# REGULAR MEETING

Monday, August 3, 1942. 7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, Monday, August 3, 1942, at 7:30 p. m., in regular session. President Bach in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Moynahan, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Absent: Mr. Ransom.

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

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

July 22, 1942.

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:

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 55, 1942

AN ORDINANCE requiring the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railway Company to install and maintain certain safety devices at certain street crossings of the tracks of said company in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana; repealing sections 16 and 19 of General Ordinance No. 102, 1925, repealing a provision in section 1 of General Ordinance No. 122, 1925, and all other ordinances in conflict herewith; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## RESOLUTION No. 1, 1942

A RESOLUTION approving, confirming and ratifying a certain permit granted by the Board of Public Works and Sanitation of the City of Indianapolis to Indianapolis Railways, Incorporated, for the use of an additional part of Ohio Street by Indianapolis Railways, Incorporated, for trackless trolley car purposes, pursuant to the provisions of the agreement entered into by the City of Indianapolis and Indianapolis Railways, Incorporated, dated May 25, 1936, as the same was amended and approved by General Ordinance No. 40, 1936.

Respectfully,

R. H. SULLIVAN,
Mayor.

# COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

August 3, 1942.

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

#### Gentlemen:

In Re: Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1942 Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1942 General Ordinance No. 57, 1942

I beg leave to report that in accordance with the laws of the State of Indiana, I caused notice of public hearing to be inserted

in the Indianapolis Star and the Indianapolis Times that taxpayers would have the right to be heard on the above ordinances at the regular meeting of the Common Council to be held on the 3rd day of August, 1942, and by posting copy of said notice in the City Hall, Court House and Police Station.

Very truly yours,

JOHN M. LAYTON, City Clerk.

August 3, 1942.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of General Ordinance No. 59, 1942, transferring the sum of \$5,000.00 from Police Department Fund No. 11-Salaries and Wages, Regular, Patrolmen, First Grade, to Police Department Fund No. 72-Equipment.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

JAMES E. DEERY, City Controller.

August 3, 1942.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is General Ordinance No. 60, 1942, limiting parking to one and one-half hours between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p. m. in designated sections of Nordyke Avenue, Silver Avenue, Bridge Street, making Missouri Street preferential from 10th to 16th Streets and Barth Avenue preferential at its intersection with LeGrande Avenue.

We respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

## BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

By L. J. Keach, President.

At this time those present were given an opportunity to be heard on Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1942, Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1942, General Ordinance No. 56, 1942, and General Ordinance No. 57, 1942.

Mr. Wood asked for a recess. The motion was seconded by Mr. Moynahan and the Council recessed at 7:40 p. m.

The Council reconvened at 9:05 p.m. with the same members present as before.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., August 3, 1942.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1942, entitled:

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

ERNEST C. ROPKEY, Chairman JOSEPH G. WOOD T. A. MOYNAHAN GUY O. ROSS

Indianapolis, Ind., August 3, 1942.

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 Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1942, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE appropriating \$35,000 to Department of Public Works:

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

ERNEST C. ROPKEY, Chairman JOSEPH G. WOOD T. A. MOYNAHAN GUY O. ROSS

July 31, 1942.

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

#### Gentlemen:

The City Plan Commission, at its regular meeting on July 27, 1942, approved and recommended the passage of General Ordinance No. 56, 1942, an ordinance to amend General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE F. ROOKER, Secretary-Engineer, CITY PLAN COMMISSION.

Indianapolis, Ind., August 3, 1942.

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. 57, 1942, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys in Police and Fire Department Budgets;

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

> JOSEPH G. WOOD, Chairman ERNEST C. ROPKEY HARMON A. CAMPBELL RALPH'F. MOORE

Indianapolis, Ind., August 3, 1942.

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. 58, 1942, entitled:

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 44 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, (Pennsylvania Street);

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

JOSEPH G. WOOD, Chairman ERNEST C. ROPKEY HARMON A. CAMPBELL RALPH F. MOORE

# INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

# By the City Controller:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 59, 1942

- AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from a certain fund in the Police Department of the Department of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to another fund in said department, as the same appear in the 1942 annual budget for said city; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.
- WHEREAS, there exists in a certain fund of the Police Department of the Department of Public Safety a probable excess therein not needed and which is available for use in another item of said Department wherein a deficiency will exist for the reasonable requirements thereof, and a transfer and reallocation of such excess for such purpose will not increase or affect the

current tax levies, and an extraordinary emergency exists for such transfer, reallocation and appropriation of such money to maintain proper and efficient government in the public welfare, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That the sum of money hereinafter designated, now in the following fund of the Police Department of the Department of Public Safety, to-wit:

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

## 1. Services—Personal

Fund No. 11. Salaries and Wages, Regular Patrolmen,
First Grade ......\$5,000.00

be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reallocated to the following designated fund of said department, in the sum as indicated,to-wit:

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT

7. Properties

Fund No. 72—Equipment......\$5,000.00

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the mayor, and compliance with all requirements of law pertaining to this ordinance.

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

By the Board of Public Safety:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE No. 60, 1942

AN ORDINANCE regulating parking on certain parts of certain streets in the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof; amending Section 44 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, of said city; 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 it shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to park the same or suffer, permit or allow the same to be parked for a longer period of time than one and one-half (1½) hours between the hours of 7:00 o'clock A. M. and 6:00 o'clock P. M. on any day of the week upon certain parts of certain streets in said city, described as follows, to-wit:

- (a) On both sides of Nordyke Avenue from Bridge Street to Stock Street.
- (b) On both sides of Silver Avenue from Bridge Street to Belt Street.
- (c) On both sides of Bridge Street from Nordyke Avenue to York Street.

Section 2. Any person violating any provision of Section 1 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 3. That Section 44 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, of said city, as amended, be amended by adding thereto sub-sections (113) and (114), as follows:

- (113) Missouri Street from the north curb line of Tenth Street to the south curb line of Sixteenth Street.
- (114) Barth Avenue at its intersection with LeGrande Avenue.

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 Apropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Moore, Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 16, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Moynahan, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Ropkey called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Ropkey, seconded by Mr. Wood, Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 17, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Moynahan, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Campbell called for General Ordinance No. 56, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Moore, General Ordinance No. 56, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 56, 1942, failed to receive the necessary number of votes for engrossment, and therefore remains on second reading. The vote was as follows:

Ayes, 3, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore.

Noes, 5, viz: Mr. Moynahan, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Wood called for General Ordinance No. 57, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Ropkey, General Ordinance No. 57, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 57, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Moynahan, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

Mr. Wood called for General Ordinance No. 58, 1942, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Moynahan, General Ordinance No. 58, 1942, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 58, 1942, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Campbell, Dr. Hemphill, Mr. Moore, Mr. Moynahan, Mr. Ropkey, Mr. Ross, Mr. Wood, President Bach.

General Ordinance No. 56, 1942, was held for further consideration by the Committee to which it was referred.

On motion of Mr. Ross, seconded by Mr. Moynahan, the Common Council adjourned at 9:30 p. m.

Attest:

Ollie a Bach
President.

John M. Lagton

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City Clerk.