## **REGULAR MEETING**

Monday, December 21, 1931.

## 7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at City Hall, in regular session Monday, December 21, 1931, following a public hearing at 7:30 p. m. by the Committee on Public Parks, on General Ordinance No. 97, 1931, President Ernest C. Ropkey took the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

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

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

# COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MAYOR

#### December 14, 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 ordinance:

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## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 22, 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.

Yours very truly,

# R. H. SULLIVAN,

Mayor.

# COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 8, 1931.

Hon. Ernest C. Ropkey, President Common Council, City of Indianapolis.

Dear Sir:

Your committe referring the proposed transfer of funds for the improvement of conditions at the East Market, met on the 8th day of December and made a preliminary investigation of the proposed improvements.

This committee is of the unanimous opinion that the proposed improvement, a reserved space for automobiles, canopy, waiting room and check room at the East Market is well conceived and that we are of the unanimous opinion that this improvement should be made just as soon as practical, but that on account of the request of the city treasurer that no city bills should be paid after December 25th, it will be impossible to complete the improvements this year. Therefore, we recommend that these improvements should be started as soon as funds can be obtained after January 1st, and that the improvements be made as outlined by the Board of Public Safety. We are also of the unanimous opinion that the sanitary conditions existing now at the market house have been very much magnified and that such conditions that should not exist will be improved immediately and just as soon as funds may be available for the purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

MARKET COMMITTEE, CLARENCE I. WHEATLEY CARL A. HILDEBRAND, J. A. HOUCK.

December 21, 1931.

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

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to General Ordinance No. 96, making an appropriation not to exceed the sum of \$7000.00 for the purchase of 14 Police Automobiles, will state that the Department of Public Purchase duly advertised for proposals and competitive bids in full compliance with the law, and did on December 8th, 1931, at the hour of 10:00 A. M., receive sealed proposals for said purchase of 14 cars, which bids were opened in public and referred to the Board of Public Safety and the Chief of Police.

The bid of J. C. Scanlon for \$6650.00 for 14 1932 Plymouth cars with leather upholstering and special Bosche radio generators was accepted, being the lowest and best bid submitted.

Respectfully submitted,

DEPT. OF PUBLIC PURCHASE. Albert H. Losche, Purch. Agt. JOURNAL OF COMMON COUNCIL [Regular Meeting]

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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. 106, 1931, transferring monies 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.

December 21, 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. 107, 1931, amending General Ordinance No. 102, 1931.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

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December 21, 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. 108, 1931, amending Section 3 of General Ordinance No. 99, 1931.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance. Yours very truly,

> WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

December 21, 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. 109, 1931, transferring the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars now in the Department of Public Works, Municipal Garage Fund No. 33—Garage and Motor, to Department of Public Works, Municipal Garage Fund No. 12—Salaries and Wages, Temporary.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance under suspension of rules.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

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Hon. President and Members

Common Council,

City of Indianapolis.

Gentlemen:

We are submitting herewith an ordinance prohibiting parking on the west side of Blackford Street, between Washington and Maryland Streets, and respectfully recommend its passage.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY, WALTER O. LEWIS, Executive Secretary.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 21, 1931.

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

Dear Mr. Goett:

I am handing herewith to you fourteen copies of an Ordinance, providing for the annexation of a certain parcel of land described therein to the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, which I purpose to introduce tonight.

Yours truly,

ERNEST C. ROPKEY.

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#### December 21, 1931.

## Mr. William L. Elder, City Controller, City.

#### Dear Sir:

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I have determined that a contingency has arisen requiring the expenditure of the sum of \$300.00 from the Mayor's Contingent Fund, being Item No. 26 in your budget, for payment of services rendered by R. F. Haddath in preparing data for use in the pending petitions by the city and others for reduction of rates of the Indianapolis Power & Light Company and the Indianapolis Water Company, which petitions are on file before the Public Service Commission of Indiana, this payment being in full of any and all obligations of the city to said R. F. Haddath.

I hereby request that you give your approval to such expenditure, provided sufficient funds are on hand therefor, and to notify the City Council, in writing, together with a proper resolution authorizing this payment.

Very truly yours,

# R. H. SULLIVAN, Mayor.

#### December 21, 1931.

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

#### Gentlemen:

Attached please find copies of a letter from the Mayor recommending the expenditure of the sum of \$300.00 from the Mayor's Contingent Fund, being Item No. 26 in the budget of the City Controller, for payment of services rendered by R. F. Haddath as indicated in said letter. I hereby approve the proposed expenditure from funds now on hand therefor, and attach herewith a proper resolution to be adopted by the Common Council authorizing the proposed expenditure, and I recommend the passage of this resolution under suspension of the rules, so that the money may be available for immediate payment.

Very truly yours,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

### REMONSTRANCE

Indianapolis, Dec. 14th, 1931.

To the Board of Public Works of the City of Indianapolis:

Gentlemen:

The undersigned, owners of real estate abuting on Shelby Street from Bradbury to Comar Street respectfully remonstrate against any further action of the Board of Public Works in the matter of Improvement Resolution No.—, providing for—

Thomas Miller, 2441 Shelby St.
Mary Miller, 2441 Shelby St.
Erma J. TenEyck, 2449 Shelby St.
Charles A. TenEyck, 2449 Shelby St.
S. H. Cooper, 1050 Garfield Drive.
F. J. Boatman, 2362 Shelby St.
Patrick J. Higgins, 2352 Shelby St.
William T. Stevens, 2457 Shelby St.
Dr. J. E. Montaux, 2346 Shelby St.

Mr. Welch asked for a recess. The motion was made and seconded by Mr. Wheatley, and the council recessed at 7:55 p. m.

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The Council reconvened from its recess at 9:10 p.m. with the same members present as before.

# COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 91, 1931, entitled Authorization for purchase of pickup sweeper, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be stricken from files.

> J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. CARL A. HILDEBRAND. LEO F. WELCH. FRED C. GARDNER. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 92, 1931, entitled Transfer of Funds-City Departments, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be stricken from files.

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

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 1931.

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

Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred General Ordinance No. 98, 1931, entitled Authorizing purchase of Supplies, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

> J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. CARL A. HILDEBRAND. LEO F. WELCH. GEORGE A. HENRY. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 99, 1931, entitled Transfer of Funds-City Depart-

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

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

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 100, 1931, entitled Establishing Loading Zones, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

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

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 101, 1931, entitled Transfer of Funds—Board of Health,

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

> J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. CARL A. HILDEBRAND. LEO F. WELCH. MAURICE E. TENNANT. FRED C. GARDNER.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 102, 1931, entitled Transfer of Funds—City Departments, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed as amended.

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

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 103, 1931, entitled Amending General Ordinance No. 121, 1925, Section 122-Official Bonds, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

> J. A. HOUCK, Chairman. CARL A. HILDEBRAND. LEO F. WELCH. FRED C. GARDNER. MAURICE E. TENNANT.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 1931.

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

#### Gentlemen:

We, your Committee on Public Welfare, to whom was referred Special Ordinance No. 8, 1931, entitled Changing Street names, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed as amended.

> C. I. WHEATLEY, Chairman. J. A. HOUCK. CARL A. HILDEBRAND, GEORGE A. HENRY. F. C. GARDNER,

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 23, 1931, entitled Appropriating \$3,432.51 from 1931 balance of Board of Public Works to Municipal Airport,

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

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

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 105, 1931, entitled Amending General Ordinance No. 28, 1931, Section 17—Taxicab Ordinance, 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. F. C. GARDNER. CHAS. C. MORGAN. C. I. WHEATLEY.

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 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. 105, 1931, entitled Amending General Ordinance No. 28, 1931, Section 17—Taxicab Ordinance, beg leave to report that

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we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be referred back to the Board of Public Safety for recommendation.

### LEO F. WELCH.

President Ropkey put the following question to a vote of the Council, "The question is on adopting the Majority Report on General Ordinance No. 105, 1931." The Council adopted the Majority Report on General Ordinance No. 105, 1931, by the following roll call vote: Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley.

Noes: Mr. Welch, President Ropkey.

# INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL ORDINANCES

## By City Controller:

### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 106, 1931

AN ORDINANCE transferring monies 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 Five Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Two Dollars and Fifteen Cents (\$5,442.15), now in the following funds of the Department of Public Safety, Police Department, in the amounts set out hereafter, to-wit:

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Fund No. 21	Communication and Transportation\$1,000.00	
Fund No. 33	Garage and Motor 2,000.00	
Fund No. 36	Office Supplies 500.00	
Fund No. 38	General Supplies 500.00	
Fund No. 44	General Materials 442.15	
Fund No. 72	Equipment 1,000.00	
be and the same is	hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated	
in the total sum of Five Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Two Dollars		
and Fifteen Cents (\$5,442.15) to Department of Public Safety, Police		
Department, Fund	No. 22, Heat, Light and Power.	

Section 2. That the sum of Forty-Four Dollars and Fifty-one Cents (\$44.51) now in the Department of Public Safety, Police De-Partment, Fund No. 24, Printing and Advertising, be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reapproprited to Department of Public Safety, Police Department, Fund No. 34, Institutional and Medical.

Section 3. That the sum of Eighty-three Dollars and Sixty-three Cents (\$83.63) now in the Department of Public Safety, Police Department, Fund No. 26, Other Contractual, be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Department of Public Safety, Police Department, Fund No. 41, Building Materials.

Section 3. That the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Fiftythree Dollars and Seventy-three Cents (\$1,153.73) now in the Department of Public Safety, Fire Department, in the amounts set out hereafter, to-wit:

	Fund No. 22	Heat, Light and Power\$	53.73
	Fund No. 25	Repairs	1,000.00
	Fund No. 38	General Supplies	100.00
be a	nd the same is	hereby transferred therefrom and reappro	opriated
in th	e total sum o	f One Thousand One Hundred Fifty-three	Dollars
and	Seventy-three	Cents (\$1,153.73) to Department of Public	Safety,
Fire	Department, 1	Fund No. 41, Building Materials.	

Section 4. That the sum of One Hundred Twenty-six Dollars and Four Cents (\$126.04) now in the Department of Public Safety, Gamewell Department, Fund No. 45 Repair Parts, be and the same

is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Department of Public Safety, Gamewell Department, Fund No. 44, General Materials.

Section 5. That the sum of Fourteen Dollars and Seventy-two Cents (\$14.72) now in the Department of Public Safety, East Market, Fund No. 34, Institutional and Medical be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Department of Public Safety, Market Refrigeration Fund No. 38, General Supplies.

Section 6. That the sum of Eighty-nine Dollars and Fifty-five Cents (\$89.55) now in the Department of Public Safety, Dog Pound, in the following numbered funds, to-wit:

Fund No. 21	Communication and Transportation\$ 7.00
Fund No. 38	General Supplies
Fund No. 45	Repair Parts 19.90
Fund No. 72	Equipment 61.97

be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom in the total sum of Eighty-nine Dollars and Fifty-five Cents (\$89.55) and reappropriated to the following numbered funds in said department in the amounts set out as follows, to-wit:

Fund No. 22	Heat, Light and Power\$ 7.00
Fund No. 41	Euilding Materials
Fund No. 31	Food 19.90
Fund No. 33	Garage and Motor 61.97

Section 7. This ordinance shall be in full force and 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. 107, 1931

AN ORDINANCE amending General Ordinance No. 102, 1931, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That General Ordinance No. 102, 1931 be amended by striking out Section 2 thereof which reads as follows:

"Section 2. That the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) now in Department of Public Safety, Fire Department Fund No. 334 Other Garage and Motor Supplies be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Department of Public Safety, Fire Department Fund No. 41 Buildings."

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.

By City Controller:

### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 108, 1931

AN ORDINANCE amending Section 3 of General Ordinance No. 99, 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 Section 3 of General Ordinance No. 99, 1931 be amended to read as follows:

"Section 3. That the sum of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) now in Department of Finance, City Controller Fund No. 72 Equipment be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and re appropriated to Department of Finance, City Controller Fund No. 24, Printing and Advertising."

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.

By City Controller:

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 109, 1931

AN ORDINANCE transferring moneys from a certain numbered fund and reappropriating the same to another numbered fund and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

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

Section 1. That the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) now in the Department of Public Works, Municipal Garage Fund No. 33 Garage and Motor be and the same is hereby transferred therefrom and reappropriated to Department of Public Works, Municipal Garage Fund No. 12 Salaries and Wages—Temporary.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and 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 Board of Safety:

## GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 110, 1931

AN ORDINANCE amending sub-section (b) of section 30 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended by General Ordinance No. 31, 1931 as amended by General Ordinance No. 68, 1931, as amended by General Ordinance No. 82, 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 sub-section (b) of section 30 of General Ordinance No. 96, 1928, as amended by General Ordinance No. 31, 1931, as amended by General Ordinance No. 68, 1931, as amended by General Ordinance No. 82, 1931, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows, to-wit:

(b) It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to park the same at any time in any of the following places, to-wit:

(1) On either side of North Alabama Street, from Fort Wayne Avenue to Eleventh Street.

(2) On either side of Bird Street, between Ohio and New York Streets.

(3) Belmont Street, on the east side, from Washington Street to Oliver Avenue.

(4) South Blackford Street on the west side from West Washington Street to West Maryland Street.

(5) On either side of Central Avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh Street.

(6) Clifton Street, on the east side, from Roach to Thirtyfourth Street.

(7) Delaware Street on the east side, from the north curb line of Twenty-fourth Street to the south curb line of Thirtieth Street and on the west side from the south curb line of Market Street extending south a distance of fifty (50) feet.

(8) Eleventh Street, on the north side, from Alabama Street to Central Avenue.

(9) Fort Wayne Avenue, on the east side, from Pennsylvania Street to St. Clair Street.

(10) Fortieth Street, on the north side, from Illinois Street to Boulevard Place.

(11) Forty-second Street, on the north side, from Carrollton Avenue to College Avenue.

(12) Forty-second Street, on the north side, from Central Avenue to the first alley west of College Avenue.

(13) Forty-sixth Street, on the north side, from Illinois Street to the tracks of the Monon Railroad.

(14) Fourteenth Street, on the north side, from Illinois. Street to Meridian Street, and on the north side, from Meridian Street to Pennsylvania Street.

(15) Georgia Street, on the notrh side, from Noble to East Street.

(16) Hawthorne Lane, on the east side, from Washington Street to Lowell Avenue.

(17) Highland Drive, on the north side, from Broadway to College Avenue.

(18) Howard Street, on the north side, from Harding Street to Belmont Avenue.

(19) Illinois Street, on the east side, between Washingtonand Court Streets.

(20) Illinois Street, on the east side, from Washington Street to Pearl Street.

(21) Johnson Avenue, on either side, from Washington Street to the first alley south.

(22) Johnson Avenue, on the east side, from the first alley south of Washington Street to Julian Avenue.

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(23) On Lockerbie Street between North East Street and North Liberty Street on the north side for 100 feet east and 100 feet west of the center of the entrance to the James Whitcomb Riley Memorial Home.

(24) On either side of Marlowe Avenue, from Arsenal Avenue to State Street.

(25) Market Street, on either side, from west curb line of Pennsylvania Street to the east curb line of Illinois Street.

(26) Meridian Street, on the east side, from Washington Street to Pearl Street.

(27) Meridian Street, on the west side, from Bluff Avenue to the tracks of the Indianapolis Union Railway.

(28) Meridian Street, on either side, from the north curb line of Washington Street to the south curb line of Ohio Street.

(29) Meridian Street, on the east side, from Ohio Street to New York Street, and from Michigan Street to North Street.

(30) Michigan Street, on the north side, from Meridian Street to Pennsylvania Street.

(31) Monument Circle, on either inner or outer curbs.

(32) New York Street, west, on north side, from Blake Street to White River.

(33) Nineteenth Street, on the north side, from Illinois Street to Meridian Street.

(34) Nineteenth Street, on the north side, from Delaware Street to New Jersey Street.

(35) North Street, on the south side, from Meridian Street to Pennsylvania Street.

(36) Park Avenue, on the east side, from Ruckle Street to Forty-second Street.

(37) Pennsylvania Street, on the west side, from Washington Street to Court Street.

(38) Pennsylvania Street, on the west side, from East Michigan Street to East North Street.

(39) Orange Street, on the north side, from Leonard Street to Shelby Street.

(40) Oriental Street, on the east side, from Southeastern Avenue, north, to Market Street.

(41) Osage Street, on the west side, between Ohio and New York Streets.

(42) Ritter Avenue, on either side, from Washington Street a distance of two hundred feet north and south, therefrom.

(43) Ruckle Street, on the east side, from Thirty-eighth Street to Forty-second Street.

(44) Ruckle Street, on the east side, from Park Avenue to Forty-second Street.

(45) St. Clair Street, on the north side, east from Senate Avenue to Meridian Street, and from Pennsylvania Street to the tracks of the Monon Railroad.

(46) St. Joseph Street, on the north side, from Pennsylvania Street to Illinois Street.

(47) St. Joseph Street, on the north side, from Fort Wayne Avenue to Alabama Street.

(48) Seventeenth Street, on either side, between Meridian Street and Pennsylvania Street. (49) Seventeenth Street, on the north side, from Park Avenue to Talbott Avenue.

(50) Sixteenth Street, on the north side, east from Delaware Street to the Monon Railroad.

(51) Salem Street, on the east side, from Thirty-fourth Street to Thirty-eighth Street.

(52) Station Street, on the east side, from Roosevelt Avenue to Twenty-fifth Street.

(53) Tenth Street, on the north side, from Meridian Street to Indiana Avenue.

(54) Tenth Street, on the north side, from Capitol Avenue to the first alley west of Capitol Avenue.

(55) Thirtieth Street, on the north side, from Fall Creek west to Meridian Street and from Capitol Avenue west to White River.

(56) Twelfth Street, on the north side, from Meridian Street to Alabama Street.

(57) Walnut Street, on the north side, from Pennsylvania Street to Fort Wayne Avenue.

(58) Washington Boulevard, on the east side, from Twentyeighth Street to Thirtieth Street.

(59) Washington Street, on either side, from Oriental Street east and west to points 150 feet distant therefrom.

Section 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 Safety.

By Mr. Ropkey:

#### SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 9, 1931

AN ORDINANCE annexing certain territory to 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 corporation line of the City of Indianapolis be and the same is hereby extended so as to include the following described territory constituting and forming the City of Indianapolis, Marion County, Indiana.

Beginning at a point in the present corporation line of the City of Indianapolis, said corporation line being the center line of Hanna Avenue and the north line of Section 31, Township 15 north, Range 4 east, at a point 326 feet east of the center line of Shelby Street as now located in the City of Indianapolis; thence north and parallel to the center line of said Shelby Street 315 feet to a point; thence east and parallel to the center line of Hanna Avenue 667 feet to a point; thence south and parallel to the center line of Shelby Street 315 feet to a point in the center line of Hanna Avenue, the present corporation line; thence west on and along the center line of Hanna Avenue, 667 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Section 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 Parks.

# By City Controller:

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 8, 1931**

- WHEREAS, the services of a duly gualified public accountant have been required in preparing data necessary for presenting the facts on the pending petitions of the City of Indianapolis and others, filed before the Public Service Commission of Indiana, seeking a reduction in the rates of Indianapolis Power & Light Company and Indianapolis Water Company, and R. F. Haddath has been retained by the petitioners other than said city and has also rendered and is rendering certain services for said city in the above matters, and the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) has been agreed upon as the total amount to be paid said R. F. Haddath by said city in full of all such services rendered it during the year 1931; and
- WHEREAS, the Mayor of said city has determined that the facts aforesaid present a contingency requiring the expenditure of a part of the appropriation reserved for said Mayor's Contingent Fund, being Item No. 26 in the budget of the City Controller, to-wit: the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) therefrom, and has notified the City Controller in writing of such contingency; and
- WHEREAS, the City Controller has approved the proposed expenditure and notified the City Council in writing, giving all pertinent facts regarding the contingency and the manner in which it is proposed to meet the same; and
- WHEREAS, the City Council now determines that the said contingency exists and that the fund of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300..00) requested as aforesaid should be provided as indicated for expenditure during the current fiscal year, ending December 31, 1931, and that such sum is now available for such purpose in the Mayor's Contingent Fund; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

1. That the Common Council hereby approves and authorizes the expenditure, during the current fiscal year, ending December 31, 1931, the aggregate sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00), or any part thereof, out of the aforesaid Mayor's Contingent Fund, for the purposes specified in the preamble hereof.

2. That this resolution shall become effective from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

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

# ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 91, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Houck made a motion that General Ordinance No. 91, 1931, be stricken from the files. The motion was seconded by Mr. Gardner, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

President Ropkey ordered General Ordinance No. 91, 1931, stricken from the files. Which ordinance was stricken from the files by the City Clerk.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 92, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time,

Mr. Houck made a motion that General Ordinance No. 92, 1931, be stricken from the files. The motion was seconded by Mr. Morgan, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

President Ropkey ordered General Ordinance No. 92, 1931, stricken from the files. Which ordinance was stricken from the files by the City Clerk.

Mr. Welch called for General Ordinance No. 98, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Welch, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 98, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 98, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 99, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 99, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 99, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 100, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 100, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 100, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 101, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 101, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 101, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey. Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 102, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Houck presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 102, 1931:

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 1931.

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance No. 102, 1931, be amended by striking out the entire Section 2 thereof, that Sections 3, 4, 5, and 6 be changed so that said sections are numbered 2, 3, 4 and 5, respectively.

> J. A. HOUCK, Councilman.

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

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 102, 1931 as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 102, 1931, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 103, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Welch, General Ordinance No. 103, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 103, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand. Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Gardner called for General Ordinance No. 104, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Gardner made a motion that General Ordinance No. 104, 1931, be stricken from the files. The motion was seconded by Mr. Houck, and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

President Ropkey ordered General Ordinance No. 104, 1931, stricken from the files. Which ordinance was stricken from the files by the City Clerk.

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 105, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Henry presented the following written motion to amend General Ordinance No. 105, 1931:

#### Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 1931.

Mr. President:

I move that General Ordinance 105, 1931, be amended by adding thereto the following new section:

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

> GEORGE A. HENRY, Councilman.

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

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 105, 1931, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 105, 1931, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley.

Noes: Mr. Welch, President Ropkey.

Mr. Wheatley called for Special Ordinance No. 8, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

Mr. Wheatley presented the following written motion to amend Special Ordinance No. 8, 1931:

Indianapolis, Ind., December 21, 1931.

#### Mr. President:

I move that Special Ordinance No. 8, 1931, be amended to read as follows, to-wit:

#### SPECIAL ORDINANCE NO. 8, 1931

#### AS AMENDED

AN ORDINANCE changing the name of certain streets 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 Bellefontaine Street from 23rd Street to Sutherland Avenue shall hereafter be known and designated as Guilford Avenue.

Section 2. That Wheeler Street from 34th to 38th Street shall hereafter be known and designated as Dearborn Street.

Section 3. That Dearborn Street from 34th to 38th Street shall hereafter be known and designated as LaSalle Street.

Section 4. That Euclid Avenue (west) from 34th Street to Euclid Avenue (east) shall hereafter be known and designated as Colorado Avenue.

Section 5. That Pratt Street from the city limits west to the city limits east except that portion between Arlington Avenue and Anderson Street shall hereafter be known and designated as 9th Street.

Section 6. That St. Clair Street from Arlington Avenue to Anderson Street shall hereafter be known and designated as 9th Street.

Section 7. That Pratt Street from Arlington Avenue to Anderson Street shall hereafter be known and designated as St. Joseph Street.

Section 8. That Terrace Road from 36th Street to Watson Road shall hereafter be known and designated as Watson Road.

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Section 9. That the first street east of DeQuincy Street from 16th Street to the right-of-way of the C. C. C. & St. L. R. R. shall hereafter be known and designated as Kildare Avenue.

Section 10. That 15th Street from the alley west of Holmes Avenue to the alley east of Holmes Avenue shall hereafter be known and designated as Plymouth Street.

Section 11. That 16th Street from the alley west of Holmes Avenue to the alley east of Holmes Avenue shall hereafter be known and designated as 18th Street.

Section 12. That Geneva Street from the alley west of Bellevieu Street to the alley east of Bellevieu Street shall hereafter be known and designated as 18th Street.

Section 13. That 17th Street from the alley west of Holmes Avenue to the alley east of Holmes Avenue shall hereafter be known and designated as Whitney Street.

Section 14. That Lancaster Street from 25th Street to Massachusetts Avenue and from 30th Street to 32nd Street shall hereafter be known and designated as Drexel Avenue.

Section 15. That Bartholomew Street from 28th to 30th Street shall hereafter be known and designated as Drexel Avenue.

Section 16. That 65th Street from Riverview Drive to College Avenue shall hereafter be known and designated as 66th Street.

Section 17. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor.

> C. I. WHEATLEY, Councilman.

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

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Welch, Special Ordinance No. 8, 1931, as amended, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Special Ordinance No. 8, 1931, as amended, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Houck called for Appropriation Ordinance No. 23, 1931, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Morgan, Appropriation Ordinance No. 23, 1931, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 23, 1931, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr Wheatley, President Ropkey.

## MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Mr. Gardner announced that the Committee on Public Parks was not ready to report on General Ordinance No. 97, 1931, and asked for further time for consideration of said ordinance, which was granted. Mr. Welch made a motion to adopt the following Resolution:

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 9, 1931**

- WHEREAS, the Honorable Sterling R. Holt, departed this life on December 19, 1931; and
- WHEREAS, Mr. Holt through his long and useful life of unselfish devotion to his fellowmen in the City of Indianapolis has established an example of service, seldom equalled, both in public life as Controller of the City of Indianapolis, and in private life as a civic leader and philanthropist;
- NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, in regular session assembled, Monday evening, December 21, 1931, extends the sympathy of the people of Indianapolis at his death and deepest appreciation for his untiring efforts in behalf of the city; and

#### BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED;

That these resolutions be spread upon the proceedings of the Common Council and that a copy be sent to the surviving members of Mr. Holt's family.

Which motion was seconded by Mr. Henry and adopted by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 9, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Welch, the

Common Council adjourned at 9:40 p.m.

We hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete record of the proceedings of the Common Council at the City of Indianapolis held on the 21st day of December, 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:

City Clerk.

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