Austin, Tex., Nov. 23, 1876.

Hon. J.W. Robertson, Mayor, presiding.


Absent: Aldermen Anderson, Brush, Elder.

Quorum present.

The following was read:

Austin, Nov. 23, 1876.

Hon. J.W. Robertson, mayor of the City of Austin: Sir—We, the undersigned aldermen, respectfully request that you call a special meeting of the City Council for tomorrow, at 7 o'clock, p.m., Nov. 23, to consider the advisability of appointing an additional set of judges for each Ward.

Respectfully,

C.M. Metz,

W.B. Walker,

J. DeGres,

J. Schuler,

D.S. Bilow,

F. E. Jones,

J.F. Halman,

W. Wellner,

J. Cummings,

Geo. A. Brush,

J.M. Odell,

W.B. Warthen,

Mayor's Office.

Nov. 23, 1876.

Gentlemen of City Council:

In compliance with the foregoing request, I hereby call a special meeting of the City Council to assemble this, Tuesday evening, Nov. 23, 1876, at 7:30 o'clock, to act on the matters suggested above and such other matters as may be laid before you.

Respectfully,

J.W. Robertson, Mayor.
Nov. 28, 1886.

Alderman DeGraae moved to reconsider the vote of Aldermen by which a resolution was passed providing for an election to be held in the several wards of the City on Monday, December 6, 1886, for the purpose of electing Aldermen for the several wards, in place of those whose terms expire.

Adopted.

Aldermen Schneider and Wellmer came in. Alderman DeGraae then offered as a substitute for the resolution, a resolution like the one above named, except that it provides for an election of a trustee for the public free schools of the City in place of Mr. Stackridge, resigned, and leaves the names of polling places and judges of election blank. The substitute was adopted.

Alderman Northam moved to amend the substitute by inserting in the blank places the names of judges and polling places that are named in the resolution providing for the election on the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the City, which is to occur on December 6, 1886. Alderman DeGraae moved to amend the amendment by adding that three additional judges be appointed for each ward.

Carried by a vote of 5 to 3, and the motion made by Alderman Northam carried.

A motion was then made to adopt the resolution as amended. Adopted.

On motion, the Council adjourned.

Milton Morris,
City Clerk.