

Called Meeting of the City Council

Austin, Texas, October 24<sup>th</sup> 1901

Hon. R. E. White Mayor presiding  
Roll Called

Present Aldermen Crocker Davis, Low Maddox, Mortimer, Nitschke, Redd, Schneider, Shelley, Shumate, Stumpff, Ulit 12  
Absent Alderman Hume 1

The following Call of the Council was read.

Austin, Texas, Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> 1901

To the Members of the City Council of the City of Austin:  
A special Meeting of the City Council of the City of Austin is called to convene in the Council Chamber at the City Hall in said City at 8 o'clock P.M. on Thursday October 24<sup>th</sup>, 1901, for the purpose of considering an ordinance entitled "An ordinance levying taxes for the year 1901," and for taking such action thereon as to the Council may seem fit and proper.

Call of Council

R. E. White Mayor  
D. M. Maddox Alderman 2nd Ward  
J. M. Shumate " 6<sup>th</sup> "  
D. Mortimer " 6<sup>th</sup> "  
H. D. Shelley " 3<sup>rd</sup> "

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I hereby certify that the following named aldermen have been served with a copy of this call by having it read to each of them in person. L. M. Crocker, J. B. Redd, H. D. Davis, Theo. Low, D. M. Maddox, J. B. Nitschke, J. P. Schneider, H. D. Shelley, J. M. Shumate, Joseph Stumpff, H. M. Ulit and a copy of same was left at the office of J. L. Hume he being out of the City.

Return of Marshal

H. Montgomery, Marshal

Remarks by the Mayor

After the call was read, the Mayor stated to the Council that the City Attorney had given it as his opinion that the vote by which the ordinance levying taxes for the year 1901, was finally passed at the adjourned regular session of the Council held on Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> 1901, was prematurely taken for the reason that such an adjourned session was but a continuation of the regular session held on Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 1901, and the rules had not been suspended so as to regularly place said ordinance on its third reading before the vote by which said ordinance was finally passed was had.

Resolution

Alderman Maddox moved to reconsider the vote by which the ordinance levying taxes for the year 1901, was finally passed at the regular adjourned meeting held on Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> 1901, which motion prevailed.

The ordinance was then read the third time and passed by the following vote

Ayes Aldermen, Crocker, Maddox, Mortimer, Nitschke, Redd, Shelley, Shumate and the Mayor 8

Nays Aldermen Davis Low Schneider Stumpff Tullit 5  
On motion the Council adjourned

J. W. Johnson  
City Clerk