

Council Chamber August 3rd. 1839

Council met at 3 O'clock, the President in the Chair, Members present Locherbie, Sullivan, Norwood, Seibert, and McClure.

The Secretary being absent, on motion Mr. Sullivan was appointed Secretary pro tem. Minutes of the last meeting read & approved.

Messrs. Ballenger & Etter made application for Lisense to keep a Coffee House for one year, to date from the 16th of April last, which was granted upon complying with the requisitions of the this Council.

The Branch Bank of the State of Indiana at Indianapolis by its President and Cashier Petitioned for privelege to erect an Iron railing within four feet of the Banking house on Pennsylvania Street, and to extend in length the whole distance of the Bank, and to Pave the Street the ordinary width; which Petition was granted.

John F. Ramsey appealed to have \$1125.00, too much, assessed upon his Personal Property remitted, which was on motion remitted.

A Petition from Sundry Citizens praying that a Public Pump be erected in the N.W. section of the 5th Ward, was presented and Messrs Norwood, Seibert, and McClure were appointed a Committee to enquire and report upon the same.

The Secretary was directed to issue the \$300. allowed to Messrs Elder, Colestock & Co on the 13th July 1839 in one hundred dollar orders.

The Marshall was directed to supply each officer and member of the Council with a copy of the Charter and Ordinances.

Ordered that the Marshal leave fifty copies of the Ordinances with Y. Wily, Bookseller and a like number with Messrs Brown Booksellers sold and accounted for at 25cts per copy

On Motion Warfield Young's road Tax was remitted.

On Motion the Surveyor was directed to lay off and stake, with white posts to be painted, the North Square of the Public Grave yard, agreeably the plan agreed upon

On Motion Messrs McClure, Seibert, and Norwood, were appointed a Com. to wait on Mr. Hogland and desire him to keep his son Henry from running at large in the town of Indianapolis

The Committee on Mr Kinders' petition for compensation for removing drift out of Pagues Run in 1838 reported him not entitled to any, and were discharged.

Messrs Seibert and McClure were appointed a Committee upon the side walk in front of Lytelle's Hotel on Washinton St. to report at the next meeting.

On Motion the Marshal or Collector is directed to receive the Certificates of Clerks, Judges, and Inspectors of town Elections at 50 cents for each days Services rendered, in payment of road Tax for the years 1838 & 1839.

The Treasurer, Weighmaster, and Clerks of the Markets reported and their reports were accepted.

The following bills were presented, and the Secretary ordered to draw on the Treasurer for the amounts

1 A Bill in favour of John Livingston for Printing from the 8th of Decr 1838 to this date, Fifty one dollars and twenty five cents (\$51.25)

2 A Bill in favour of R B. Hanna for Surveying and Engineering to this date Ten dollars (\$10)

3 An additional allowance of Four dollars and twenty five cents (\$4.25) in favour of Mr. Dawson on account of Grave Yard Gate.

(Issued Sep 11th)

(On Motion the time for taking down the awning Rafters across the Pavements was extended to the First of October 1839.)

And the Council adjourned

Attest

Wm. Sullivan  
Secretary protem

N. B. Palmer

President of the Com Council

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Council met upon a call; Members present Seibert, Norwood & Sullivan.

President in the Chair; Minutes of the last meeting read & approved.

The following Petition was presented to wit: "We the undersigned Property holders between Meridian and Illinois Streets, on the South side of Washington Street, respectfully Petition the Honorable Common Council to fix the Grade and require the respective owners of property in said Section of Streets, on, or before the 1st day of October next, to pave, with Brick, the