES MENDENHALL
 Attorney for City Plan Commission ----- J. CLYDE HOFFMAN
 Attorney for Sanitary Board ----- JOSEPH J. DANIELS
 Attorney for Recreation Department ----- WM. T. QUILLEN

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CIVIL ENGINEER

City Civil Engineer ----- CHESTER C. OBERLEAS
 Assistant City Engineer ----- ARTHUR F. HAUFLER
 Street Department Head ----- M. G. JOHNSON
 Clerical Department Head ----- FRANK J. MILHOLLAND
 Sewer Department Head ----- CHAS. P. CULLEY
 Flood Prevention Department Head ----- HARVEY CASSADY
 Inspectors Department Head ----- ALBERT J. MIDDLETON
 Asphalt Plant Head ----- ED ROCHET
 Chemical Laboratory Head ----- C. H. UNDERWOOD
 Street Lighting Department Head ----- JAS. W. HENSLEY
 Drafting Department Head ----- FRANK P. JOYCE
 Track Elevation Engineer ----- M. N. BEEBEE

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CITY MARKET

Market Master ----- EARL S. GARRETT
 Assistant Market Master ----- CHARLIE LOHMAN

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief of Police ----- CLAUDE F. JOHNSON
 Chief of Detectives ----- CLAUDE WORLEY
 Major of Police ----- LEWIS L. JOHNSON
 Captain of Traffic ----- LESTER E. JONES
 Secretary ----- JOHN E. AMBUHL

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Chief ----- JESSE A. HUTSELL
 First Assistant Chief ----- ERNEST G. HINCHMAN
 First Assistant Chief ----- ROY C. PHILLIPS
 Secretary ----- HERBERT R. WALD

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

Purchasing Agent ----- JOHN J. COLLINS
 Assistant Purchasing Agent ----- THURMAN A. WASHBURN
 Chief Clerk ----- WILLIAM K. PENROD
 Inspector ----- JACK SARGENT

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 Assistant Building Commissioner ----- W. A. OSBON

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President ----- JOHN E. MILNOR
Commissioner ----- FRANK DRIVER
Commissioner ----- MARY E. HOSS
Commissioner ----- ADOLPH G. EMHARDT
Superintendent ----- R. WALTER JARVIS
Assistant Superintendent ----- GEORGE E. MORGAN
Director of Recreation ----- JESSE P. McCLURE
Landscape Architect ----- A. W. BRAYTON
Engineer ----- JAMES E. PERRY
Secretary ----- CLARENCE MYERS
Chief Clerk ----- CHARLES M. DAVIDSON
Auditor ----- CORA E. HARTMAN

STREET DEPARTMENT

Street Commissioner ----- GEORGE WOODWARD

STREET CLEANING DEPARTMENT

Inspector ----- JOHN B. SAUTER

MUNICIPAL GARAGE

Superintendent ----- WM. J. HAMILTON
Assistant Superintendent ----- E. RAY SEIBERT

ASSESSMENT BUREAU

Chief Clerk ----- O. R. SCOTT

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT

Custodian ----- J. H. ABERNATHY
Police Station ----- GEORGE COX

DEPARTMENT OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Chief Inspector ----- MAUDE C. HOBSON
Deputy Inspector ----- FLOYD NEWHOUSE
Deputy Inspector ----- CLARENCE STEWART
Deputy Inspector ----- ROY E. SPILLMAN
Deputy Inspector ----- JOHN E. BROWN
Deputy Inspector ----- ROBERT H. HATHAWAY

CITY PLAN COMMISSION

President ----- GUSTAV G. SCHMIDT

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C. E. OBERLEAS
AUSTIN H. TODD
J. W. ATHERTON
MRS. LELIA E. TAYLOR
L. J. BORINSTEIN
FRANK DRIVER
H. R. CAMPBELL
TOM DILLONEngineer ----- MACKLIN MACK
Assistant Engineer ----- J. RAY MONAGHAN
Secretary ----- MARIE VICTOR

BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS

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R. C. SHANEBERGER

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COUNCILMEN-AT-LARGE

First District	WALTER R. DORSETT
Second District	CLAUDE E. NEGLEY
Second District	ROBERT E. SPRINGSTEEN
Third District	EDWARD B. RAUB
Third District	O. RAY ALBERTSON
Fourth District	MILLARD W. FERGUSON
Fourth District	AUSTIN H. TODD
Fifth District	OTIS E. BARTHOLOMEW
Sixth District	BOYNTON J. MOORE

Term of Office—From the first Monday in January, 1926, to the first Monday in January, 1930.

STANDING COMMITTEES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Messrs. Albertson, Dorsett, Negley, Todd and Bartholomew.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Messrs. Dorsett, Albertson, Bartholomew, Todd and Negley.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

Messrs. Negley, Bartholomew, Todd, Dorsett and Ferguson.

PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES COMMITTEE

Messrs. Todd, Bartholomew, Negley, Raub and Springsteen.

PARK COMMITTEE

Messrs. Bartholomew, Dorsett, Todd, Negley and Albertson.

LAW AND JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Messrs. Todd, Bartholomew, Negley, Springsteen and Raub.

CITY WELFARE COMMITTEE

Messrs. Bartholomew, Todd, Negley, Springsteen and Raub.

ATHLETIC COMMISSION

Messrs. Dorsett, Todd, Albertson, Ferguson, Raub, Negley and Bartholomew.

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Total number of meetings of the Common Council in 1926.. 42

