

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the City Council.

Austin, May 21, 1894.

Hon H. A Linn, president of the Board of Aldermen, presiding.

Roll call.

Present- Aldermen Anderson, Aermann, Fischer, Glass, Jackson, Linn, North, Platt, Powell, Raymond, Shelley, Taylor, Townsend - 13.

Absent- Aldermen Dawson, Hancock, Hume, Lawless, Nitschke, Redd, Roberdeau, Schneider, Warmoth - 9

The minutes of the meeting of the city council held on the 7th day of May, 1894, were, on motion, adopted as printed.

On motion of Alderman Pinnell, Mr G. F. Penderster, City Attorney, was excused from attendance on the present session of the council.

Aldermen Warmoth, Redd and Hancock entered the council and answered to their names.

Petitions and Memorials.

Petition for repairs to E. Austin House houses.

By Alderman Warmoth- A petition from C. Rademan foreman, and J. P. Hammond, Will Dill and Frank Heiserman, hall committee of East Austin House Company No. 4, asking repairs to East Austin house houses, aggregating \$157.70

On motion of Alderman Warmoth the petition was referred to the fire committee.

Alderman Anderson for the special committee, to whom was referred the memorial of the working men of Austin, asked, for further time in which to prepare reports. Granted.

Aldermen Lawless, Nitschke and Schneider entered the council and answered to their names.

Report of Special Com. to locate lights

Alderman Anderson for the special committee, on the part of the council, presented a report of the action of the joint committee of the Board of Public Works and the City Council in the location of lights for the city. The report is as follows:

Austin, May 16.

Hon City Council and Board of Public Works, Austin Texas.

Gentlemen- The undersigned joint committee, from your honorable bodies beg to report that we have carefully examined the maps and the proposed electric light lines and recommend the location of the light towers as follows:

- No 1 Congress Avenue and 3rd street.
- 2. Congress Avenue and 10th street.
- 3 Calvados and Sixth streets.
- 4 Lavaca and 14th streets.
- 5 Guadalupe and 4th streets.
- 6 San Antonio and 15th streets.
- 7 Nueces and 14th streets.
- 8 Red Grande and 12th streets.

9. Fannin and 6th streets.
10. Blanes and 12th streets.
11. End of street car track on West 6th street
12. Ruycas and 16th street.
13. San Jacinto and 5th streets.
14. Trinity and 11th streets.
15. Neches and 2nd streets.
16. Red River and 8th streets.
17. Sabine and 14th street.
18. East Avenue and 19th street.
19. Medina and 6th street.
20. Waller and 1st street.
21. Altayac and 11th streets.
22. Perm'a Ave and 5th street east of Comal.
23. 19th and 4th street east of Comal.
24. Neeces and 22nd street.
25. Guadalupe and Houston streets.
26. Spamore St. and Georgetown Road.
27. 7th st. and 2nd street east of Comal.
28. (South side) Congress Avenue and Monroe Street.
29. (Hyde Park) Congress Avenue and 4th street.
30. Dam.

Respectfully submitted.

John M. Donald

Jno W. Maddox

W. C. Walsh

Committee from Board of Public Works

O. E. Anderson

J. A. Jackson

Committee from

City Council.

The following indorsement on said report was read:

The within report was read at a meeting of the Board of Public Works held on May 21, 1894, and on motion same was adopted and referred to the city council for consideration.

W. J. Cliphant, Secretary.

On motion the report of the special committee was adopted.

New Business.

Ordinance to regulate employment of labor, wages &c. Alderman Raymond introduced an ordinance to regulate the employment of labor in contracts for public improvements, which was referred to the ordinance committee without being read.

The ordinance provides that hereafter when any public improvement shall be undertaken by the city and the same shall be let by contract to any person there shall be inserted in such contract a provision requiring the contractor to employ as laborers for making such public improvement citizens of Austin, only, provided they can be obtained, and to pay such laborers by the day not less than \$1.00 per day, a days work to consist of nine hours.

The ordinance also provides that when any public improvement is undertaken by the city and not let by contract the foregoing provisions shall apply as to wages, employment of laborers and the number of hours per day they shall be required to work.

The council then adjourned.

Milton Morris, City Clerk.