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OF THE

# Common Council

OF THE

# CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS

In Marion County, in the State of Indiana

#### SPECIAL MEETING

Monday, January 2, 1933. 12:00 O'Clock Noon.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber, January 2, 1933 at 12:00 O'Clock Noon, President Ernest C. Ropkey in the chair, pursuant to the following call:

To the Members of the Common Council, Indianapolis, Indiana:

#### Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that there will be a SPECIAL MEETING of the COMMON COUNCIL held in the Council Chamber on Monday, January 2nd, 1933 at 12:00 O'Clock noon, pursuant to the laws of the State of Indiana, as contained in Section 10280, Burns R. S. 1926.

The purpose of such SPECIAL MEETING being to elect presiding officers of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis for the year 1933.

Respectfully,

ERNEST C. ROPKEY,
President, Common Council.

I, Henry O. Goett, Clerk of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, do hereby certify that I have served the above and foregoing notice to each and every member of the Common Council prior to the time of such SPECIAL MEETING, pursuant to the rules.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my signature and caused the seal of the City of Indianapolis to be affixed.

HENRY O. GOETT, City Clerk.

(SEAL)

Which was read.

President Ropkey called the meeting to order.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Absent: Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Tennant.

Mr. Wheatley made a motion to nominate Mr. Ropkey as President of the Common Council for the coming year. The motion was seconded by Mr. Welch. Mr. Morgan moved that the nominations be closed. Mr. Henry seconded the motion, and the motion was carried by a viva voce vote.

Mr. Henry requested that a roll call vote be taken on the election of Mr. Ropkey as President. The vote was as follows:

Ayes, 6, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Welch, Mr. Wheatley.

Mr. Ropkey was excused from voting.

Mr. Ropkey was duly elected President of the Common Council for 1933.

Mr. Wheatley made a motion to nominate Mr. Welch, as Vice President of the Common Council for the coming year. The motion was seconded by Mr. Morgan. Mr. Henry moved that the nominations be closed. Mr. Gardner seconded the motion and the motion was carried by a viva voce vote.

Mr. Henry requested that a roll call vote be taken on the election of Mr. Welch as Vice President. The vote was as follows:

Ayes, 6, viz: Mr. Gardner, Mr. Henry, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Wheatley, President Ropkey.

Mr. Welch was excused from voting.

Mr. Welch was duly elected Vice President of the Common Council for 1933.

President Ropkey addressed the members of the Common Council thanking them for his election with the following words:

"Fellow Councilmen and friends. I am fully aware of the unusualness of your action today, which for the fourth time has made me President of your Honorable body. I most sincerely appreciate the honor, one that could not have been possible for me to enjoy, except that others in this group have been willing to make a sacrifice.

"Going through my files of 1932 I came across a clipping from the Indianapolis Star and I fully hope that when we have ended our next and fourth year, that the paper will come out with the same kind of an editorial which I will read to you in part:

#### CITY COUNCIL EFFICIENCY

'The application of an old adage no news is good news should convince the people of Indianapolis that members of the City Council are functioning with more than usual efficiency. The reporters "covering" the City Hall may regret the comparative absence of buncombe and ballyhoo that has by no means been unknown in the past. The business like handling of the community's affairs may make less "good copy," but it speaks well for the manner in which municipal problems are handled.

'The councilmen are representative citizens who have refused to be stampeded into hasty and ill-advised action on proposed ordinances. They have granted a hearing to all and then quietly voted in accord with what seems to be the city's best interests.'

"We hope that at the end of this year that the papers will again be able to say as much for us."

On motion of Mr. Wheatley, seconded by Mr. Morgan, the Common Council adjourned at 12:15 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, Indiana, held on the 2nd day of January, 1933, at 12:00 O'Clock noon.

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 South
(SEAL.)

City Clerk.

#### REGULAR MEETING

Monday, January 2, 1933.

7:30 P. M.

The Common Council of the City of Indianapolis met in the Council Chamber at City Hall, Monday, January 2, 1933, at 7:30 p. m., in regular session. Vice President Leo F. Welch in the chair.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Vice President Welch and six members, viz: George A. Henry, C. A. Hildebrand, James A. Houck, Chas. C. Morgan, Maurice E. Tennant, Clarence I. Wheatley.

Absent: Fred C. Gardner, Ernest C. Ropkey.

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

December 22, 1932.

 $T_0$  the Honorable President and Members of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis.

#### Gentlemen:

I have this day approved with my signature, and delivered to Henry O. Goett, City Clerk, the following ordinances:

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 97, 1932

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

#### GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 98, 1932

AN ORDINANCE transferring certain sums from certain numbered and designated funds of the City Controller to certain designated funds, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

# GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 99, 1932

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the employment of special attorneys to cooperate with the city legal department in collecting delinquent assessments of special benefits due the city either originally, or by reason of the payment by the city out of the "Special Assessment Delinquency and Deficit Fund" of bonds and coupons issued upon waivers executed upon special benefit assessments, and providing for expenses and costs incident to such collections, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

# GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 100, 1932

AN ORDINANCE transferring certain sums of money from certain numbered funds of the Department of Public Health and Charities and reappropriating the same to other numbered funds of said Department; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 19, 1932

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred Six Dollars and Sixty-two Cents (\$3,706.62) from the unexpended and unappropriated balance of the General Fund for the year 1932 to the several executive departments of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

# APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 20, 1932

AN ORDINANCE appropriating and transferring to Gasoline Tax—Maintenance of Unimproved Streets Fund, and to Gasoline Tax—Maintenance Improved Streets Fund, the total sum of Nine Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-eight Dollars and Seventy-five Cents as specified herein, now unappropriated, for the repair and maintenance of streets, thoroughfares and bridges and for labor, materials, supplies and equipment necessary thereto, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

#### RESOLUTION NO. 3, 1932

WHEREAS, there is now available in the City General Sinking Fund, a sufficient fund of money to pay certain obligations of the City of Indianapolis and interest thereon, due to delinquencies and

delays in the payment of taxes, the exact amount of which has not yet been determined at the office of the County Auditor, the Common Council hereby approves and authorizes the expenditure, during the current fiscal year ending December 31, 1932, the aggregate amount of Thirteen Thousand One Hundred Eighty Nine Dollars and Thirty-eight Cents (\$13,189.38) or any part thereof out of the Mayor's Contingency Fund for the purposes specified in the preamble hereof.

Respectfully.

R. H. SULLIVAN, Mayor.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICIALS

January 2, 1933.

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. 1, 1933, authorizing the City Controller of the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the sum of Six Hundred and Fifty Thousand (\$650,000.00) Dollars as said city will be without sufficient funds to meet current expenses for municipal purposes.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

January 2, 1933.

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. 2, 195,

authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the aggregate sum of One Hundred Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$175,000.00) for the use of the Board of Public Health and Charities of the City of Indianapolis.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

December 31, 1932.

Mr. William L. Elder, City Controller, City Hall, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

Acting under instructions of the Board of Health, I am transmitting to you herewith Fifteen copies of a General Ordinance authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the aggregate sum of One Hundred Seventy-five Thousand Dollars for the use of the Board of Health of said city, in anticipation of and payable out of the current revenues of said Board of Health collectible in the year 1933 for general Board of Health purposes, authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor, providing for legal notice, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

The Board of Health respectfully requests that you present this ordinance to the Common Council at its next meeting, with your recommendation that it be passed.

Very truly yours,

H. G. MORGAN, M. D., Secretary.

January 2, 1933.

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. 3, 1933,

authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$12,500.00) for the use of the Board of Health of said city, in anticipation of the current revenues and payable from the Tuberculosis Fund of said Board of Health for the year 1933.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

December 31, 1932.

Mr. William L. Elder, City Controller, City Hall, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

Acting under instructions of the Board of Health, I am transmitting to you herewith Fifteen copies of a General Ordinance authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the total principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars for the use of the Board of Health of said city, in anticipation of the current revenues of and payable from the Tuberculosis Fund of said Board of Health for the year 1933, authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor; providing for legal notice; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

The Board of Health respectfully requests that you present this ordinance to the Common Council at its next meeting with recommendation that the same be passed.

Very truly yours,

H. G. MORGAN, M. D., Secretary.

January 2, 1933.

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. 4, 1933,

authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$12,500.00) 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 1933.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

December 31, 1932.

Mr. William L. Elder, City Controller, City Hall, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

Acting under instructions of the Board of Health, I am transmitting to you herewith Fifteen copies of a General Ordinance authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred 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 1933; authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor; providing for legal notice; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

The Board of Health respectfully requests that you present this ordinance to the Common Council at its next meeting with recommendation that the same be passed.

Very truly yours,

H. G. MORGAN, M. D., Secretary.

January 2, 1933.

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. 1,

1933, appropriating the sum of Four Hundred Sixty-nine Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$469.90) from the estimated unappropriated and unexpended balance of the general fund for the year 1932 to the Board of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 26-Other Contractual.

I respectfully recommend the passage of this ordinance.

Yours very truly,

WM. L. ELDER, City Controller.

December 14, 1932.

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

Dear Sir:

The total contract for the construction of the fire escape bridge at police headquarters completed in December, 1932, amounted to \$1569.90. On account of the December condition of Police Fund No. 26—we were able to pay but \$1100.00 of this account leaving an unpaid balance of \$469.90.

Therefore, will you please have an ordinance prepared and presented to the council at its first meeting in January, 1933, if possible, appropriating the amount of this unpaid balance to Police Department Fund No. 26-1933.

Very truly yours,

BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY, /s/ Walter O. Lewis, Executive Secretary.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., January 2, 1933.

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. 101, 1932, entitled Repealing Sections 663-664-Code 1925, Flasher Light Signal—Tibbs and West 10th Streets, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed.

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

# INTRODUCTION OF APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES

By City Controller:

## APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 1, 1933

AN ORDINANCE appropriating the sum of Four Hundred Sixtynine Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$469.90) from the estimated unappropriated and unexpended balance of the general fund for the year 1932, to the Board of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 26, Other Contractual, 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 there be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the estimated unappropriated and unexpended balance of the general fund for the year 1932, the sum of Four Hundred Sixty-nine Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$469.90) and said sum appropriated and transferred to the Board of Public Safety, Police Department Fund No. 26, Other Contractual.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor and publication as by law required.

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

#### INTRODUCTION OF GENERAL ORDINANCES

By City Controller:

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 1, 1933

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City Controller of the City of

Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the sum of Six Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$650,000.00) in the anticipation of current revenues of such city actually levied and in the course of collection for the fiscal year in which such loan or loans are made payable out of the current revenues of said city for such year, authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor, providing for legal notice, appropriating the sum of Six Hundred Fifty-nine Thousand Two Hundred Five Dollars and Forty-eight Cents (\$659,205.48) for the payment of the bonds and interest thereon and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, the said city will be and continue to be until the 15th day of May, 1933, without sufficient funds to meet current expenses for municipal purposes, and

WHEREAS, the first semi-annual installment of taxes for the year 1933, and collectible on or before the 15th day of May, 1933, will amount to more than Six Hundred Fifty-nine Thousand Two Hundred Five Dollars and Forty-eight Cents (\$659,205.48)

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. The City Controller is hereby authorized and empowered to negotiate a temporary loan or loans in anticipation of the current revenues of said city actually levied and in the course of collection for the fiscal year of 1933 not to exceed the total sum of Six Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$650,000.00) for a period not to exceed the time fixed in this ordinance at a rate of interest not to exceed six percent (6%). The City Controller is further authorized to negotiate such loan or loans in the following amounts:

Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) on January 14, 1933, to run for a period not to exceed one hundred twenty-one (121) days thereafter, at a rate of interest not to exceed six percent (6%); Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) on February 28, 1933, to run for a period not to exceed seventy-six (76) days thereafter, at a rate of interest not to exceed six percent (6%); One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) on March 31, 1933, to run for a period not to exceed forty-five (45) days thereafter, at a rate of interest not to exceed six percent (6%). The sale date of said bonds or other evidence of indebtedness shall be not

later than January 14, 1933, and after the publication of notice of determination thereof to issue bonds, warrants or other evidence of indebtedness for such temporary loan as provided for by law and this ordinance; said loan shall be let to the lowest and best bidder after the determination to issue the same has been published by at least one publication, one day, in one newspaper in the City of Indianapolis. The Mayor and City Controller are hereby authorized and directed to execute the proper obligations of the City of Indianapolis for the above mentioned amount; and to the payment of such obligation, the faith of the city is hereby irrevocably pledged.

Section 2. The sum of Six Hundred Fifty-nine Thousand Two Hundred Five Dollars and Forty-eight Cents (\$659,205.48) is hereby appropriated to Fund No. 63, office of the City Controller.

Section 3. 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. 2, 1933

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, to make a temporary loan or loans in the aggregate sum of One Hundred Seventy-five Thousand (\$175,000.00) Dollars for the use of the Board of Health of said city, in anticipation of and payable out of the current revenues of said Board of Health collectible in the year 1933 for general Board of Health purposes; authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor, providing for legal notice, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, on the 27th day of December, 1932, adopted the following Resolution spread of record and made a part of the proceedings of said Board:

# "BOARD OF HEALTH RESOLUTION NO. 13, 1932

WHEREAS, the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, from the 14th day of January to the 15th day of May, 1933, will be without sufficient funds with which to meet its payroll and current expenses necessary for the proper carrying on of the functions of said Board, and payable out of the general fund of said Board of Health; and

WHEREAS, the said payroll and other necessary current expenses for said period, payable as aforesaid, will amount to approximately One Hundred Seventy-five Thousand (\$175,000.00) Dollars; and

WHEREAS, the first semi-annual installment of taxes levied by the City of Indianapolis for general Board of Health purposes in the year 1933, collectible on or before May 1, 1933, will amount to more than One Hundred Seventyeight Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-one Dollars and Seventeen Cents (\$178,481.17);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF INDIAN-APOLIS, INDIANA, that an ordinance be prepared and presented to the City Controller and to the Common Council of said city for passage, providing for the making of a temporary loan or loans by said city for the total principal sum of \$175,000.00 for the use of the Board of Health for the aforesaid purposes, at a rate of interest not to exceed six (6%) percent per annum, and for a period not to exceed one hundred twenty-one (121) days; said temporary loan or loans to be made in anticipation of the current revenues of said Board of Health collectible in the year 1933 for general Board of Health purposes. Each part of said loan or loans shall bear interest only from the date the same is available for the use of the Board of Health; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by said Board of Health that there be and is hereby appropriated out of the current revenues of the said Board of Health for the year 1933 levied and collectible for general Board of Health purposes, for the purpose of repaying said temporary loan or loans, with interest thereon, as the same become due, the sum of \$178,481.17, or so much of said sum as may be necessary therefor."

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to negotiate a temporary loan or loans for the use of the Board of Health of said City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in anticipation of current revenues of said Board of Health for the year 1933 levied for general Board of Health purposes, actually levied and now in the course of collection. Said loan or loans shall not exceed the aggregate sum of \$175,000.00 payable out of the current revenues of said Board of Health, at a rate of interest not to exceed six (6%) percent per annum, for a period not to exceed the period Said loan or loans shall be let to the set out in this ordinance. lowest and best bidder or bidders at competitive bidding on the annual rate of interest under conditions prescribed in the notice of sale, which notice shall be published for at least one day in at least one daily newspaper of general circulation published in said City of Indianapolis. The Mayor and City Controller of said city are hereby authorized and directed to execute the proper obligations of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, for the amount or amounts of said loan or loans, which obligation or obligations shall also be countersigned by the President of the Board of Health of said city. To the payment of such obligations the faith of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, is hereby irrevocably pledged.

Section 2. Said temporary loan or loans shall be made in either of the following ways, in the discretion of the City Controller: the entire sum of \$175,000.00 may be borrowed for a period of 121 days beginning with January 14, 1933, and ending with May 15, 1933; or \$100,000.00 of said sum may be borrowed for said period of 121 days and the remaining \$75,000.00 for a period of 76 days beginning with February 28, 1933, and ending with May 15, 1933. In either event said loan or loans shall mature in full and be made payable on May 15, 1933, and each installment thereof shall bear interest only from the time the same is made available for the use of the Board of Health.

Section 3. The sum of \$175,000.00 of the general fund of the Board of Health is hereby set apart and appropriated to Board of Health Fund No. 63 for the repayment of the principal of said temporary loan or loans; and the sum of \$3,481.17 of said general fund of said Board of Health is hereby set apart and appropriated

to Board of Health Fund No. 61 for the payment of interest on said temporary loan or loans.

Section 4. 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. 3, 1933

- AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the total principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) Dollars for the use of the Board of Health of said city, in anticipation of the current revenues and payable from the Tuberculosis Fund of said Board of Health for the year 1933; authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor; providing for legal notice, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.
- WHEREAS, the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, on the 27th day of December, 1932, adopted the following Resolution, which was spread of record and made a part of the proceedings of said Board.

#### "BOARD OF HEALTH RESOLUTION NO. 15, 1932

- WHEREAS, the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, from the 14th day of January to the 15th day of May, 1933, will be without sufficient funds with which to meet the payroll and other current expenses chargeable to the Tuberculosis Fund for said period; and
- WHEREAS, said payroll and other necessary current expenses for said period payable out of said Tuberculosis Fund will amount to approximately Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) Dollars; and
- WHEREAS, the first semi-annual installment of taxes levied by the City of Indianapolis for said Tuberculosis Fund for the year 1933 and collectible on or before the 1st day of May, 1933, will amount to more than Twelve Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-nine Dollars and Twenty-six Cents (\$12,749.26);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA: That an ordinance be prepared and presented to the City Controller and the Common Council of said city for passage, providing for the making of a temporary loan or loans by said city for the total principal sum of \$12,500.00 for the use of the Board of Health for the aforesaid purpose at a rate of interest not to exceed six (6%) percent per annum, and for a period not to exceed one hundred twenty-one (121) days. Said loan or loans to be made in anticipation of the current revenues of said Board of Health levied for the Tuberculosis Fund and collectible in the year 1933; and to bear interest only from the date the same is available for the use of the Board of Health; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by said Board of Health that there shall be and hereby is appropriated out of the Tuberculosis Fund of the Board of Health for the year 1933, for the purpose of repaying said temporary loan, with interest thereon, as the same become due, the sum of Twelve Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-nine Dollars and Twenty-six Cents (\$12,749.26)"

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized Section 1. and empowered to negotiate a temporary loan or loans for the use of the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in anticipation of the current revenues of said Board of Health actually levied and to be collected in the year 1933 for the Tuberculosis Fund of said Board of Health, said loan or loans not to exceed the total sum of \$12,500.00 in principal, and to be payable from the current revenues of said Tuberculosis Fund, at a rate of interest not to exceed six (6%) percent per annum, and for a period not to exceed One Hundred Twenty-one (121) days. Said loan or loans shall be let to the lowest and best bidder or bidders at competitive bidding on the annual rate of interest, under conditions prescribed in the notice of the same, which notice shall be published for at least one day in at least one daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Indianapolis. The Mayor and City Controller of said city are hereby authorized and directed to execute the proper obliga-

tions of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, for the amount of said loan or loans, which obligations shall also be countersigned by the President of the Board of Health of said city. The faith of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, is hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment of said loan or loans.

Section 2. Said loan shall be made for the principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, for a period of not to exceed 121 days, beginning with January 14, 1933, and ending with May 15, 1933.

Section 3. The sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars of the Tuberculosis Fund of the Board of Health for the year 1933 is hereby set apart and appropriated to Tuberculosis Fund No. 63 for the repayment of the principal of said temporary loan or loans; and the sum of Two Hundred Forty-nine Dollars and Twenty-six Cents (\$249.26) of said Tuberculosis Fund is hereby set apart and appropriated to Tuberculosis Fund No. 61 for the payment of interest on said temporary loan.

Section 4. 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. 4, 1933

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the City of Indianapolis to make a temporary loan or loans in the principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) 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 1933; authorizing the rate of interest to be charged therefor; providing for legal notice; and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

WHEREAS, the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, on the 27th day of December, 1932, adopted the following Resolution, which was spread of record and made a part of the proceedings of said Board:

"BOARD OF HEALTH RESOLUTION NO. 14, 1932

WHEREAS, the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis,

Indiana, from the 14th day of January to the 15th day of May, 1933, will be without sufficient funds with which to meet the payroll and other current expenses chargeable to the School Health Fund for said period; and

WHEREAS, said payroll and other necessary current expenses for said period payable out of said School Health Fund will amount to approximately Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) Dollars; and

WHEREAS, the first semi-annual installment of taxes levied by the City of Indianapolis for said School Health Fund for the year 1933 and collectible on or before the 1st day of May, 1933, will amount to more than \$12,749.26; NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF INDIAN-APOLIS, INDIANA: That an ordinance be prepared and presented to the City Controller and the Common Council of said city for passage, providing for the making of a temporary loan or loans by said city for the total principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) Dollars for the use of the Board of Health for the aforesaid purposes, at a rate of interest not to exceed six (6%) percent per annum, and for a period not to exceed one hundred twenty-one (121) days, in anticipation of the current revenues of said Board of Health levied for the School Health Fund and collectible in the year 1933. Said loan or loans shall bear interest only from the date the proceeds thereof are available for the use of the Board of Health; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by said Board of Health that there shall be and is hereby appropriated out of the School Health Fund of the Board of Health for the year 1933, for the purpose of repaying said temporary loan or loans, with interest thereon, as the same become due, the sum of Twelve Thousand Seven Hundred Fortynine Dollars and Twenty-six Cents (\$12,749.26)"

NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to negotiate a temporary loan or loans for the use

of the Board of Health of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, in anticipation of the current revenues of said Board of Health, actually levied and to be collected in the year 1933 for the School Health Fund of said Board of Health, said loan not to exceed the total sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) Dollars in principal, payable from the current revenues of said School Health Fund, at a rate of interest not to exceed six (6%) percent per annum, and for a period not to exceed one hundred twenty-one (121) days. Said loan shall be let to the lowest and best bidder or bidders at competitive bidding on the annual rate of interest, under conditions prescribed in the notice of the sale, which notice shall be published for at least one day in at least one daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Indianapolis. The Mayor and City Controller of said city are hereby authorized and directed to execute the proper obligations of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, for the amount of said loan or loans, which obligations shall also be countersigned by the President of the Board of Health of said city. The faith of the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, is hereby irrevocably pledged to the payment of said loan or loans.

Section 2. Said loan or loans shall be made for the principal sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) Dollars for a period not to exceed 121 days, beginning with January 14, 1933, and ending with May 15, 1933.

Section 3. The sum of Twelve Thousand Five Hundred (\$12,500.00) Dollars of the School Health Fund of the Board of Health is hereby set apart and appropriated to School Health Fund No. 63 for the repayment of the principal of said temporary loan or loans; and the sum of Two Hundred Forty-nine Dollars and Twenty-six Cents (\$249.26) of said School Health Fund No. 61 for the payment of interest on said temporary loan or loans.

Section 4. 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.

#### ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Tennant called for General Ordinance No. 101, 1932, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Tennant, seconded by Mr. Morgan, General

Ordinance No. 101, 1932, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 101, 1932, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley, Vice President Welch.

Mr. Houck asked for suspension of rules for further consideration and passage of General Ordinances Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, 1933. The motion was seconded by Mr. Wheatley and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley, Vice President Welch.

The rules were suspended.

The Council reverted to a previous order of business.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Indianapolis, Ind., January 2, 1933.

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. 1, 1933, entitled Temporary Loan—\$650,000—General, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed under suspension of the rules.

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

Indianapolis, Ind., January 2, 1933.

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. 2, 1933, entitled Temporary Loan \$175,000—Board of Health, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed under suspension of the rules.

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

Indianapolis, Ind., January 2, 1933.

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. 3, 1933, entitled Temporary Loan—\$12,500—Board of Health, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed under suspension of the rules.

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

Indianapolis, Ind., January 2, 1933.

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. 4, 1933, entitled Temporary Loan—\$12,500—Board of Health—School Health, beg leave to report that we have had said ordinance under consideration, and recommend that the same be passed under suspension of the rules.

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

#### ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 1, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 1, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 1, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley, Vice President Welch.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 2, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 2, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 2, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley, Vice President Welch.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 3, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 3, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 3, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley, Vice President Welch.

Mr. Houck called for General Ordinance No. 4, 1933, for second reading. It was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Houck, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, General Ordinance No. 4, 1933, was ordered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

General Ordinance No. 4, 1933, was read a third time by the Clerk and passed by the following roll call vote:

Ayes, 7, viz: Mr. Henry, Mr. Hildebrand, Mr. Houck, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Tennant, Mr. Wheatley, Vice President Welch.

#### MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Vice President Leo F. Welch announced that President Ernest C. Ropkey had reappointed all Standing Committees for the year 1933 which are as follows, to-wit:

# COMMON COUNCIL STANDING COMMITTEES FOR 1933

- 1. Finance Committee-James A. Houck, Chairman; Leo F. Welch, Fred C. Gardner, C. A. Hildebrand, Maurice E. Tennant.
- 2. Public Works Committee—C. A. Hildebrand, Chairman; Maurice E. Tennant, Charles C. Morgan, Fred C. Gardner, Leo F'. Welch.
- 3. Public Safety Committee—Maurice E. Tennant, Chairman; Clarence I. Wheatley, Leo F. Welch, Charles C. Morgan, Fred C. Gardner.
- 4. Public Health and Charities Committee—Leo F. Welch, Chairman; James A. Houck, George A. Henry, Charles C. Morgan, Maurice E. Tennant.
- 5. Parks Committee-Fred C. Gardner, Chairman; James A. Houck, Clarence I. Wheatley, C. A. Hildebrand, George A. Henry.
- 6. Law and Judiciary Committee-George A. Henry, Chairman; Maurice E. Tennant, Clarence I. Wheatley, C. A. Hildebrand, Charles C. Morgan.
- 7. City Welfare Committee—Clarence I. Wheatley, Chairman; James A. Houck, George A. Henry, C. A. Hildebrand, Fred C. Gardner.
- 8. Election Committee—Charles C. Morgan, Chairman; Leo F. Welch, George A. Henry, James A. Houck, Clarence I. Wheatley.

On motion of Mr. Henry, seconded by Mr. Wheatley, the Common Council adjourned at 8:02 p. m.

1933, 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.

the City of Indianapolis, Indiana, held on the 2nd day of January,

Vice-President.

ATTEST:

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City Clerk.

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