

REGULAR MEETING

August 1, 1961

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA, met in the Council Chambers in City Hall, on Tuesday, August 1, 1961, at the hour of seven-thirty o'clock (7:30 P.M. C.S.T.) in regular session, with Mayor Thomas L. Lemon presiding.

Members present: Faucett, Chitwood, Peace, Sikes and Graves.

Members absent: Hickman and Shertzer.

Peace moved seconded by Faucett that the minutes of the last regular meeting of July 28 and special meeting of July 27 be approved as submitted; motion unanimously carried.

Councilman Sikes moved, seconded by Councilman Chitwood, that ordinance #21, 1961, be advanced to second reading by title only. Roll call vote; motion unanimously carried.

Councilman Peace moved, seconded by Councilman Graves, that Ordinance #21, 1961, be duly adopted. Roll call vote; Ordinance #21, 1961 unanimously adopted.

Councilman Sikes presented Ordinance #22, 1961 for first reading by the Clerk-Treasurer.

Councilman Sikes moved, seconded by Councilman Chitwood, that Ordinance #22, 1961, be advanced to second reading by title only. Roll call vote; motion unanimously carried.

After second reading by title only, Councilman Graves moved, seconded by Councilman Peace that Ordinance #22, 1961, be duly adopted. Roll call vote; Ordinance #22, 1961, unanimously adopted.

Councilman Graves reported that a petition for a street light at University and Highland Streets had been investigated by the City Utilities Committee and moved, seconded by Councilman Faucett, that the petition be approved and a street light be installed at the corner of University and Highland; motion unanimously carried.

Councilman Graves reported that an oral petition for a street light on South Clark Street between Third and Fourth Streets had been investigated by the City Utilities Committee and moved, seconded by Councilman Faucett, that it be approved and a street light be installed at the first alley north of Third Street on the west side of Clark Street; motion unanimously carried.

Councilman Graves reported that a petition for street light had been investigated by the City Utilities Committee in the alley directly back of 808 West Sixth Street and moved, seconded by Councilman Faucett, that this street light be approved and installed on the existing utility pole; motion unanimously carried.

Dr. Hugh Ramsey and Mrs. Margaret Woolard reported to the council their impression of Mishawaka's urban renewal project on a visit recently made with Senator Rogers.

Mayor Lemon informed the Council that he had received correspondence from the Official Board of the Fairview Methodist Church protesting West Sixth Street being made one-way in front of the Fairview Methodist Church. Mayor Lemon requested that chairman of the Public Safety Committee arrange a meeting with the Official Board of the Fairview Methodist Church to discuss this matter.

The Public Health and Sanitation Committee reported that an investigation had been made concerning the petition of residents in the area of Townsend Lumber Company for the city to abate the smoke hazard in this area. It was of the opinion of the Committee and the City Attorney that the City could not take any action unless it was definitely proved to be a health menace to the people in this area, and suggested that aggrieved residents should take legal action against the Townsend Lumber Company.

Monthly reports from the plumbing inspector, sanitation department, milk inspector, humane officer, sanitarian, and park and recreation were received for the month of July and placed on file.

Councilman Chitwood moved, seconded by Councilman Faucett, that the claims presented for payment on August 2, be approved as submitted; motion unanimously carried.

Meeting adjourned.

Thos Lemon
Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

Margaret Dunlop
Clerk-Treasurer

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