

called meeting of the City Council
Austin Texas November 24th 1882.
Hon W H Saylor Mayor Presiding

Roll call present Aldermen Metz Kinney Lawrence
Schuber Brueggerhoff Radkey Cuppertz Plath Wilson
absent alderman alderman Morrell a fine of one
dollar was entered against alderman Morrell for
non attendance at this meeting

Call of the Council read which was for
the consideration of the question of granting to
the Capitol Syndicate the right of way through
the City of Austin to the Capitol grounds.

Reading of the minutes of Nov 6 and 20 postponed

The following report was received from the
special committee on right of way to the capitol
grounds.

Austin Nov 23 1882

To the honorable City Council of
the City of Austin
Gentlemen

We the undersigned members of the Committee
appointed by your honorable body to consider an
ordinance granting to Abner Taylor and his asso-
ciates the right of way through Congress avenue
by leave to submit the ordinance hereto attached
and recommend that the same do pass.

signed Wm Brueggerhoff
R. Plath

The above committee on right of way to the Capitol
grounds introduced an ordinance granting to Abner
Taylor and his associates the right of way along
congress avenue to the Capitol grounds. the ordinance
was read first time

Alderman Kinney moved to postpone for
fifteen the consideration of the Committee report
motion adopted

Alderman Kinney introduced the following
resolution

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin
 That in order to enable the council to give
 an intelligent consideration and arrive at a
 satisfactory conclusion in regard to the question of
 granting of granting the right of way on Congress
 Avenue for a rail road for the purpose of delivering
 material for the construction of the new State Capital
 The City engineer is hereby directed to make such
 an examination and survey of west avenue from
 its intersection with the International & Great Northern
 Rail Road north to the rear of the graded school
 Building thence east on such street or streets as
 will furnish the most practicable route to the Capital
 grounds also to examine and survey East Avenue
 from an intersection with the Houston and ^{Texas} Central
 Rail Road and Austin and Northwestern rail Road
 north to such intersection street or streets as will
 in his judgment give the most practicable route
 to the Capital grounds He is also instructed to
 make an approximate estimate of the cost of con-
 structing a Rail Road by each route and is authorized
 to employ such assistance as he may need in
 making the surveys referred to When even he
 shall have completed the surveys and estimates he
 shall inform the Mayor of the fact who shall there
 upon call the Council together for the consideration
 of the Engineers report.

Alderman Kinney moved a further postponement
 of five minutes of the consideration of the Committee
 report motion adopted by the following vote yeas
 Aldermen Kinney Metz Schubert Radery Kuppertz
 Nays Aldermen Lawrence Brueggerhoff Plath
 Alderman Wilson excused from voting

Alderman Kinney moved to adopt the resolution
 in regard to surveying route to the capital grounds
 Alderman Brueggerhoff moved to lay the resolution
 on the table motion to table lost by the following
 vote yeas Aldermen Brueggerhoff Lawrence
 and Plath Nays Aldermen Metz Kinney Schubert
 Radery Kuppertz and Wilson

Alderman Brueggerhoff moved to adjourn motion

motion lost by the following vote yea
aldermen Lawrence Brueggerhoff and Clark Mayo.
aldermen Metz Kinney Schubert Radkey Kuppertz and Wilson

Carried
Alderman Brueggerhoff offered the following
amendment to the resolution offered by alderman
Kinney Provided that the expense of said survey
will not cost the City any money and further
provided that the City Engineer be ready to report
within ten days

motion to lay the amendment on the table
lost by the following vote yea aldermen Metz
Kinney Schubert Radkey and Kuppertz. Nay aldermen
Lawrence Brueggerhoff Clark and Wilson

Alderman Radkey moved that the resolution
offered by alderman Kinney be amended by adding
the words the street committee added thereto.
Alderman Kinney accepted the amendment

The resolution was then adopted by the
following vote yea aldermen Metz Kinney
Schubert Radkey Kuppertz and Wilson Mayo
Alderman Lawrence Brueggerhoff Clark

On motion the Council adjourned
Read and approved Dec 4 1882

J. L. Burnell
City Clerk