

Council Chamber  
Indianapolis July 30. 1841

Council met; present a full Council.

N.B. Palmer and others presented a petition on the subject of taxes wherupon on Motion of Mr. Norwood

Ordered That the Collector proceed only to collect three fifths (fifteen cents on each hundred dollars) of the tax (except the Poll tax and dog tax) heretofore assessed against each person on the tax list and on each piece & article of property enumerated and placed in his hands for collection.

On Motion of Mr Cox

Ordered That all the work in the town under the supervision of the Supervisor on the Streets be immediately & entirely suspended

John Montgomery presented a petition on the subject of the losses sustained by him while in the employ of the Council Whereupon ordered that he be allowed \$4:50 as renumeration for such loss

Adjourned

Attest  
Hervey Brown  
Secretary

Wm Sullivan  
President Common Council

Council Chamber  
Indianapolis August 11. 1841

Council met; present all but Little & Goldsberry.

The Treasurer made a monthly report which was adopted.

Allowed C & J Cox \$6. for work on Engine etc.  
(Isd 9 Decr.)

Allowed Thomas Eaglesfield \$3:17 for lumber for Hay scales.  
(Isd. 7 Oct to Van)

Allowed J. Patton & E Norwood \$3 for Pike poles for H & L. Co.  
(Isd. 20 Sept)

The Marshal made his monthly report which was adopted and Jas. Vanblaricum the Marshal allowed \$3. appearing to be due on said report.

(Issued)

Ordered That the Marshal be directed to repair the bridge over Pogues run on Pennsylvania Street, with the road tax belonging to the 2d. & 3d. wards.

On Motion of Mr. Cox

Allowed James Green \$150: on his contract for work on Maryland Street.

On Motion of Mr. Norwood

Resolved That a committee be appointed to examine the Streets at the crossing of Illinois and Washington Streets and report what improvements can be profitably made and also a plan for doing the same.

Messrs Boatright, Loudon & Goldsberry were appointed said committee.

Ordered That the Secretary be directed to make the proper alterations in the Collectors book and that a special allowance be made him for said work

Allowed Jeremiah Collins \$10 for rent of Ground for Good Intent Engine House, for one year ending 1842  
(Isd 7 Oct to Van)

On Motion of Mr Boatright the petition of Henry Bradley and others heretofore presented was taken from the table which is in the following words & figures

"To the Common Council of the town of Indianapolis The undersigned your petitioners owners of property, on the south side of Maryland between Meredian Street and the Canal would respectfully pray that your Honorable body make such order or laws as will compel and authorize the owners of property fronting aforesaid Street to grade and gravel said side walk on the south side of Maryland Street between Meredian Street and the Canal as aforesaid in conformity with the laws and ordinances regulating side walks etc And your petitioners further ask that your Honorable body will grant the privilege of taking gravel from Louisiana Street in the event that it should be necessary so to do and your petitioners will ever pray

Names	No of feet owned
Henry Bradley	150
J L Mothershead	67½
N B Palmer	135
G.W. Stipp one hundred & one ft & ½	101½
James Sulgrove	67½
Arthur Hill	135
William Holmes	67½
John Moore	67½
H. Bradley & ) Trustees Bapt-	195
Jos. R Pratt ) ist Ch.	
	987½

The above being the whole number of feet owned between the points named in said petition. The prayer of said petition is granted and said petitioners and owners on and along said side walk are ordered to grade and gravel said side walk within sixty days from this time otherwise that the proper officer of the Corporation cause the same to be done according to the laws and ordinances on that subject at the proper cost of the property owners aforesaid - Ordered further that the Surveyor and Engineer make all necessary surveys & estimates on said work according to the Ordinances - and further that said property owners have the privilege of using gravel from Louisiana Street for said work.

And the Council adjourned

Attest  
 Hervey Brown  
 Secretary

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Wm. Sullivan

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Council Chamber  
 Indianapolis September 4. 1841

Council met: present a full Council except Mr. Cox

The Treasurer, Marshal, Market Masters and Weigh Master severally made reports which were adopted.

The Committee appointed to examine the Streets at the crossing of Washington and Illinois Streets have further time until next meeting to report.

Allowed Andrew Smith \$4:25 for Jail fees to this date  
 (Isd. 9 Sept '41)

William Sanders and others presented a petition praying for the improvement of Virginia Avenue from the Donation line to the Corporation line which petition was read and granted and the Marshal directed to make the necessary improvements with the road Tax

L. Dunlap presented a petition praying for permission to fill the side walk on the north side of lots Nos. 1, 2 & 3 in Block No. 77 with earth and that he take the earth from Alabama Street south of Bridge over Pogues run: which was granted and said petitioner directed to do the same under the direction of the Engineer and Councilman from the second ward.

Isaac Kinder asked and obtained permission to take earth and gravel from Alabama Street south of Pogues run for the improvement