

REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, August 4, 1953

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA, met in the Council Chamber in the City Hall on Tuesday, August 4, 1953, at the hour of seven-thirty o'clock P.M., in regular session, with Mayor Kelly presiding.

Members Present: Carpenter, Fowler, Griffith, McDaniel, Miller, Porter, and Ramsey

Members Absent: None

The minutes of the last meeting were approved on motion of Councilman Miller, seconded by Councilman McDaniel.

The report of Horace Robertson, Chief of the Fire Department, was accepted by the Council on motion of Councilman Porter, seconded by Councilman McDaniel.

The report of L. M. Rogers, Superintendent of the Sanitation Department, for the month of July, 1953, was accepted on motion of Councilman McDaniel, seconded by Councilman Miller.

The report of J. N. Gilmore, Street Commissioner, for the month of July, 1953, was accepted on motion of Councilman Fowler, seconded by Councilman Porter.

A letter was received from the Plan Commission enclosing a Resolution of the Plan Commission recommending reclassification of In Lots Nos. 13 and 14 from residential use to business use. J. R. Register, attorney for Day Funeral Home, owners of the property, presented the case to the Council. An Ordinance was presented to amend the zoning map making this reclassification. Any rules which prevented the final consideration of the Ordinance at this meeting were suspended on motion of Councilman Miller, seconded by Councilman Carpenter, and passed unanimously on a roll call vote. On motion of Councilman Carpenter, seconded by Councilman McDaniel, Ordinance No. 17, 1953, reclassifying In Lots Nos. 13 and 14 from a R3 Multiple Dwelling Zone to a B2 Downtown Business Zone was unanimously passed and adopted on a roll call vote.

Councilman Fowler reported for the Committee on Streets, Alleys, and Bridges concerning the request to cut curb on East Wylie Street to provide entrance to a basement garage for James McVane, 623 South Washington Street. Mr. Fowler reported the Committee found the request in order and moved permission be granted providing the work is done under the supervision of the City Engineer. Councilman Porter seconded the motion; motion carried.

Councilman Griffith reported for the Special Committee in connection with the proposed Ordinance restricting trucks parking on the streets, as follows:

"Your committee to which was referred the proposed ordinance restricting the parking of trucks upon the streets of Bloomington has had the same under consideration and recommends that the proposed ordinance be referred to the Bloomington Traffic Commission for recommendations upon the following questions:

1. Should the regulations for parking of trucks upon the streets of Bloomington during the daytime be different from those for nighttime parking?
2. What should be the capacity limits of trucks permitted to park on the streets in the daytime? At night?
3. What should be the regulations with reference to service trucks?
4. Should length, width, and height be factors, as well as capacity, in any limitations to be imposed?"

On motion of Councilman Griffith, seconded by Councilman Miller the Ordinance was referred to the Traffic Commission with these questions, with the request that they report back to the Council.

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The meeting adjourned on motion of Councilman McDanial, seconded by Councilman Miller.

Ernest Kelly
Presiding Officer

Attest:

Ernest J. Leavitt
Clerk-Treasurer