

AGENDA
COMMON COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION
7:30 P.M., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1989
COUNCIL CHAMBERS

I. ROLL CALL

II. AGENDA SUMMATION

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR OCTOBER 4, 1989

IV. REPORTS FROM:

1. Councilmembers
2. The Mayor and City Offices
3. Council Committees

V. APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

VI. LEGISLATION FOR SECOND READING AND RESOLUTIONS

1. Ordinance 89-46 To Amend Title 15 of the Bloomington Municipal Code Entitled "Vehicles and Traffic."

Committee Recommendation:

SECTION VIII: Do Pass 5 - 3

Remainder of Ordinance: Do Pass 8 - 0

2. Resolution 89-33 To Strongly Encourage the Indiana Department of Commerce to Award a Grant to the City of Bloomington for Improvements to West Allen Street.

3. Resolution 89-30 To Adopt a Written Fiscal Plan and To Establish a Policy for the Provision of City Services to an Annexed Area.

Committee Recommendation: Do Pass 8 - 0

4. Ordinance 89-47 An Ordinance Concerning the Annexation of Adjacent and Contiguous Territory.

Committee Recommendation: Do Pass 8 - 0

5. Resolution 89-32 To Authorize Bloomington's Continued Participation in the Main Street Program.

VII. LEGISLATION FOR FIRST READING

1. Ordinance 89-44 To Amend Title 16 of the Bloomington Municipal Code Entitled "Housing Inspection."

2. Appropriation Ordinance 89-6 To Specially Appropriate from the General Fund and the P.L.A.Y. Fund (New) Expenditures Not Otherwise Appropriated.

3. Ordinance 89-48 An Ordinance of the City of Bloomington, Indiana, Authorizing the Issuance and Sale of Bonds of Said City for the Purpose of Providing Funds to be Used for the Construction of Certain Street Improvements with the Incidental Expenses in Connection Therewith and on Account of the Issuance of the Bonds Therefore.

4. Appropriation Ordinance 89-7 To Specially Appropriate from the 1990 Street Bond Proceeds Expenditures Not Otherwise Appropriated.

VIII. PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR (This section of the Agenda will be limited to 45 minutes maximum, with each speaker limited to five (5) minutes.)

IX. ADJOURNMENT

In the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building held on Wednesday, October 18, 1989 at 7:30 P.M. with President Regester presiding over a Regular Session of the Common Council.

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Regester gave the agenda summation.

AGENDA SUMMATION

Roll Call: Kiesling, Hogan, Olcott, Regester, Young, White, Fernandez. Absent: Service (out of town) and Gardner (resigned effective October 15, 1989).

ROLL CALL

The minutes of October 4, 1989 were approved by a voice vote.

APPROVAL OF
MINUTES

Kiesling said that this is Peace and Justice Week with numerous activities around the community, especially at College Mall this Saturday. Human Services will have a display and CROP walk will take place on Sunday. She thanked the I.U. Auditorium, for printing their program on 100% recyclable paper.

MESSAGES FROM
COUNCILMEMBERS

Olcott said that E911 is progressing and various alternatives to the Indiana Bell costs are being examined. It will be a real community asset when it is established.

White read a proclamation supporting Red Ribbon Campaign supporting drug free lifestyles. This is a national week of visible activities, October 22-29 with all factions of the community participating. He said that on Sunday evening at Assembly Hall there will be a salute to youth, with track coach Sam Bell commending those young people in our community who chose a drug free lifestyle. He thanked Parents in Action for their support of this program.

Regester wished Mr. Hogan a Happy Birthday on Sunday.

Kiesling asked about the Fell Metal and Iron report. She said it is now time for the public to make comments and ask questions on October 26 and 27 afternoon and evening. The report is available at the public library.

Mayor Allison said the Tree of Life opened today with a ribbon cutting ceremony. They employ over 100 people. Columbia Records is offering free computer data entry classes in conjunction with Ivy Tech starting October 30. Information is available at the State Employment Office and child care is provided at Ivy Tech from 8 A.M. to 10 P.M.

MESSAGES FROM
MAYOR

It was moved, seconded and approved that Iris Kiesling be appointed to the Solid Waste District Committee.

SOLID WASTE
DISTRICT APPT.

It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 89-46 be introduced and read by the Clerk by title only. Clerk Williams read the ordinance.

ORD. 89-46

It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 89-46 be adopted. The committee report on Section 8 was do-pass 5-3 and the remainder of ordinance received a do-pass of 8-0.

Regester suggested that the Allen Street (Section 8) be discussed separately.

D.J. Walsh, Thomson Consumer Electronics, said that we need to look a little harder at the situation as it exists and the proposed truck route. Allen Street is the route of choice for trucks creating concern among our neighbors and ourselves for safety and other

issues. Our neighbors have raised considerable concerns and we owe it to them to take a little more time to consider all the alternatives. Thus far we have found none that make sense for all concerned. We would have hoped by now to have heard from our state department of commerce and if they are willing to provide funds to assist us.

Should there be a problem securing state aid the community faces some funding problems that need to be resolved. If a plan can be firmed up in November, the funds could be reserved as part of the 1989 budget, but would not take place until next year.

RCA requested a temporary postponement of their original request in hopes that the issues can be resolved in the next few weeks.

Olcott moved that Section 8 be deleted. Kiesling seconded the motion. Regester said that Allen Street Truck Route would come back as a separate ordinance.

Bill Milne, a resident of Allen Street, suggested Walker Street instead of Allen Street as a truck route. He thought the whole situation wasn't so bad at this time. It used to be 3 shifts and now it is only 2. Someone wants a faster turnaround time, three trips a day to Indianapolis instead of two. He said if this is approved he would ask for speed bumps and potholes to keep the traffic numbers down.

Tom Lucas, Pastor of McDoel Baptist Church, said he appreciated the amendment.

Fernandez said the two weeks is necessary to consider all the alternatives.

Alan Siefert asked about where the city limit is on Allen Street and if the jurisdiction only goes to the city limit, what was done about the county. Regester said there has been continuing discussion with the County and their engineer.

Jolon Dulury said that Allen Street is very narrow and cars speed. She pointed that this is one of a few areas left for low income people with easy access to downtown.

The amendment received a roll call vote of Ayes:7,
Nays:0.

Bill Riggert went through the rest of the ordinance. He, as requested last week, determined that Photo Solutions already has three 15 minute parking spaces. Olcott said that he has a problem with one business to request three spaces when busy banks gets one or two. One is adequate and the other two should be the regular 2 hour.

White moved that Section 9 and 10 be changed to reflect No Parking on the South side of 14th Street between Dunn and Indiana. This would allow No Parking on the entire southside from Walnut to Indiana. The Traffic Commission had recommended no parking on both sides and upon review White felt it would pose too great a hardship on an already overcrowded area.

The amendment received a roll call vote of Ayes:7,
Nays:0.

Olcott moved that Section 11 limit the 15 minute parking zones from 30-60 ft to 30-40 ft. on 7th Street at Morton (reducing the 15 minute parking spaces from 3 to 1).

The amendment received a roll call vote of Ayes:7,
Nays:0.

The ordinance, as amended, received a roll call vote of
Ayes:7, Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-33 be RES. 89-33
introduced and read by title only by the Clerk. Clerk
Williams read the resolution by title.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-33 be
adopted.

This resolution urges the Department of Commerce to
assist in the funding of truck route improvements for
Thomson RCA. Register read the resolution in its
entirety.

Thomson RCA has made application to the Department of
Commerce and this resolution establishes a public
record of encouraging the Department of Commerce to
assist in the funding so that if this designation is
made it would be made with all necessary funding in
place so that all safety improvements can be made to
Allen Street.

Fernandez asked if the grant is flexible; what if we
came up with better alternatives than this proposal.
Register said that application has been made and
representatives from the DOC will come to Bloomington,
review the site and plan.

The resolution received a roll call vote of Ayes:7,
Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-30 be RES. 89-30
introduced and read by title only. Clerk Williams read
the resolution by title.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-30 be
adopted.

Tim Mueller mentioned that the annexation involves the
Woodbridge III project, east of Fountain Square and
Union Station between Fountain Park and Woodbridge III.
This is a low service cost annexation since all of the
services are in place other than police and fire
protection.

The resolution received a roll call vote of Ayes:7,
Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 89-47 be ORD. 89-47
introduced and read by title only. Clerk Williams read
the ordinance by title.

It was moved and seconded that Ordinance 89-47 be
adopted.

An amendment adding the legal description and correctly
titling the complex as Union Square
was proposed as well as assigning the area to be
annexed to Bloomington Common Council District III.
The amendment received a roll call vote of Ayes:7,
Nays:0.

The ordinance, as amended, received a roll call vote of
Ayes:7, Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-32 be RES. 89-32
introduced and read by title only. Clerk Williams read
the resolution by title.

It was moved and seconded that Resolution 89-32 be
adopted.

Talisha Coppock, Downtown Director said that this resolution is necessary to continue our Main Street Program, assisting in the revitalization of the downtown. Areas addressed are promotion, special events, design and the encouragement of private development in our downtown. Last year 750 people were involved in volunteering in downtown projects and events. Coppock thanked the Mayor and Councilmembers for their support of the various programs that have been undertaken. 53 new businesses have opened in the last 5 years and 63 million dollars have been invested in building projects as well in our downtown.

The resolution received a roll call vote of Ayes:7,
Nays:0.

It was moved and seconded that the following ordinances FIRST READINGS
be introduced and read by title only for first reading
before the Bloomington Common Council by the Clerk.

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from the General Fund and the P.L.A.Y. Fund (new)
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of Bonds of Said City for the Purpose of Providing
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Therefore.

There were no petitions or communications.

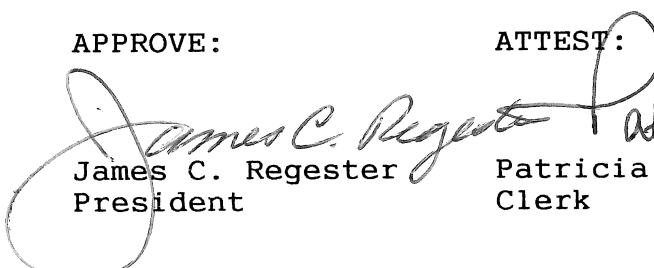
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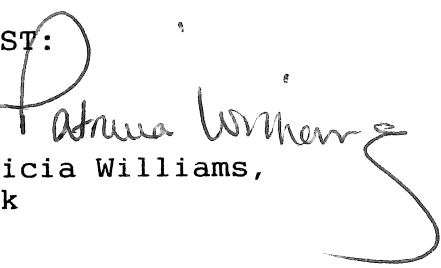
The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 P.M.

ADJOURNMENT

APPROVE:

ATTEST:


James C. Regester
President


Patricia Williams,
Clerk

* Corrections per Kiesling: Solid Waste District
Committee was actually the Monroe County Regional
Solid Waste District Board

page two: paragraph 1. clarifying that the 1989
budget referred to is the Thomson RCA budget.