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AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE THE SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA.

WHEREAS, The City of Bloomington, Indiana was established in the year 1818, and

WHEREAS, Since the year 1818 the original settlers, their descendants, and other people who have come to this community to create the City, and

WHEREAS, It is fitting that the citizens of the City should commemorate the one hundred fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the City of Bloomington, now therefore

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby created a Commission to be known as the "Bloomington Sesquicentennial Commission", hereinafter designated as Commission.

SECTION 2. The Commission shall be composed of thirty-seven members as follows:

- A. The Mayor of the City of Bloomington.
- B. Two members of the Common Council selected by the Common Council.
- C. The City Attorney of the City of Bloomington.
- D. One County Commissioner of Monroe County selected by such Board of County Commissioners.
- E. Two County Councilmen selected by the Monroe County Council.
- F. A member of the Bloomington Metropolitan School Board to be designated by such Board.
- G. A member of the Monroe County School Board designated by such School Board.
- H. Eight members of service clubs active in the City of Bloomington to be selected by the Mayor.
- I. Five members of Philanthropic Sororities active in the City selected by the Mayor.
- J. One member of the Chamber of Commerce of the City to be selected by the Board of Directors of such Chamber.
- K. Two members of the faculty of Indiana University to be selected by the Mayor.
- L. State Senator representing Monroe County.
- M. State Representative representing Monroe County.
- N. Ten citizens of the City of Bloomington to be appointed by the Mayor.

All members shall serve from the day of their appointment until December 31, 1968. The members shall serve without compensation.

SECTION 3. From the members of the Commission the Mayor shall appoint a seven member executive committee which committee shall be authorized to perform the functions of the Commission as required.

SECTION 4. The Executive Committee so appointed shall meet prior to the first day of June, 1967, and shall organize by the election of a director and a secretary from the membership of such Committee. The director and such secretary shall serve until December 31, 1968. Thereafter the Executive Committee shall meet on call of the Chairman or of the Mayor.

SECTION 5. On or before the 31st day of March, 1967, the Commission shall meet upon the call of the Mayor and shall organize by the election of a Chairman, a Vice Chairman, and a Secretary from the membership of the Commission who serve in such capacity through the 31st day of December, 1968. Thereafter, the Commission shall meet upon the call of the Mayor or of the Chairman.

SECTION 6. The Commission shall prepare and execute plans for an historical and educational celebration of the changes of the City. The Commission may arrange such exhibits, pageants, and celebrations as it may determine proper to commemorate the growth and development of the City of Bloomington.

SECTION 7. The Commission shall be provided by the City of Bloomington with necessary secretarical help, supplies, and other materials for the fulfillment of its duties.

SECTION 8. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage and promulgation in accordance with the law.

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Indiana upon the fifth day of January, 1967.

Presiding Officer Daris,

Attest:

Marian Tardy, City

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington upon the sixth day of January, 1967 at the hour of ten o'clock A.M.

Marian Tardy, City

This ordinance approved and signed by me upon the seventh day of January, 1967, at the hour of 1:30/2 clock P.M.

Jøhn H. Hooker

Introduced by Councilman Ralph Johnson.