

STATUTORY MEETING

Monday, January 2, 1956

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA, met in the Council Chamber in City Hall, on Monday, January 2, 1956, at the hour of seven-thirty o'clock (7:30 P.M.) in statutory session, with Mayor Lemon presiding.

Members present: Cook, Engleman, Miller, Sikes, Simpson, and Van Meter

Members absent: Chitwood

Mayor Lemon stated the purpose of this Statutory Meeting was for the organization of the Council. He appointed Councilman Sikes as chairman of the Committee of Rules, Ordinances and Printing and other members of the Committee, Councilmen Cook and Engleman. The Mayor declared a recess so the Committee might have a meeting and prepare their report.

Councilman Sikes reported for the Committee on Rules, Ordinances, and Printing and presented for consideration a slate of the official Council Committee members. Councilman Sikes moved that these Committees be elected as read; Councilman Engleman seconded motion and on vote, the motion carried unanimously, and the Committees were established as follows:

"RULES-ORDINANCES-PRINTING---Chairman Sikes
Cook
Engleman
FINANCE, CLAIMS, FRANCHISES---Chairman-Cook
Chitwood
Miller
CITY BUILDINGS & PROPERTY (Including Cemetery)
Chairman Chitwood
Simpson
Miller
CITY UTILITIES (Water, Sewage, Street Lighting)
Chairman Simpson
Cook
Engleman
PUBLIC WORKS (Streets, Alleys, Bridges, Sidewalks)
Chairman Simpson
Sikes
Van Meter
PUBLIC HEALTH & SANITATION Chairman Miller
Van Meter
Simpson
PUBLIC SAFETY (Fire Protection and Traffic)
Chairman Cook
Engleman
Chitwood
PARKS & RECREATION Chairman Engleman
Simpson
Sikes
Van Meter
AVIATION Chairman Van Meter
Chitwood
Miller
CITY-UNIVERSITY RELATIONS Chairman Engleman
Sikes
Cook"

Mayor Lemon called to the attention of the Council the rearrangement of the order of business of the Council meeting in the interest of better handling of Council business and a copy of the new order of business was given to each Councilman as follows:

"ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Roll Call
2. Reading and action on the minutes of former meetings.
3. Hearings of remonstrances and objections from those affected by proposed public improvements.
4. Ordinances on second readings.
5. Appropriation ordinances.

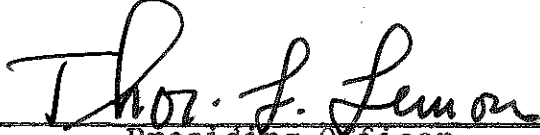
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6. Introduction of general and special ordinances.
7. Introduction of resolutions.
8. Petitions and communications from citizens.
9. Reports from official boards and commissions.
10. Reports from standing committees.
11. Reports from special committees.
12. Reports from city officers and departments heads.
13. Messages from Councilmen.
14. Messages from Mayor.
15. Other new business.
16. Unfinished and miscellaneous business.
17. Examination and approval of claims.
18. Adjournment."

Councilman Engleman moved that the new order of business be adopted as suggested; Councilman Van Meter seconded motion; motion carried.

Mayor Lemon called to the attention of the Council an Ordinance approving and confirming a Resolution of the Board of Public Works and Safety which will come before the Council for attention at their meeting Tuesday, January 3, 1956, concerning the sewer connection charges.

On motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned.



Presiding Officer

ATTEST:



Clerk-Treasurer