

REGULAR MEETING

January 7, 1958

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA, met in the Council Chambers in City Hall, on Tuesday, January 7, 1958, at the hour of seven-thirty o'clock (7:30 P.M. C.S.T.) in regular session with Mayor Thos. L. Lemon presiding.

Members present: Graves, Griffith, Sikes, Miller, Simpson, and Van Meter.

Members absent: Chitwood.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Councilman Miller.

Councilman Griffith moved, seconded by Councilman Simpson that the minutes of the regular meeting of December 17th be approved as submitted; motion unanimously carried.

Councilman Sikes presented Ordinance No. 1, 1958 for second reading. After second reading by the Clerk-Treasurer, Councilman Sikes moved, seconded by Councilman Simpson that Ordinance No. 1, 1958 be duly adopted. Upon a roll call vote Ordinance No. 1, 1958 was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Sikes presented Ordinance No. 2, 1958 for second reading. After second reading by the Clerk-Treasurer, Councilman Sikes moved, seconded by Councilman Graves that Ordinance No. 2 be duly adopted. Upon a roll call vote Ordinance No. 2, 1958 was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Sikes moved, seconded by Councilman Simpson that Ordinance No. 2A, 1958 be advanced to second reading by title only. Upon a roll call vote the motion was unanimously carried. After second reading by title only, Councilman Griffith moved, seconded by Councilman Graves that Ordinance No. 2A, 1958 be amended on page 2 and page 4 by changing "Be It Further Resolved" to "Be It Further Ordained"; motion unanimously carried.

Councilman Sikes moved, seconded by Councilman Graves that Ordinance No. 2A, 1958 be duly adopted. Upon a roll call vote Ordinance No. 2A, 1958 was unanimously adopted.

Councilman Sikes presented an ordinance defining the entire corporate boundaries of the City of Bloomington for first reading. After it was read by the Clerk-Treasurer, Councilman Griffith moved, seconded by Councilman Simpson that the proposed ordinance on re-defining the corporate boundaries of the City be referred to a special committee consisting of Councilmen Sikes, Chairman, Graves, Chitwood, Griffith, Miller, Simpson, Van Meter; motion carried, Van Meter voting no.

Len Bunger petitioned for the Indiana Bell Telephone to vacate three feet of Washington Street between Seventh and Eighth, Lots Number 326, 327, and 328. After discussion, Councilman Simpson moved, seconded by Councilman Van Meter that the Council instruct the City Attorney not to oppose suit in Circuit Court to vacate three feet on Washington Street as petitioned by the Indiana Bell Telephone; motion unanimously carried.

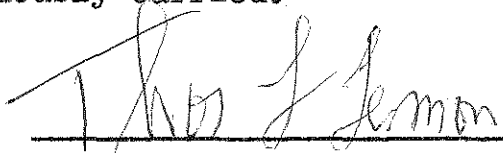
Councilman Graves moved, seconded by Councilman Van Meter to reject the recommendation of the Traffic Commission of December 11th to three-lane North Walnut Street from Seventh Street to Tenth Street; motion unanimously carried.

Reports for December, from the Street Department, Water Department, Fire Department, and Plumbing Inspector were received and placed on file.

Councilman Sikes moved, seconded by Councilman Simpson that the claims be approved as submitted; motion unanimously carried.

Meeting adjourned.

ATTEST:


Thos. L. Lemon


Mary A. Runklap
Clerk-Treasurer