## REGULAR MEETING

Monday, February 16, 1931.

7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at City Hall, Monday, February 16, 1931, at 7:30 p.m., in regular session. President Ernest C. Ropkey took the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Ernest C. Ropkey, President, and seven members, viz: Fred C. Gardner, George A. Henry, James A. Houck, Charles C. Morgan, Maurice E. Tennant, Leo F. Welch, Clarence I. Wheatley.

Absent: C. A. Hildebrand.

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Henry, the reading of the Journal for the previous meeting was dispensed with.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

February 9, 1931.

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 Henry O. Goett, City Clerk, the following ordinances:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 4, 1931

AN ORDINANCE appropriating money from the cash balance which the Board of Sanitary Commissioners has on hand in its Sanitary Maintenance and General Expense Fund and transferring said money so appropriated to certain numbered funds, and fixing the time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 6, 1931

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain funds and reappropriating the same to other funds and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 8, 1931

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to purchase Five Hundred Twenty-five (525) Rolls and Fifty (50) Gross Z. O. Adhesive Plaster for use at and in connection with the Indianapolis City Hospital, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 9, 1931

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to purchase Three Hundred Thousand (300,000) yards of mesh gauze for use at and in connection with the Indianapolis City Hospital, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 10, 1931

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 12 of General Ordinance 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 11, 1931

AN ORDINANCE to amend division B—Part Four of Section 865 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925, by creating and adding thereto certain new sections to be known as Sections B-450 to B-468 both inclusive and by repealing Sections B-401 to B-429 both inclusive of said division B—Part Four of said Section 865 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925, repealing all ordinances in conflict therewith and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 12, 1931

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 476 of General Ordinance No. 121, 1925, otherwise known as the Municipal Code of Indianapolis, 1925, by adding sub-paragraph (43) thereto, repealing all ordinances in conflict therewith and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 15, 1931

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan in the principal sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars for the use of the Board of Health of said city, in anticipation of the current revenues of and payable from the School Health Fund of said Board of Health for the year 1931; authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor; providing for legal notice; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 16, 1931

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan in the principal sum of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars for the use of the Board of Health of said city, in anticipation of the current revenues of and pay-

able from the Tuberculosis Fund of said Board of Health for the year 1931; authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor; providing for legal notice; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 1, 1931

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Seven Hundred Fifty (\$750.00) Dollars from the unappropriated and unexpended cash balance remaining in the Tuberculosis Fund of the Department of Public Health and Charities on January 1, 1931, to certain items of the budget of said department for the year 1931, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 2, 1931

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00)

Dollars from the estimated unappropriated and unexpended balance of the general fund for the year 1931 to the Board of Public Safety, Fire Department Fund No. 26, Other Contractual, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Very truly yours,

R. H. SULLIVAN,
Mayor.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

February 16, 1931.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Your attention is directed to General Ordinance No. 8, 1931,

which set aside an appropriation not to exceed \$2,638.00 for the purchase of the yearly requirements of Adhesive Tape for the Board of Public Health and Charities.

Since this ordinance was introduced, we received a confidential communication that a "price war" had developed with the manufacturers of this adhesive tape and this office immediately cancelled all bids and readvertised for this merchandise with the following tabulation of prices being submitted:

`	Mole Skin	$12 \ge 10$	2 x 10 =	$1 \times 10$
Bay Company	\$45.00	\$700.00	\$1000.00	\$700.00
Seamless Rubber	.00	600.00	1014.00	708.00
Seabury Johnson	40.00	650.00	915.00	639.00
Johnson & Johnson	46.25	700.00	1147.50	803.00
Armstrong & Co.	45.00	650.00	1000.00	675.00

These new prices were again referred to the Board of Public Health and Charities and we made the following awards:

Seamless Rubber Co.	$12 \times 10$	\$600.00
Seabury Johnson Co.	Mole Skin	40.00
Seabury Johnson Co.	$2 \times 10$	915.00
Seabury Johnson Co.	$1 \times 10$	639.00

with the result that the total expenditure under our new bid was only \$2194.00 in comparison with the former price of \$2638.00, making a total saving to the City of Indianapolis in the amount of \$444.00 Therefore, under ordinance No. 9, instead of making an expenditure not to exceed \$2638.00, we are only spending \$2194.00.

Very truly yours,

DEPT. OF PUBLIC PURCHASE.

ALBERT H. LOSCHE,

Purch. Agt.

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. 5, 1931, transferring moneys from certain funds and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds, and appropriating certain other money from certain funds to other numbered funds, all under the Department of Public Parks of the City of Indianapolis.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER,
City Controller.

February 16, 1931.

Mr. Wm. L. Elder, City Controller, City of Indianapolis:

Dear Sir:

Attached please find copies of proposed Ordinance authorizing the transfer and appropriation of certain funds of the park district of Indianapolis in accordance with resolution of the Board of Park Commissioners, passed February 12th, 1931.

Yours very truly,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

MARY E. GRIFFIN,

Secretary.

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. 6, 1931, appropriating certain funds from the unexpended cash balance of the General Fund of the Department of Public Parks to Fund No. 12, Salaries and Wages, Temporary.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER,
City Controller.

February 16, 1931.

Mr. Wm. L. Elder, City Controller, City of Indianapolis:

Dear Sir:

Attached please find copies of proposed ordinance authorizing the appropriation of certain funds from the unexpended cash balance of the General Fund of the Department of Public Parks to Fund No. 12—Salaries and Wages, Temporary, in accordance with resolution of the Board of Park Commissioners passed at a special meeting February 14, 1931.

Yours very truly,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

MARY E. GRIFFIN,

Secretary.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of General Ordinance No. 19, 1931, transferring moneys from certain numbered funds and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

February 16, 1931.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of General Ordinance No. 20, 1931, appropriating and transferring to the City Civil Engineer Gasoline Fund the sum of Thirty five Thousand (\$35,000.00) Dollars out of the Gasoline Tax Fund, now unappropriated, for the repair and maintenance of improved streets, public thoroughfares and bridges, and for labor, material, supplies and equipment necessary thereto.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of General Ordinance No. 21, 1931, appropriating and transferring to the Street Commissioner's Gasoline Tax Fund the sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars out of the Gasoline Tax Fund, now unappropriated, for the repair of unimproved streets, bridges and culverts, and for labor, materials, supplies and equipment necessary therefor, during the year 1931, in the City of Indianapolis.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER,
City Controller.

February 16, 1931.

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

#### Gentlemen:

We are submitting herewith an ordinance, establishing a bus zone at the southeast corner of Meridian and 27th streets, starting at a point 25 feet south of 27th street and extending south for a distance of 60 feet, and on Kentucky Avenue at a point 95 feet northeast of the intersection of Kentucky Avenue and Capitol Avenue and extending 69 feet northeast on the north side of Kentucky Avenue, and respectfully request the passage of same.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY,

WALTER O. LEWIS, Executive Secretary.

Mr. Henry O. Goett, City Clerk, Indianapolis, Indiana:

Dear Sir:

Acting under instructions of the Board of Health, I am handing you herewith Fourteen (14) copies of a General Ordinance authorizing the Board of Health or its duly authorized agent to purchase One ambulance, and to trade in thereon one old Studebaker ambulance.

The Board of Health respectfully requests that you present this ordinance to the Common Council at its next regular meeting.

Very truly yours,

H. G. MORGAN, Secretary.

February 10, 1931.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Attached hereto are 14 copies of General Ordinance No. 24, 1931, amending the general zoning ordinance by changing the property fronting on 30th Street between Shriver Avenue and California Street from residential to business use.

The City Plan Commission respectfully recommends the passage of this ordinance.

Very truly yours,

H. B. STEEG,
Secretary-Engineer,
CITY PLAN COMMISSION.

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

Gentlemen:

Attached hereto are 14 copies of Special Ordinance No. 2, 1931, changing the name of New York Street from Arsenal Avenue to Randolph Street and designating same as Marlowe Avenue. This change is necessitated on account of the opening of a new street north of the present New York Street under the Thoroughfare Law which new street will have the name of New York Street.

The City Plan Commission respectfully recommends the passage of this ordinance.

Very truly yours,

H. B. STEEG,
Secretary-Engineer,
CITY PLAN COMMISSION.

Mr. Welch asked for a recess. The motion was made and seconded by Mr. Houck, and the Council recessed at 8:15 p. m.

The Council reconvened from its recess at 8:55 p. m., with the same members present as before.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind. February 16, 1931.

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. 3, 1931, entitled Appropriation of \$14,187.70 and \$769.23 from balance to pay debts incurred during 1930—Board of Health, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. LEO F. WELCH. F. C. GARDNER. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind. February 16, 1931.

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. 4, 1931, entitled Appropriation \$16,191.07 to various City Departments, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. LEO F. WELCH. F. C.GARDNER. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind. February 16, 1931.

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. 7, 1931, entitled Abolishing and establishing bus zone on Monument Circle, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed as amended.

MAURICE E. TENNANT, Chairman-FRED C. GARDNER. LEO F. WELCH. C. I. WHEATLEY. CHAS. C. MORGAN.

Indianapolis, Ind. February 16, 1931.

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. 14, 1931, entitled Transfer of Funds \$720.00 in Flower Mission Fund No. 12 to City Hospital Fund—Salaries and Wages, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. LEO F. WELCH. F. C. GARDNER. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind. February 16, 1931.

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. 17, 1931, entitled Bond Issue \$200,000.00—Flood Prevention, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. LEO F. WELCH. F. C. GARDNER. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind. February 16, 1931.

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. 18, 1931, entitled Bond Issue \$10,000.00—Police Radio Station, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. LEO F. WELCH. F. C. GARDNER. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

## INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES

By City Controller:

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 5, 1931

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain funds and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds, appropriating certain other money from certain funds to other numbered funds, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, on December 31, 1930, there was carried over into the year 1931 a balance in the unexpended appropriation of the general fund of the Department of Public Parks for said year 1930 the sum of Twenty-six Thousand Six Hundred Nineteen Dollars and Twenty-six Cents (\$26,619.26) and there was carried over in the general fund of the Recreation Department for the year 1930 the sum of Eleven Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-seven Dollars and Forty-two Cents (\$11,897.42); and

WHEREAS, the said departments have no funds with which to pay some unpaid bills and obligations unless the money is appropriated from said general funds of said respective departments; and

WHEREAS, an extraordinary emergency exists for the appropriating of said moneys to pay said unpaid bills and to transfer and appropriate the funds hereinafter described with which to provide for the current obligations of said respective departments for the year 1931; and

WHEREAS, an emergency has arisen making it necessary for the Board of Park Commissioners to transfer and reappropriate the sum of Four Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$4,600) now in Fund No. 12, Sevices Temporary, to Fund No. 13, Other Compensation; and

WHEREAS, an emergency has arisen making it necessary for said Board of Park Commissioners to transfer and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-five Dollars (\$16,335.00)

now in Department of Public Parks unappropriated balance from sale of real estate to certain funds as hereinafter set out; and

WHEREAS, an emergency has arisen making it necessary for said Board of Park Commissioners to transfer and appropriate the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) from the unexpended cash balance of the general fund of the Recreation Department for the year 1930, to Recreation Fund No. 53, Refunds, Awards and Indemnities; NOW THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That there be and is hereby appropriated out of the unexpended appropriation of the general fund of the Department of Public Parks for the year 1930, and transferred to the various items of said Park Department funds as hereinafter set forth:

To Fund No. 1—Services, Personal\$	135.00
To Fund No. 2—Services, Contractual	455.21
To Fund No. 3—Supplies	345.25
To Fund No. 4—Materials	64.14
To Fund No. 5—Current Charges	97.19
To Fund No. 7—Properties	549.50
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TOTAL\$3,	646.29
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To	Fund	No.	51	82.19
To	Fund	No.	54	15.00
To	Fund	No.	72	1,339.50
To	Fund	No.	73	1,210.00

Sec. 2. That the sum of Four Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$4,600.00) now in Department of Public Parks Fund No. 12, Services, Temporary, be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Department of Public Parks Fund No. 13, Other Compensation.

Sec. 3. That the sum of Sixteen Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-five Dollars (\$16,335.00), now in Department of Public Parks unappropriated cash balance from sale of real estate, be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and appropriated to the various funds of said department as hereinafter set forth:

To	Fund No. 3-St	upplies	.\$ 700.00
To	Fund No. 4-M	aterials	. 14,785.00
To	Fund No. 7—Ed	quipment	. 850.00
	ТОТА	AL	. \$16,335.00
	To Fund No.	38\$ 7	00.00
	To Fund No.	41 8,4	85.00
	To Fund No.	42 5,5	00.00
	To Fund No.	43	800.00
	To Fund No.	72 8	350.00

Sec. 4. That there be and is hereby appropriated out of the unexpended appropriation of the general fund of the Recreation Department for the year 1930, and transferred to the various funds of said Department as hereinafter set forth:

To	Fund	No.	2—Services, Co	ntractual		.\$ 36.46
To	Fund	No.	3—Supplies			253.70
То	Fund	No.	4-Materials			6.00
			TOTAL		•	\$296.16

To	Fund	No.	2\$	31.71
To	Fund	No.	22	2.50
To	Fund	No.	25	2.25
To	Fund	No.	32	176.18
To	Fund	No.	33	41.77
To	Fund	No.	36	35.00
To	Fund	No.	38	.75
То	Fund	No.	45	6.00

Sec. 5. That the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00), now in Department of Recreation unappropriated cash balance for the year 1930, be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Recreation Fund No. 53, Refunds, Awards and Indemnities.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take 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 Finance.

By City Controller:

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 6, 1931

AN ORDINANCE appropriating certain funds from unexpended cash balance of general fund of the Department of Public Parks to Fund No. 12, Salaries and Wages, Temporary, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, on January 1, 1931, there was in the cash balance of the general fund of the Department of Public Parks the total sum of One Hundred Thirty-one Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-one Dollars and Sixty-five Cents (\$131,291.65) after deducting the amount appropriated for the 1931 budget and the proceeds from the sale of park lands, and

WHEREAS, an extraordinary emergency has arisen, making it

necessary for the Board of Park Commissioners to transfer and to appropriate from said cash balance the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) to Park Department Fund No. 12, Salaries and Wages, Temporary,

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

Section 1. That there be and there is hereby appropriated and transferred out of the said cash balance of the general fund of the Department of Public Parks to Park Department Fund No. 12, Salaries and Wages, Temporary, the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00).

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take 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 Finance.

## INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By City Controller:

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 19, 1931

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from certain numbered funds and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds, 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 the sum of One Hundred Twenty-five Dollars (\$125.00) now in Fund No. 72, Equipment, City Plan Commission, be and the same is hereby transferred and reappropriated to Fund No. 41, Building Material, City Plan Commission.

- Sec. 2. That the sum of Two Thousand Seventy-seven Dollars and Nine Cents (\$2,077.09) now in Department of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 11, Services—Personal, Lieutenants; and the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-three Dollars and Seventy-five Cents (\$1,763.75) now in Department of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 11, Services—Personal, Patrolmen—First Grade, be and the same is hereby transferred and reappropriated to Department of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 11, Services—Personal, Sergeants.
- Sec. 3. That the sum of One Thousand Thirteen Dollars and Thirteen Cents (\$1,013.13) now in Department of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 11, Services—Personal, Patrolmen, Second Grade, be and the same is hereby transferred and reappropriated to Department of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 11, Services—Personal, Police Women.
- Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

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

By City Controller:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 20, 1931

AN ORDINANCE appropriating and transferring to the City Civil Engineer Gasoline Fund the sum of Thirty-five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000.00) out of the Gasoline Tax Fund, now unappropriated, for the repair and maintenance of improved streets, public thoroughfares and bridges, and for labor, material, supplies and equipment necessary thereto, 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 the sum of Thirty-five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000.00) of the Gasoline Tax Fund, which sum is now unappropriated, be and the same is hereby appropriated and transferred to the City Civil Enginer Gasoline Fund, Special, for the repair and maintenance of improved streets, public thoroughfares and bridges, and for labor, material, supplies and equipment necessary thereto.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

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

By City Controller:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 21, 1931

AN ORDINANCE appropriating and transferring to the Street Commissioner's Gasoline Tax Fund the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) out of the Gasoline Tax Fund, now unappropriated, for the repair of unimproved streets, bridges and culverts, and for labor, materials, supplies and equipment necessary therefor, during the year 1931, in the City of Indianapolis, 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 the sum of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,-000.00) of the Gasoline Tax Fund, which sum is now unappropriated, be and the same is hereby appropriated and transferred to the Street Commissioner's Gasoline Tax Fund for the purpose of repair of unimproved streets, bridges, and culverts, and for labor, materials, supplies and equipment necessary therefor.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

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

By Board of Safety:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 22, 1931

AN ORDINANCE approving the order of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis designating certain additional bus stop locations in the City of Indianapolis, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, has adopted an order that in certain bus stops a near-side stop would tend to cause danger, inconvenience and discomfort to passengers and would constitute a hindrance to traffic at the particular intersections therein; and

WHEREAS, the said Board of Public Safety in said order has designated certain bus stops, in conformance with Section 58 of the Traffic Code of 1928, being General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, in addition to the several bus stops designated by General Ordinance No. 6, 1929, as amended by General Ordinance No. 66, 1930, and other ordinances amendatory thereto, submits these bus stop designations in addition and supplemental to the bus stops heretofore designated in said ordinance; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That the order of the Board of Public Safety of the City of Indianapolis, dated January 30, 1931, and a further order of said Board dated February 3, 1931, designating the following safety zones and bus stops, be in all things approved and ratified, viz:

On Kentucky Avenue, beginning at a point 95 feet northeast

of the intersection of Kentucky and Capitol Avenues and extending 69 feet northeast on the north side of Kentucky Avenue.

On Meridian Street, beginning at a point 25 feet south of Twenty-seventh Street and extending south for a distance of 60 feet.

- Sec. 2. This ordinance is in all things additional and supplemental to General Ordinance No. 8, 1929, as amended by General Ordinance No. 66, 1930, and other ordinances amendatory thereof.
- Sec. 3. 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.

By Board of Health:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 23, 1931

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Board of Health or its duly authorized agent to purchase One (1) ambulance and to trade in thereon One (1) old Studebaker ambulance; 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 the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, by itself or through its duly authorized agent, be and it is hereby authorized to purchase One (1) automobile chassis of 156-inch wheel base with an 8-cylinder motor; and also a custom made ambulance body therefor, to be used at and in connection with the Indianapolis City Hospital.

- Sec. 2. That the said ambulance may be purchased as a whole, or if found advisable, the body may be purchased separately. Said purchase or purchases shall be made from the lowest and best bidder or bidders on the respective parts of said ambulance after advertising for competitive bids thereon according to law. Provided, however, that the total price to be paid for said ambulance complete shall not exceed the sum of \$3,397.50.
- Sec. 3. Said Board of Health is further authorized to trade in as a part of the purchase price of the aforesaid ambulance for not less than its appraised value of \$200.00, one old ambulance which is no longer suitable for the use of said Board of Health, which old ambulance is described as follows:

One Studebaker, 6 cylinder,
Engine No. ES 61645,
Serial No. 3174411,
Certificate of Title No. 1230818

this being one of the ambulances described in General Ordinance No. 95, 1930.

- Sec. 4. The net purchase price of said ambulance shall be paid out of funds heretofore appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Charities of the City of Indianapolis for the year 1931.
- Sec. 5. 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.

By City Plan Commission:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 24, 1931

AN ORDINANCE to amend General Ordinance No. 114, 1922, commonly known as the Zoning Ordinance.

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

Section 1. That the U3 or business district, the A4 or 1200 square foot area district and the H1 or 50 foot height district be and the same are hereby amended, supplemented and extended so as to include the following described territory:

Beginning in the east property line of Shriver Avenue at a point 200 feet north of the north property line of 30th Street; thence west parallel to and 200 feet distant from the north property line of 30th Street to a point in the center line of the first alley west of Ethel Street; thence south along the center line of said alley to a point 145 feet north of the north property line of 30th Street; thence west parallel to and 145 feet distant from the north property line of 30th Street to a point in the east property line of California Street; thence south along the east property line of California Street to a point 128.25 feet south of the south property line of 30th Street; thence east parallel to and 128.25 feet distant from the south property line of 30th Street to a point in the east property line of Ethel Street; thence south on and along the east property line of Ethel Street a distance of 12.78 feet to a point; thence east to a point in the east property line of Indianapolis Avenue, said point being 140.63 feet south of the south property line of 30th Street; thence north on and along the east property line of Indianapolis Avenue a distance of 20.43 feet; thence east to a point in the east property line of Paris Avenue said point being 122.16 feet south of the south property line of 30th Street; thence south on and along the east property line of Paris Avenue a distance of 17.56 feet; thence east to a point in the east property line of Shriver Avenue, said point being 139 feet south of the south property line of 30th Street; thence north on and along the east property line of Shriver Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor and publication according to law.

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

By City Purchasing Agent:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 25, 1931

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City Engineer or his agent to receive bids for the purchase of certain supplies for the City Engineering Department, and fixing a time when same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That the City Engineer of the City of Indianapolis, or the Department of Public Purchase, his lawful agent, be and is hereby authorized to receive bids, after advertising therefor, for the following supplies to be used in the repairing of city streets of the City of Indianapolis:

2,000 bbls., more or less—Portlant Cement—Eng. Spec.

500 tons—refined asphalt, more or less—Eng. Spec.

2,000 tons, more or less—yellow sand, to be priced f. o. b. outside switch, city yards.

1,000 tons—stone dust, to be priced f. o. b. outside switch city yards.

150,000 gal. Road Oil-Eng. Spec.-f. o. b. Asphalt Plant

Sec. 2. No contract for the purchase of said materials to be entered into until authorized by this body and money appropriated therefor

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

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

By City Plan Commission:

## SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 2, 1931

AN ORDINANCE changing the name of a certain street in the City of Indianapolis 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 the name of New York Street from the east curb line of Arsenal Avenue to the west curb line of Randolph Street is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be designated as Marlowe Avenue.

Sec. 2. 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 Welfare.

## ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 7, 1931 for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Tennant presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 7, 1931:

I move to amend General Ordinance No. 7, 1931, by striking out the words:

In the southwest segment of Monument Circle beginning at a point on the curb line twenty-five (25) feet northwest of the established property line of the property located at the west side of Meridian Street and the south side of Monument Circle and extending northwest on said surb line a distance of one hundred forty-seven (147) feet;

and inserting in lieu thereof:

In the northwest segment of Monument Circle, beginning at a point twenty-five (25) feet southwest of the intersection of said Monument Circle with the west curb line of Meridian Street and continuing thence a distance of one hundred twentyeight (128) feet southwest along said curb line.

MAURICE E. TENNANT, Chairman.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 7,1931, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 7, 1931, as amended was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 14, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 14, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 14, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 17, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General Ordinance No. 17, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 17, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Noes, 1, viz: Mr. Henry.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 18, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 18, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 18, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Welch, Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 3, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1931. for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 8, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck asked for suspension of the rules for consideration of General Ordinance No. 20, 1931. The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch, and failed to pass by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Noes, 1, viz: Mr. Henry.

Mr. Houck asked for suspension of the rules for consideration of General Ordinance No. 21, 1931. The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch, and failed to pass by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Noes, 1, viz: Mr. Henry.

Mr. Houck asked for suspension of the rules for consideration of General Ordinance No. 23, 1931. The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch, and failed to pass by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Noes, 1, viz: Mr. Henry.

Mr. Houck announced that the Committee on Finance was not ready to report on General Ordinance No. 5, 1931, and asked for further time for consideration of said ordinance, which was granted.

Mr. Welch announced that the Committee on Public Health and Charities was not ready to report on General Ordinance No. 13, 1931, and asked for further time for consideration of said ordinance which was granted.

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Henry, the Common Council adjourned at 9:15 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 16th day of February, 1931, 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.

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President.

Attest:

Henry O Goett
City Clerk.

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