

## REGULAR MEETING

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA, met in the Council Chambers in the Municipal Building on Thursday, October 15, 1964, at the hour of seven thirty o'clock (7:30 P.M.) E.S.T. in regular session with Mayor John H. Hooker, Jr. presiding.

Meeting called to order by Mayor John H. Hooker, Jr.

A roll call of the Councilmen was taken by the Clerk-Treasurer.

Members Present: Councilmen - C. Day, H. Day, Derge, Faris,  
Fee, Moulden

Also Present: Mayor - John H. Hooker, Jr.  
City Attorney - James Cotner  
City Engineer - Raymond Long

Members Absent: Councilman - Johnson

Councilman Faris moved, seconded by Councilman H. Day, that minutes of the previous Council Meeting, October 1, 1964, be approved as amended, published and distributed. Motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Faris moved, seconded by Councilman Derge, that proposed Ordinance 64-23 be presented for first reading and read by Clerk-Treasurer. Motion carried unanimously.

Clerk-Treasurer read proposed Ordinance 64-23.

Councilman Faris moved, seconded by Councilman H. Day, that proposed Ordinance 64-23 be presented for second reading on November 5, 1964. Motion carried unanimously.

Councilman Moulden moved, seconded by Councilman Fee, that proposed Ordinance 64-21 and proposed Ordinance 64-22 be presented for first reading and read by Clerk-Treasurer. Motion carried unanimously.

Clerk-Treasurer read proposed Ordinance 64-21 and proposed Ordinance 64-22.

Councilman Faris asked that Assistant Engineer, Marvard Clark, explain where these two rezonings were.

Assistant Engineer Clark explained that proposed Ordinance 64-21 called for the rezoning of four lots on College Avenue between Hillside and Southern Drive, and that proposed Ordinance 64-22 called for the rezoning of the George Carpenter Plumbing Shop and the Trucking Firm located on West Allen Street, at the corner of West Allen and Walker Streets.

Mayor Hooker stated that these two proposed ordinances would be presented for second reading at the next scheduled meeting of the Common Council on November 5, 1964.

Councilman C. Day moved, seconded by Councilman Faris, that the Clerk-Treasurer be instructed to inform the Public Service Company to install a street light at the corner of South Woodburn and Kenwood Drive and also at the corner of Indiana Avenue and 17th Street. Motion carried unanimously.

Councilman C. Day stated that he had attended a P.T.A. meeting at the Dyer Jr. High School and the P.T.A. would like to have something done about the weeded section just south of the school.

Councilman Derge asked Councilman C. Day if this land was owned by the Urban Renewal and if they were not in the same position as an individual citizen, in that they should keep the weeds cleared.

Mayor Hooker stated that the City Street Department would take this over, and at the present time Urban Renewal does not have the money appropriated for the cutting of weeds; therefore, Street Commissioner Sargent has been notified to clear the weeds.

Councilman Harry Day stated that at the last Council Meeting he had asked if it would be possible to have at least one Department scheduled to report in detail at each meeting and he asked when it would be instituted.

Mayor Hooker stated this would begin at the next meeting of the Council on November 5, 1964.

Mayor Hooker explained that Indiana Avenue between 15th Street and 17th Street had been resurfaced and signed under a 90 day emergency at 20 miles an hour and no parking on either side of the pavement, in order to help the employees of the University and also people living in this area to get out of heavy evening traffic without causing so much congestion on East Tenth Street and Walnut Street.

Mayor Hooker further explained that the Board of Works had received and opened bids for the Southwest Interceptor Sewer and Lift Stations and that the bids came in lower than the estimated cost, he explained that four bids were received from the following construction companies, Ralph Rogers & Company, Curry Construction Company, Mitchell & Stark Company and the Vogel Construction Company. Mayor Hooker explained that the bid had been tentatively awarded to the Ralph Rogers & Company with a low bid of \$597,730.00. The Mayor reported that the Construction Companies reported to him that the plans and specifications as submitted by the City were above average and that the credit goes to City Engineer Raymond Long and the Engineering Department.

Mayor Hooker explained that he was in the process of forming a committee to plan for the 150th Birthday Celebration of the City of Bloomington, which will occur in 1966.

Councilman Moulden moved, seconded by Councilman Fee, that claims presented for payment on October 16, 1964, be allowed.

Councilman Harry Day questioned the two items under the Water & Sanitation Departments to Nathan Silverstein. Councilman Day wanted to know what this was.

Mayor Hooker explained that this was a rebate to Mr. Silverstein for water and sewer mains installed and paid for by Mr. Silverstein, and that a percentage of the receipts of water and sewer charges are refunded to developer until the lines are paid for.

Motion carried unanimously.

No further business to come before the Common Council, Councilman Fee moved meeting be adjourned.

Meeting adjourned at eight o'clock (8:00 P.M.) E.S.T.

  
Presiding Officer

Attest:

  
Clerk-Treasurer