

Regular meeting of the City Council : Austin, Texas, October 2nd 1913.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor; Roll called
Present Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent excused Councilman Powell 1

The minutes of the last regular and subsequent recessed meetings were read and adopted :

The Mayor laid before the Council the following reports of City Officers for the month of Sept 1913, which were read and ordered filed:

The City Marshal, the City Health Officer, City Health Inspector Krueger,

The Mayor presented a bill in favor of Messrs Hill & Long, for Commissions for collecting certain taxes, which was allowed and ordered paid by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

Mayor Wooldridge offered the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That permit be and is hereby granted to the Athletic Association of the University of Texas, to suspend two cloth signs, each 40 feet long and 30 inches wide, across part of Congress Avenue between 5th & 6th streets and 7th street in this City. The cloth signs here authorized to be suspended are from the center of the street to the old Scarbrough building and from the center of the street to Besserer & Marshal's moving picture theater. The signs here authorized to be suspended are authorized to be placed 4 days before the following dates and they are to be taken down on the evening of the days here mentioned: October 3rd, October 10th, October 16th, November 3rd, November 18th, and November 27th. The signs will read about as follows: "Foot Ball- University of Texas vs Polytechnic -Clark Field- Friday 3.30 P M", varying only in the name of the party with whom the University on these several days is an Athletic contestant.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That for the reasons set out in the attached letter of H B Barnhart, Acting Assistant City Attorney, \$ 4.00 of the fine assessed against Gussie Tips, in the Corporation Court of the City of Austin, on the 16th day of Sept 1913, be and is hereby remitted.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

Councilman Haynes offered the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of three (\$ 3.00) dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the Cemetery Purchase fund to reimburse the General fund for warrent No 5469 erroneously issued against the General fund.

*Athletic assn
University
Suspend Cloth
Signs Congress
Avenue*

*Fine
Gussie Tips
remitted*

Transfer fund

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor :

Councilman Anthony offered the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That forty five & 62/100 (\$ 45.62) dollars be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation for " Nurses and Attendants" at the City Hospital for the year 1913, to the Salay of " Head Nurse" at said Hospital.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

Councilman Anthony offered the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That fifteen (\$15.00) dollars be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation of " Resident Health Officer " at the Hospital for the year 1913, to the appropriation for "Cook" at said Hospital .

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

Mayor Wooldridge offered the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of \$ 52.70, be and is hereby appropriated out of the General contingent fund of the City of Austin, for the year 1913, in payment of Commissions ,per attached approved bill ,signed by Fred Sterzing, Assessor & Collector, ,in favor of Messrs Hill & Long, special attorneys of this City ,upon credits reported by them ,and covering the period from July 7th ,1913, to Sept 5th 1913.

The amount collected upon credits reported by Messrs Hill & Long, per attached statement, is \$ 421.73. Special commissions thereon at 12 1/2 % amount to \$ 52.70, for which this appropriation is made.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That A P Wooldridge, Mayor of the City of Austin ,be and he is hereby authorized to contract with the firm of J Gregg Hill ,W R Long and J W Maxwell to furnish to the Assessor and Collector unaudited credits discovered by this firm alone and assessable by the City of Austin for the year 1913, and upon which discovered credits so turned in to the Assessor and Collector the City of Austin contracts to pay said firm of J Gregg Hill, W R Long and J W Maxwell the fee of 15% on the amount of taxes actually collected on such credits brought by them to the knowledge of the City Assessor and Collector.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

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Appropriation Hill Long City Special Tax Collector

Contract with Maxwell, Hill Long to Collect Taxes

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

A resolution declaring and fixing the amount per front foot and total amount of the cost of improving Lavacca street from the north property line of 7th street to the south property line of 11th street to be paid by each owner of property abutting thereon who has agreed with the City Council concerning the same.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the hearing to property owners concerning an assessment to be made against them and their property for the improvement of Lavacca street from the north property line of 7th street to the south property line of 11th street having been closed and the said property owners having been fully heard as to the assessment, the benefits thereof and all matters connected with the proceedings with reference to said improvements, and the property owners whose names are given below having consented in writing with the City and agreed to the amount of the proportion of said cost to be assessed against them respectively and their property.

last. That the said Council does declare and fix the total amount of said improvements to be paid by each of the said owners who has agreed with the City Council concerning the same and the amount per front foot as hereinbelow set forth opposite the name of said property owners and the description of their property, the amounts to be assessed against each of them and the amounts per front foot to be assessed, being as follows, to-wit:

Name of Owner,	Lot,	Block,	No front ft,	amount per front foot,	Total at
First Presbyterian Church					
a Corporation,	.1,	.82,	.128,	.3.836,	491.00
R W Finley & Wife	12,	.82,	.128,	"	491.00
Mrs Mary H Mitchell	1,	99,	.128,	"	491.00
Chas Weigel & Wife,					
Nannie,					
87.5' of	.11,				
So 97.5' of	1,	.109,	.97.5,	"	374.01

2nd. That this resolution take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney;

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas Mayor Woldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

A resolution declaring and fixing the amount per front foot and total amount of the cost of improving Colorado street from the south property line of West 2nd street to the south property line of West 3rd street and from the north property line of West 3rd street to the south property line of West 4th street to be paid by each owner of property abutting thereon who has agreed with the City Council concerning the same.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the hearing to property owners concerning an assessment to be made against them and their property for the improvement of Colorado street from the south property line of West 2nd street to the south property line of West 3rd street and from the north property line of West 3rd street to the south property line of West 4th street.

Paving Lavacca
St.

Assessment made

Paving Colorado
St.

having been closed and said property owners having been fully heard as to the said assessment, the benefits thereof and all matters connected with the proceedings with reference to said improvements, and the property owners whose names are given below having in writing consented with the City and agreed to the amount of the proportion of said cost to be assessed against them respectively and their property.

1st. That the said Council does declare and fix the total amount of said improvements to be paid by each of the said owners who has agreed with the City Council concerning the same and the amount per front foot herein below set forth opposite the name of said property owners, the description of their property, the names of said owners, the description of their property, the amount to be assessed against each of them and the amounts per front foot to be assessed, being as follows, to-wit:

Name of Owner,	Lot No,	Block No,	No Front feet	amount per fr ft,	Total cost.
Mrs Harry Underwood alias					
Mrs ^{Annie} Harry Matthews,	.6,	.20,	.128,	\$. .6.617,	\$ 487.05

2nd, That this resolution take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes	4
Absent Councilman Powell	1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

A resolution designating owners and their property on 2nd street from the East property line of Colorado street to the West property line of Congress Avenue and from the East property line of Congress Avenue to the West property line of Brazos street, who have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of improvement on said street and the apportionment of the cost of such improvement to be assessed against them and directing the City Attorney to file with the County Judge of Travis County a statement hereof.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

Whereas, the City Council has heretofore ordered the improvement on 2nd street from the East property line of Colorado street to the West property line of Congress Avenue and from the East property line of Congress Avenue to the West property line of Brazos street, by grading and paving and guttering the same and has given a notice and hearing to the owners of property abutting thereon, concerning the benefits of the said improvement and the amount and proportion of the cost thereof to be assessed against them ; and,

Whereas, the said hearing has been held and all of said owners have been given an opportunity to be heard before the City Council concerning the said matters; and
Whereas, others have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of the said improvement and the amount and apportionment of the cost thereof to be assessed against them and their property;

1st. That said City Council does hereby designate the following property owners and their property who have failed and refused to agree with the Council concerning the said matters, the names of the said property owners, the description of their property by lot and block number and address, so far as known, and the amounts proposed to be assessed against them and their property, being as follows, to-wit:

Paving 2nd

Assessment made. ✓

Name of Owner,	Lot Number,	Block ,	Front feet,	Amr per front ft
P J Lawless, . Lot 6		5,	160 ft	\$ 7.5933 \$ 1214.93
Mrs Clara Green feme sole E 53'10', 6,		6,	53'10"	" 408.78
Mrs L A Walton, Wife of W M Walton Lot 7,		6,	160,	" 1214.93
Mrs Cornelia A Gabiness a feme sole West $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 12,		18,	80,	" " 607.47
Mrs Martha H Hill, a feme sole , East $\frac{1}{2}$ Lot 12,		18,	80,	" 607.47

2nd, That the City Attorney is hereby directed to file with the County Judge of Travis County, Texas, a statement hereof as provided by Section 4 of an ordinance in such case made and provided passed by the City Council of the City of Austin, February 23rd A D 1911, and further to take such steps for the appointment of Commissioners and for the determination of the amounts of said assessment as are provided by the said ordinances.

3rd. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes. 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved Oct 2nd 1913, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

A resolution designating owners and their property on Brazos street from the south property line of East 2nd street to the south property line of East 3rd street and from the north property line of East 3rd street to the south property line of East 4th street who have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of the improvement of said street and the apportionment of the cost of such improvement to be assessed against them and directing the City Attorney to file with the County Judge of Travis County a statement thereof.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

Whereas, the City Council has heretofore ordered the improvement on Brazos street from the south property line of East 2nd street to the south property line of East 3rd street and from the north property line of East 3rd street to the south property line of East 4th street by grading and paving and guttering the same , and has given a notice and hearing to owners of property abutting thereon concerning the benefits of the said improvement and the amount and proportion of the cost thereof to be assessed against them ; and

Whereas, the said hearing has been held and all of said owners have been given an opportunity to be heard before the City Council concerning the said matters, and

Whereas, others have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of said improvement and the amount and apportionment of the cost thereof to be assessed against them and their property.

1. That said City Council does hereby designate the following owners and their pp

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owners
Assessment made
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Property who have failed and refused to agree with the Council concerning the said matters, the name of said property owners, the description of their property, by lot and block number and address, so far as known, and the amounts proposed to be assessed against them and their property being as follows, to -Wit :

Name of Owner	Lot No,	Block No,	Number Front feet	Ant per ft	Total
Mrs Martha H Hill,					
a femme sole,	11,12	18,	92 ,	\$ 7.4641,	\$ 642.65
N B Metz	1,	17,	129,	"	894.12
Mrs Cornelia Gabiness,					
a femme sole,	10,	18,	118,	"	321.32
Mrs C L Ganns ,Wife					
of Albert Ganns	8,	18,	92,	"	659.58

2. That the City Attorney is hereby directed to file with the County Judge of Travis County ,Texas, a statement hereof as provided by section 4 of an ordinance in such case made and provided, passed by the City Council for the City of Austin , February 23rd A D 1911, and further to take such steps for the appointment of Commissioners for the determination of amounts of said assessment as are provided by said ordinances.

3. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney .

The resolution was passed by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

A resolution declaring and fixing the amount per front foot and the total amount of the cost of improving 7th street in Austin, Texas, from the West property line of Colorado street to the East property line of Guadalupe street to be paid by each owner of property abutting thereon who has agreed with the City Concerning the same.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the hearing to property owners concerning an assessment to be made against them and their property for the improvement of 7th street from the West property line of Colorado street to the East property line of Guadalupe street having been closed and the said property owners having been fully heard as to the assessment , the benefits thereof and all matters connected with the proceedings with reference to said improvements , and the property owners whose names are given below having in writing consented with the City and agreed to the amount of the proportion of said cost to be assessed against them respectively and their property ;

1st. That the City Council does declare and fix the total amount of said improvements to be paid by each of the said owners who has agreed with the City Council concerning the same and the amount per front foot as hereinbelow set forth opposite the name of said property owners and the description of their property; the names of said owners the description of their property ,the amount to be assessed against each of them and the amounts per front foot to be assessed, being as follows , to-wit:

Paving 7th
Colorado to
Guadalupe St
Hearing etc

Name of Owner, Lot	Block,	No Front feet	Amt per front foot	Total
First Presbyterian Church , a Corporation, 1 & 2 82,		92,	\$.50617,	\$ 465.71
Isaac Bledsoe. 9-10 & 10' of 11,	71,	.102,	."	516.35
Miss Mary Mc Murray, a feme sole and C E Anderson, 5-6 82,		92,	."	465.71
Mrs Mary Mitchell, a feme sole 8,	71,	46,	"	232.86

2nd . That this resolution take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Reefer, City Attorney .

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes . 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved , A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Resolution designating owners and their property on Lavacca street from the

north property line of 7th street to the south property line of 11th street who

have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits

of improvement on said street and the apportionment of the cost of such improve-

ment to be assessed against them and directing the City Attorney to file with the

County Judge of Travis County, Texas, a statement thereof.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin:

Whereas, the City Council has heretofore ordered the improvement on Lavacca street

from the north property line of 7th street to the south property line of 11th

street by grading and paving and guttering the same and has given a notice of

hearing to owners of property abutting thereon, concerning the benefits of the

said improvements and the amount and proportion of the cost thereof to be assessed

against them ; and

Whereas, the said hearing has been held and all of said owners have been

given an opportunity to be heard before the City Council concerning the said

matters ; and

Whereas, others have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to

the special benefits of said improvement and the amount of apportionment of the

cost thereof to be assessed against them and their property .

1st, That said Council does hereby designate the following property owners

and their property who have failed and refused to agree with the Council concern-

ing the said matters , the names of the said property owners, the description

of their property by lot and block number and address , so far as known, and the

amounts proposed to be assessed against them and their property, being as follows,

to-wit:

Name of owner,	Lot Number,	Block,	No front feet,	Amt per front foot,	Total
Mrs M M Blanks estate	12,	99,	128,	\$ 3.836,	\$ 491.00
Lydia May (a feme sole)					
And Simon C Loomis,	6,	.108,	129.25, Paving	\$ 495.80	
			.186 Curbing . .	74.40	570.20

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Assessment etc*

Mrs M S Carrington and
daughter, Lillian(some sole)

Maud Imboden & Husband ,

W M Imboden, Lot 1, Block, 108, 128 feet paving, \$ 491.00

185 11n ft curbing , 74.00

Total \$ 565.00

2nd. That the City Attorney is hereby directed to file with the County Judge of Travis County, Texas, a statement hereof as provided by Section 4 of an ordinance in such case made and provided passed by the City Council of the City of Austin, February 23, A D 1911, and further to take such steps for the appointment of Commissioners and for the determination of the amounts of said assessments as are provided by the said ordinance.

3rd. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney.

The resolution was passed by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

A resolution designating owners and their property on 7th street from the West property line of Colorado street to the East property line of Guadalupe street who have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of improvement on said street and the apportionment of the cost of such improvement to be assessed against them and directing the City Attorney to file with the County Judge of Travis County a statement thereof.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

Whereas, the City Council has heretofore ordered the improvement on 7th street from the West property line of Colorado street to the East property line of Guadalupe street by grading and paving and guttering the same and has given a notice of hearing to the owners of property abutting thereon, concerning the benefits of the said improvement and the amount and proportion of the cost thereof to be assessed against them; and

Whereas, the said hearing has been held and all of said owners have been given an opportunity to be heard before the City Council concerning the said matters ; and

Whereas, others have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of said improvement and the amount and apportionment of the cost thereof to be assessed against them and their property.

1st. That said City Council does hereby designate the following property owners and their property who have failed and refused to agree with the City Council concerning the said matters , the names of the said property owners ,the description of their property by lot and block number and address, so far as known, and the amounts proposed to be assessed against them and their property ,being as follows,to-wit:

Name,	Lot Number,	Block Number,	No front feet,	Amt per front foot	Total cost
E Cartledge, Trustee,					

E Cartledge, Trustee,

for Mrs Hattie A Dixon ,

a feme sole,	3-4	.82,	92,	\$. 5.0617,	\$	465.71
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2. That the City Attorney is hereby directed to file with the County Judge of Travis County, Texas, a statement hereof as provided by Section 4 of an ordinance in such case made and provided passed by the City Council of the City of Austin, February 23rd, A D 1911,

and further to take such steps for the appointment of Commissioners and for the determination of the amounts of said assessment as are provided by the said ordinance.

3rd. That this resolution shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney.

The resolution was passed by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Resolution designating owners and their property on Colorado street from the south property line of West 2nd street to the south property line of West 3rd street and from the north property line of West 3rd street to the south property line of West 4th street who have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special ^{benefits} improvements on said street and the apportionment of the cost of such improvement to be assessed against them and directing the City Attorney to file with the County Judge of Travis County, Texas, a statement thereof.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

Whereas, the City Council has heretofore ordered the improvement on Colorado street from the south property line of West 2nd street to the south property line of West 3rd street and from the north property line of West 3rd street to the south property line of West 4th street who have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of improvement on said street and the apportionment of the cost of such improvement to be assessed against them and directing the City Attorney to file with the County Judge of Travis County, Texas, a statement thereof.

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

Whereas, the City Council has heretofore ordered the improvement on Colorado street from the south property line of West 2nd street to the south property line of West 3rd street and from the north property line of West 3rd street to the south property line of West 4th street by grading and paving and guttering the same and has given a notice and hearing to the owners of property abutting thereon, concerning the benefits of the said improvement and the amount and proportion of the cost thereof to be assessed against them ; and

Whereas, the said hearing has been held and all of said owners have been given an opportunity to be heard before the City Council concerning the said matters; and

Whereas, others have failed or refused to agree with the City Council as to the special benefits of said improvement and the amount and apportionment of the cost thereof to be assessed against them and their property.

1st. That said City Council does hereby designate the following property owners and their property who have failed and refused to agree with the Council concerning the said matters, the names of the said property owners, the description of their property by lot and block number and address, so far as known, and the amounts ^{amounts} proposed to be assessed against them and their property, being as follows to-wit:

Ordinary Colorado
2nd to 3rd St

Measurement dr

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Name of Owner,	Lot number,	block number ,	Frontage,	ant per ft	ft Total ant
Lone Star Ice Co	9-12	19,	134ft,	\$ 6.617 ,	1,025.43
A, A P, Frank and Antonio Raggio, and MariaDel Curto ,					
Wife of Odel Curto,	6,	28,	134,	"	952.50
Mrs Rosa Cyneo,					
a feme sole,	9,10,11	29,	138,	"	1,026.92

2nd, The City Attorney is hereby directed to file with the County Judge of Travis County, Texas, a statement hereof as provided by Section 4 of an ordinance in such case made and provided passed by the City Council of the City of Austin ,February 23rd, A D 1911, and further to take such steps for the appointment of Commissioners and for the determination of the amounts of said assessments as are provided by the said ordinances.

3rd . That this resolution shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney.

The resolution was passed by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

*Improving Lavacca
7th st
assessment*

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance levying an assessment for the payment of part of the cost of improving Lavacca street from the north property line of 7th street to the south property line of 11th street and to fix a charge and lien against the owners of property and their property abutting on said street and providing for the collection and enforcement thereof.

The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance levying an assessment for the payment of part of the cost of improving 7th street from the west property line of Colorado street to the east property line of Guadalupe street and to fix a charge and lien against the owners of property and their property abutting on said street and providing for the collection and enforcement thereof.

The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following vote:

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

*Assessment
Improving Colorado
7th to 3rd st*

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance levying an assessment for the payment of part of the cost of improving Colorado street from the south property line of west 2nd street to the south property line of west 3rd street and from the north property line of west 3rd street to the south property line of west 4th street and to fix a charge and lien against the owners of property and their property abutting said street and providing for the collection and enforcement thereof.

The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of \$ 39.20, be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation to the account of " Soil, Gravel and Grading" at North East Avenue Park to the account of " Trees and Shrubbery" at same Park.

This transfer is made to cover an overdraft of \$ 39.20 against " Trees and Shrubbery "

The resolution was passed by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of \$ 9.31, be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation for " Soil ,Gravel and Grading" at North East Avenue Park to the account for " Tools and Incidentals" at the same Park.

This transfer is made to cover an overdraft of \$ 9.31, in the account of " Tools and Incidentals" at North East Avenue Park.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the sum of \$ 150.00 be and is hereby transferred from the account for " Soil, Gravel and Grading" at North East Avenue Park to the account of " Incidentals" at the same Park.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That \$ 41.00 be and is hereby appropriated out of the " Soil,Gravel and Grading " fund at south East Avenue Park to pay the balance due A W Johns for band stand located at said park.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4

Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Whereas, there has heretofore been filed in the records of Travis County, Texas, in Plat Book No 1, at page 27, a plat showing Leander Brown's subdivision of the Southeast one quarter of Out Lot 72 Division "D", of the City of Austin, Texas, which plat as recorded shows a street lying between lots 1 to 10, inclusive, in Block 2 of said subdivision on the west ,and lots 11 to 20 inclusive in block 1 of said subdivision on the east ,which said street is designated on said plat as " Leander Street"; and,

Whereas, by decree of Court in cause No 26031, entitled Tim Byrne et al vs Sidon Harris et al, all the property in said subdivision located east of said " Leander

Transfer Appro
Parks. ✓

Transfer Appro
Parks ✓

Livingston
Street ✓

Street was located and determined on the ground, which decree had the effect of projecting the lines of the lots abutting on said Leander street on the east into said street to the extent of making same too narrow to be used for the practical purposes of a street; and,

Whereas, in order to obtain the full width of said "Leander Street" as platted, it would be necessary to readjust and re-establish all of the property and street lines contained in said subdivision situated west of said "Leander Street", which could only be done at great expense and inconvenience both to the City of Austin and to the several owners of the property therein; and,

Whereas, said "Leander Street" has never been actually used by the public as a street, and has never been formally accepted and employed by the City of Austin for such purpose; and,

Whereas, W A Harper, Otto F Theile, Elizabeth L Theile, Cal M Browne, H R Bruck and J W Bruck, who are the owners of all the lots situated on both sides of said "Leander Street", have heretofore agreed to resubdivide said property, as evidenced by the certain plat and record in the plat records of Travis County, Texas, in Book 3, at page 9, and by such instrument said owners have dedicated the streets and alleys shown on said plat to the public use; and,

Whereas, said W A Harper has heretofore by deeds conveyed to the City of Austin the following property, being parts of the resubdivision of the west $\frac{1}{2}$ of Block No 1, and of all Block No 2, in Leander Brown's subdivision of the south West one quarter of Out lot No 72 in Division "D" of the City of Austin, Travis County, Texas, and described particularly by meats and bounds as follows, to-wit: (1) Beginning at the south east corner of block 2-A in the said resubdivision hereinafter mentioned, Thence westerly along the south line of said block 2-A, Thence southerly 50 feet to the north west corner of lot Number 5 in block 2 in said resubdivision, Thence easterly along the north line of said block 2, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ 92 feet to the north east corner of said block 2, and being also the north east corner of lot 6, in said block 2, Thence northerly 50 feet to the place of beginning according to the map or plat of said resubdivision of record in plat book No 3, at page 9, of the records of Travis County, Texas; and

(2) Beginning at the southwest corner of block 2-A and being also the southwest corner of Lot 5, in said block 2-A in said resubdivision hereinbefore mentioned, Thence easterly along the south line of said block 2-A 119 $\frac{3}{10}$ feet to corner in south line of said block 2-A, Thence southerly 50 feet to the north west corner of lot 5, in block No 2, in said resubdivision, Thence westerly along the north line of said block 2, 119 $\frac{4}{10}$ feet to the northwest corner of said block 2, and being also the northwest corner of Lot 3, in said block 2, Thence northerly 50 feet to the place of beginning, according to the map or plat of said resubdivision of record in plat book No 3, at page 9, of the records of Travis County,

Texas; which parcels of land as hereinabove described are respectively the equivalent of Lot 16 in block 1 and lot 5 in block 2, of the original plat recorded in plat book No 1, at page 27 of the plat records of Travis County, Texas; said parcels of land being conveyed by said Harper to the City of Austin in consideration of the agreement on the part of the City of Austin to perpetually maintain a public street thereon, to be called West 29 $\frac{1}{2}$ street, and for the further consideration that the said City of Austin shall forever relinquish right to open and maintain as a high-way the street shown in said plat as recorded in plat book No 1 at page 27, and known as aforesaid, as "Leander Street"; and

Whereas, by such conveyance to the City of Austin, by said W A Harper, a more convenient way can be opened and maintained for the use of the public generally by establishing a street upon the certain parcels of land conveyed by said deeds Now Therefore, Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

Sec1. That the City of Austin hereby accepts the dedication to the public use of the streets and alleys shown in the resubdivision of the West $\frac{1}{2}$ of of block No1 also block No 2 in Leander Brown's subdivision of the south east one- quarter of Outlot 72, in Division "D" of the City of Austin, Travis County, Texas, as recorded in the plat records of said County in plat book No 3 at page 9 thereof.

Sec 2. That the said City of Austin hereby agrees to perpetually maintain a public street on the certain parcels of land conveyed by said W A Harper to said City for such purpose, and as shown on the resubdivision plat recorded in plat book No 3, at page 9.

Sec 3. That the street shown upon the certain plat recorded in plat book No 1 at page 27, of the plat records of Travis County, Texas, and designated thereon as "Leander Street" be and the same is hereby perpetually vacated, and the City of Austin hereby forever relinquishes all right to open and maintain as a highway such street as shown on said plat, and hereby agrees that same shall remain forever closed.

Approved, J Bouldin Rector, City Attorney.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew & Haynes 4
Absent Councilman Powell 1

The Council then recessed subject to call

October 7th 1913.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor with all members present:

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the petition of Smith & Wilcox to erect and maintain an electric sign underneath their awning at 616 Congress Avenue, be and the same is hereby granted Said electric sign is to be 12 feet long by 2 feet wide, and is to hang 9 feet in the clear above the sidewalk.

Be it further resolved:

That this permit is revocable at any time in the pleasure of the City Council.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5
Nays none.

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That the petition of Smith & Wilcox to erect and maintain an electric sign above their awning at 616 Congress Avenue, be and the same is hereby granted .

Said electric sign is to be doubled faced and bear thereon the Words : " Smith & Wilcox " . It can be 13 feet 6 inches long be 2 feet deep, and to be placed at right angles to the building.

Be it further resolved :

Smith & Wilcox
Sign ✓

That this permit is granted and must be accepted as revocable at any time in the pleasure of the City Council.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5

Nays none.

Approved , A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That permit be and is hereby granted to Carl Mayer to erect and maintain a garage in the rear of his premises at 616 Trinity street , in this City.

Said garage is to be constructed entirely of galvanized iron and piping. No wood is to be used anywhere in the construction of said garage. The size of said garage is to be 12 ft by 18 ft and 8 ft high.

Be it further resolved :

That this permit is revocable at any time in the pleasure of the City Council.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5

Nays none.

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Mayor laid before the Council the following resolution :

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin :

That permit be and is hereby granted to M Davis to erect and maintain upon his premises situated at Lot 2, Block 72, City of Austin, Texas, an automobile garage of about the following dimensions: This garage shall be 20 feet by 22 feet and 9 feet high .

The garage must be built entirely upon iron supports , both for roof supports and uprights, and built, for sides and roof , of galvanized iron.

This permit is issued and must be accepted as revocable at any time in the pleasure of the City Council -

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew , Haynes & Powell 5

Nays none.

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

The Council then adjourned.

Geo. Johnson
City Clerk

Carl Mayer
Garage
Trinity St
✓

M Davis
Garage Bk 72
✓