

In the Council Chamber, Municipal Building, on May 2, 1968, at 7:30 p.m., E.S.T., Council President Charles J. Faris presiding.

REGULAR MEETING  
COMMON COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA

Council President Faris.

CALL TO ORDER

Deputy City Clerk:

ROLL CALL

Members present: Councilmen Robert L. Clegg, Jr., James C. Clendening, Harry G. Day, Charles J. Faris, Richard W. Fee, Robert E. Gray, Ralph L. Johnson, William A. Madden and Jack Morrison.

Members absent: None.

Council President asked Councilman Day to give the invocation.

INVOCATION

Mayor John H. Hooker, Jr.; Raymond E. Long, City Engineer; James R. Cotner, City Attorney; Howard A. Young, City Controller; Marian H. Tardy, City Clerk; James R. East, Police Chief; Jerome T. Femal, Director, Department of Parks and Recreation and Marvard Clark, Assistant City Engineer.

OFFICIALS IN ATTENDANCE

Fifteen including James Root, reporter for the Daily Herald Telephone; John Mahan, reporter for the Bloomington Tribune and Weldon Baird, reporter for the Indiana Daily Student.

NUMBER OF CITIZENS  
IN ATTENDANCE

On motion of Councilman Johnson, seconded by Councilman Morrison, the minutes of the meeting of May 2, 1968 were approved as distributed.

MINUTES OF FORMER MEETING

None.

REMONSTRANCES AND OBJECTIONS

Councilman Clegg moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-19 be advanced to second reading and read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Morrison seconded the motion and it carried.

ORDINANCES - SECOND READING

The Deputy City Clerk read proposed Ordinance No. 68-19 by title only.

Ordinance No. 68-19 - Zoning Ordinance - South Side of Cascade Avenue, beginning at the intersection of Cascade Avenue and the Gourley Pike

Marvard Clark gave a brief description of the property.

Councilman Clegg moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-19 be adopted. Councilman Johnson seconded the motion. Roll call vote: ayes, 8; nays, 1 Councilman Madden.

Councilman Clegg moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-20 be advanced to second reading and read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Gray seconded the motion and it carried.

Ordinance No. 68-20 - Zoning Ordinance - Lots numbered 10 through 14, on the East side of Walnut Street extending North from Wilson Drive in Driscoll Addition.

The Deputy City Clerk read proposed Ordinance No. 68-20 by title only.

Marvard Clark gave a brief description of the property.

Councilman Clegg moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-20 be adopted. Councilman Fee seconded the motion. Roll call vote: ayes, 8; nays, 1 Councilman Madden.

Councilman Clegg moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-21 be advanced to second reading and read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Morrison seconded the motion and it carried.

Ordinance No. 68-21 - Zoning Ordinance - South of what is known as the East By-pass of Bloomington and lies approximately 800 feet West of the intersection of said By-pass and Dunn Street

The Deputy City Clerk read proposed Ordinance No. 68-20 by title only.

Marvard Clark gave a brief description of the property.

Councilman Madden restated his position of wanting all rezoning stopped until such time as a City Planner is hired.

Councilman Day remarked that action such as Councilman Madden advocates would constitute a form of striking; too much like some other protest actions Dr. Day has seen.

Councilman Clegg said this Administration, being the first one to attempt to hire a planner, could get one of a dozen planners right now. However, the important thing is not just to hire a planner but to get a very very good one.

Councilman Clegg moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-21 be adopted. Councilman Gray seconded the motion. Roll call vote: ayes, 8; nays, 1 Councilman Madden.

Councilman Clendening moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-22 be advanced to second reading and read by the Clerk by title only. Councilman Johnson seconded the motion and it carried.

The Deputy City Clerk read proposed Ordinance No. 68-22 by title only.

Councilman Clegg moved that proposed Ordinance No. 68-22 be adopted. Councilman Clendening seconded the motion. Roll call vote: ayes, 9, nays, 0.

None.

Councilman Fee read proposed Resolution No. 68-16 and moved its adoption. Councilman seconded the motion and it carried.

City Attorney presented proposed Resolution No. 68-17 to the Council for its consideration. Council President Faris asked the Clerk to read the proposed resolution, in its entirety, and it was so read.

Councilman Fee moved that proposed Resolution No. 68-17 be adopted. Councilman Johnson seconded the motion and it carried.

None.

None.

None.

Councilman Morrison, Chairman of the Utilities and Properties Committee, reported that his committee has investigated and recommends the following:

1. Install one 175 watt mercury vapor overhead street light at the southwest corner of the intersection of Winslow Road and Allendale Drive (Sherwood Oaks).
2. Install one 175 watt mercury vapor overhead street light at the southeast corner of the intersection of Winslow Road and Allendale Drive (Sherwood Oaks).

ORDINANCES - SECOND READING

Ordinance No. 68-21 (continued)

Ordinance No. 68-22 -  
Traffic Ordinance Amendment

GENERAL AND SPECIAL  
ORDINANCES

RESOLUTIONS

Resolution No. 68-16 - Transfer of funds, Engineering Department

Resolution No. 68-17 - Request for Right-of-Way Easement by Indiana Statewide Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

REPORTS FROM OFFICIAL BOARDS  
AND COMMISSIONS

REPORTS FROM SPECIAL  
COMMITTEES

REPORTS FROM STANDING  
COMMITTEES

3. Install one 175 watt mercury vapor overhead street light at the southwest corner of the intersection of Fifteenth Street and Adams Street.

REPORTS FROM STANDING  
COMMITTEES

(Continued)

Councilman Johnson moved that the report of the Utilities and Properties Committee be approved and the Clerk be instructed to so notify Public Service Indiana. Councilman Clendening seconded the motion and it carried.

Councilman Day inquired about the sale of dog licenses. City Controller Young replied that sales had nearly doubled.

REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICIALS  
AND DEPARTMENT HEADS

Councilman Day suggested that City Attorney Cotner prepare a revision of the present dog ordinance including a provision for the sale of dog tags at the Humane Shelter, and the possibility of a penalty for purchase made after the deadline.

Councilman Fee presented a more detailed account of his plan for revising and expanding the parking meter system.

MESSAGES FROM COUNCILMEN

Council President Faris said the Plan would be presented to the Police Department, the Traffic Committee of the Council, the City Attorney and the Traffic Commission for study. Reports from these groups would be asked for at a later date.

None

MESSAGES FROM MAYOR

None

OTHER NEW BUSINESS

Councilman Clendening moved that claims presented for payment on May 3, 1968, be allowed. Councilman Johnson seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

EXAMINATION OF CLAIMS

Council President Faris moved for adjournment at the hour of 8:30 p.m., E.S.T.

ADJOURNMENT

  
Charles J. Faris, Council President

ATTEST:

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Marian H. Tardy, City Clerk