

REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, July 19, 1955

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA, met in the Council Chamber in City Hall, on Tuesday, July 19, 1955, at the hour of seven-thirty o'clock (7:30 P.M.) in regular session, with Mayor Kelly presiding.

Members present: Donham, Griffith, Miller, Porter, and Van Meter

Members absent: Carpenter and Ramsey

The minutes of the last meeting were approved on motion of Councilman Van Meter, seconded by Councilman Donham.

The Council accepted the report of Leonard Rogers, Superintendent of the Sanitation Department, for the month of June, 1955.

A petition was received from Weddle Brother's Construction Company for permission to cut curb and sidewalk at 314 West Fourth Street to provide a driveway into a parking area for a supermarket. On motion of Councilman Donham, seconded by Councilman Miller, the petition was referred to the Committee on Public Works to report at the next meeting.

A petition was received for street lights at the corner of Fifth and Ritter and the corner of Hope Well Street and referred to the Public Utility Committee, on motion of Councilman Porter, seconded by Councilman Miller.

A petition was received from Maxford Fox and Mildred Bush Fox for voluntary annexation of their property, about four acres, located adjacent to the southeast City Limits.

Sylvan Tackitt, as attorney for the property owners, presented a petition for vacation of an alley which runs in the north and south direction from Atwell Avenue to Hunter Avenue between Clifton Avenue and High Street. On motion of Councilman Porter, seconded by Councilman Donham, this request was referred to the Public Works Committee for investigation and report at the next meeting.

Appropriation Ordinance No. 4, 1955, was presented for consideration and advanced to second reading by a unanimous roll-call vote on motion of Councilman Miller, seconded by Councilman Porter. After second reading, by title only, Councilman Miller moved the adoption of the Ordinance, Councilman Porter seconded motion and on a roll-call vote, the Ordinance passed unanimously and was declared duly adopted.

An Ordinance annexing approximately four acres belonging to Maxford Fox and Mildred Bush Fox, husband and wife, was presented for consideration. On motion of Councilman Porter, seconded by Councilman Donham, the Ordinance was advanced to second reading by title only by the unanimous roll-call vote. After second reading, on motion of Councilman Porter, seconded by Councilman Griffith, passed unanimously on a roll-call vote, Ordinance No. 13, 1955, was declared duly adopted.

An Ordinance amending Ordinance No. 7, 1952, electing Social Security coverage for employees of the City of Bloomington was presented for consideration. This amendment extends the coverage to include previously excluded elected officials. On motion of Councilman Porter, seconded by Councilman Donham, passed unanimously on a roll-call vote, the Ordinance was advanced to second reading by title only. After second reading, Councilman Donham moved adoption of the Ordinance, Councilman Porter seconded motion and on a roll-call vote, Ordinance No. 14, 1955, passed unanimously and was declared duly adopted.

On motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned.

Emmett Kelly
Presiding Officer

ATTEST:
Arthur J. Lewis
Clerk-Treasurer

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