REGULAR MEETING

Monday, December 15, 1941. 7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, Monday, December 15, 1941, at 7:30 p. m. in regular session. President Wood in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Bach, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Deluse, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Ransom, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, President Wood.

Absent: Mr. Moore.

The reading of the Journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with on motion of Mr. Bach, seconded by Mr. Ross.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

December 2, 1941.

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

Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature and delivered to Mr. John M. Layton, City Clerk, the following ordinances:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 13, 1941

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000) from the anticipated unappropriated and unexpended 1941 balance of the Sanitary Maintenance and General Expense Fund of the Department of Public Sanitation of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to a certain designated fund in the Department of Public Sanitation of said city; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 14, 1941

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Nineteen Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$19,350.00) from the anticipated unappropriated and unexpended 1941 balance of the General Fund of the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to certain designated funds of the Department of Public Health and Charities, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 86, 1941

As Amended

AN ORDINANCE approving an order of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis designating and establishing taxicab stands at certain localities in said city; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 95, 1941

AN ORDINANCE approving a certain agreement and permit granting American Aggregates Corporation the right to lay and maintain a sidetrack or switch across South Harding Street at a point approximately 1200 feet South of the center line of West Raymond Street, according to the blue print attached, in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 100, 1941

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 21 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended by General Ordinance No. 31, 1941; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 19, 1941

AN ORDINANCE annexing certain contiguous territory to the City of Indianapolis, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Respectfully,

R. H. SULLIVAN, Mayor.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

December 15, 1941.

Honorable President and Members of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana.

Gentlemen:

In Re: General Ordinance No. 106, 1941

I beg leave to report that in accordance with the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused notice by publication to be inserted in the Hoosier Sentinel and the Indianapolis News on December 5, 1941, that taxpayers would have the right to be heard on the above ordinance at the regular meeting of the Common Council, to be held on the 15th day of December, 1941, and by posting copy of said notice in the City Hall, Court House and Police Station.

Very truly yours,

JOHN M. LAYTON, City Clerk. December 15, 1941.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of Appropriation Ordinance No. 15, 1941, transferring and appropriating the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) from the unappropriated and unexpended balance now in the Land Fund of the Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis to Department of Public Parks Fund No. 73-Land.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

JAMES E. DERRY. City Controller.

December 15, 1941.

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

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is General Ordinance No. 107, 1941, setting up and establishing a 36 foot "loading zone" at 112 South Pennsylvania Street for the Indiana Tinware Company, and we respectfully recommend its passage.

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Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY, By L. J. KEACH, President.

December 15, 1941.

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

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Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is General Ordinance No. 108, 1941, prohibiting and limiting parking in designated sections of certain streets, and we respectfully recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY, By L. J. KEACH, President.

LJK/EHA

At this time those present were given an opportunity to be heard on General Ordinance No. 106, 1941.

Mr. Ropkey asked for a recess. The motion was seconded by Mr. Bach and the Council recessed at 7:45 p. m.

The Council reconvened at 8:25 p.m. with the same members present as before.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 15, 1941.

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. 101, 1941, entitled

Authorizing temporary loan of \$20,000 for Board of Health Tuberculosis Fund

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

> ERNEST C. ROPKEY, F. B. RANSOM. ALBERT O. DELUSE OLLIE A. BACH GUY O. ROSS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 15, 1941.

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. 102, 1941, entitled

Authorizing temporary loan of \$750,000 for payment of temporary loans

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

> ERNEST C. ROPKEY, F. B. RANSOM ALBERT O. DELUSE OLLIE A. BACH GUY O. ROSS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 15, 1941.

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. 103, 1941, entitled

Authorizing temporary loan of \$70,000 for Firemen's Pension Fund

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

ERNEST C. ROPKEY, F. B. RANSOM ALBERT O. DELUSE OLLIE A. BACH GUY O. ROSS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 15, 1941. 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. 104, 1941, entitled

Authorizing temporary loan of \$125,000 for Board of Health beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

ERNEST C. ROPKEY, F. B. RANSOM ALBERT O. DELUSE OLLIE A. BACH GUY O. ROSS Indianapolis, Ind., December 15, 1941.

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. 105, 1941, entitled

Authorizing temporary loan of \$25,000 for Board of Health

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

ERNEST C. ROPKEY, F. B. RANSOM ALBERT O. DELUSE OLLIE A. BACH. GUY O. ROSS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 15, 1941.

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. 106, 1941, entitled

Transferring moneys in Police Department budget

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

ALBERT O. DELUSE ERNEST C. ROPKEY F. B. RANSOM HARMON A. CAMPBELL Indianapolis, Ind., December 15, 1941.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Works to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 18, 1941, entitled

Changing the names of certain streets

beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be held for further consideration.

ERNEST C. ROPKEY F. B. RANSOM. ALBERT O. DELUSE WALTER E. HEMPHILL HARMON A. CAMPBELL

INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES

By the City Controller:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 15, 1941

- AN ORDINANCE transferring and appropriating the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) from the unappropriated and unexpended balance now in the Land Fund of the Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to a certain designated fund in said department of said city; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.
- WHEREAS, there exists at this time a sum of money in excess of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) in the unappropriated and unexpended balance of the Land Fund of the Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, which funds have heretofore been derived from the sale of Park land of said city and may, therefore, according to law, be expended only for the improvement of or for the purchase of land for park and park purposes; and

WHEREAS, an emergency is deemed to exist for the transfer and appropriation of said sum for said purposes; NOW, THERE-FORE.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) now in the unappropriated and unexpended balance in the Land Fund of the Department of Public Parks, be and the same is hereby transferred, allocated and appropriated from said Land Fund of the Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in like sum to the following fund of the Department of Public Parks, as per the 1942 budget classification, to-wit:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

Fund No. 73. Land \$8,000.00

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 107, 1941

AN ORDINANCE e tablishing 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 owner or occupant of a certain premise fronting on a certain public street in the City of Indianapolis with ingress and egress for passengers, materials and merchandise coming to or going from such premise, such owner or occupant 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 passenger and/or loading zones, at the place hereinafter set out, and the Board of Public Safety having caused investigation to be made thereof and having recommended the establishment, pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid ordinance, the following passenger and/or loading zone be and the same is hereby established in the City of Indianapolis, to-wit:

A 36 foot zone in front of 112 South Pennsylvania Street, said premise being occupied by the Indiana Tinware Company and said zone starting at a point 15 feet north of the north curb line of Chesaperke Street and extending north for a distance of 36 feet.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

By the Board of Public Safety:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 108, 1941

AN ORDINANCE prohibiting parking of vehicles upon certain parts of certain streets of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, providing a penalty for the violation thereof; 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. It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to park the same or suffer, permit or allow the same to be parked at any time upon parts of certain streets of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, described as follows:

(a) On the south side of West Morris Street from Kentucky Avenue to the right-of-way of the Indianapolis Union Railway Company.

- (b) On the cast side of Shelby Street from the south curb line of Prospect Street to a point 75 feet south of the south property line of the first alley south of Prospect Street.
- (c) On the west side of South West Street from the property line of the track elevation of the Indianapolis Union Railway Company to Kentucky Avenue.
- (d) On the south side of Southeastern Avenue from a point 125 feet west of Leota Street to a point 275 feet west of Leota Street.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to park the same or suffer, permit or allow the same to be parked at any time between the hours of 4:30 o'clock P. M. and 6:00 o'clock P. M. upon a certain part of Belmont Avenue in said city, described as follows:

(a) On the west side of Belmont Avenue from West Washington Street to Oliver Avenue.

SECTION 3. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00), to which may be added imprisonment not exceeding one hundred eighty (180) days.

SECTION 4. 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.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Ropkey called for General Ordinance No. 101, 1941, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Bach, General Ordinance No. 101, 1941, was ordered egnrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 101, 1941, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Bach, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Deluse, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Ransom, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, President Wood.

Mr. Ropkey called for General Ordinance No. 102. 1941, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Ross, General Ordinance No. 102, 1941, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 102, 1941, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Bach, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Deluse, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Ransom, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, President Wood.

Mr. Ropkey called for General Ordinance No. 103, 1941, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Deluse, General Ordinance No. 103, 1941, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 103, 1941, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Bach, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Deluse, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Ransom, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, President Wood.

Mr. Ropkey called for General Ordinance No. 104, 1941, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Deluse, General Ordinance No. 104, 1941, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 104, 1941, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Bach, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Deluse, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Ransom, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross and President Wood.

Mr. Ropkey called for General Ordinance No. 105, 1941, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Ransom, General Ordinance No. 105, 1941, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 105, 1941, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Bach, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Deluse, Dr. Hempbill, Mr. Ransom, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross and President Wood.

Mr. Deluse called for General Ordinance No. 106, 1941, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Deluse, seconded by Mr. Ropkey, General Ordinance No. 106, 1941, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 106, 1941, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Bach, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Deluse, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Ransom, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross and President Wood.

Special Ordinance No. 18, 1941, was held for further consideration by the Committee to which its was referred.

On motion of Mr. Bach, seconded by Mr. Ross, the Common Council adjourned at 8:50 p. m.

We hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, held on the 15th day of December, 1941, at 7:30 p. m.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto subscribed our signatures and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.

Joseph I Wood
President.

Attest:

(SEAL)

City Clerk.