

Regular meeting of the City Council : Austin, Texas, August 24th 1916:

The Council was called to order by the Mayor: Roll called :

Present Mayor Wooldridge; Councilmen Anthony, Bartholomew, Haynes & Powell 5

Absent none:

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

Councilman Haynes presented the report of the Sanitary Inspector for the months of July & June, which were read and ordered filed:

Councilman Powell offered the following resolution :

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

That the sum of \$ 600.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the permanent Street fund ,to pay for filling the approaches to the bridge across Waller creek on East 14th street, and for the installation of the necessary drain pipes at this bridge.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

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

Nays none:

Councilman Powell offered the following resolution :

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

That the sum of \$ 100.00,dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Sanitary sewer fund to pay for the construction of a 6" inch sewer line along the south side of East 18th street from San Jacinto street towards Brazos street a distance of 200 feet.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

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

Nays none:

Councilman Powell offered the following resolution :

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

That the sum of \$ 200.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Sanitary sewer fund, to pay for the construction of a 6 " sewer line across the intersection of 19th street with East Avenue and northward on Oldham street a distance of 350 feet.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

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

Nays none:

Councilman Powell offered the following resolution :

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

That the sum of \$ 200.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Sanitary sewer fund to pay for the construction of a 6 " sewer line in the alley between Neches and Red River streets from 19 th to 19 1/2 streets, a distance of 300 feet.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

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

Nays none.

Sanitary Inspector Report.

*Bridge - E 14th St.
Appropriation \$600.00*

*Sewer - E. 18th St.
\$100.00 appropriation*

*Sewer - E. Ave
\$200.00 app.*

*Sewer
alley between
Neches & Red River
\$200.00*

Councilman Powell offered the following resolution:

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

That P W Powell Commissioner of Public Improvements ,be authorized to transfer \$ 180.00, from the three wheeler fund to the mule fund as shown by the budget.

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 an application from Jim Sullivan for license to drive service car ,which was read held up for investigation.

The Mayor laid before the Council a resolution ordering the improvement of a certain part of 11th street, and awarding contract for same to the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company, which resolution was presented and read the 1st time on the 17th day of August 1916, and laid over. The resolution was passed by the following vote:

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

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

August 25th 1916:

Councilman Anthony offered the following resolution :

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, Texas :

That for good and sufficient causes thereunto moving, the balance of \$ 10.00, owing by Leslie Green in cause No 10881, State of Texas vs Leslie Green in the Corporation Court of the City of Austin, Texas, be and the same is hereby remitted.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

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

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

August 28th 1916:

Councilman Anthony offered the following resolution :

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, Texas:

That for good and sufficient reasons unto the City Council moving, the balance of the fine and costs , amounting to \$ 6.80, in cause No 10836, State of Texas vs Will James, colored, in the Corporation Court of the City of Austin, Texas, be and the same is hereby remitted.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

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

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

By Councilman Anthony. An ordinance amending section 2 of an ordinance entitled " An ordinance to regulate the running of automobiles and motor vehicles within the corporate limits of the City of Austin and to require the owner, lessee, manager or other person in control of every automobile or motor vehicle to procure a permit and register his name with the City Clerk, for violation of which a penalty is provided".

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

That section 2 of the certain ordinance entitled " An ordinance to regulate the running of automobiles and motor vehicles within the corporate limits of the City of Austin and to require the owner , lessee, manager or other person in control of every automobile or motor

Transfer fund

Driver's License Jim Sullivan.

Paving - Part 11th St.

Fine - Leslie Green

Fine - Will James

Automobile Ordinance

.vehicle to procure a permit and register his name with the City Clerk, for violation of which a penalty is provided;"which ordinance was passed by the City Council of the City of Austin on November 26th, 1910, and approved by the Mayor the same date, be and the same is hereby amended to read hereafter as follows:

The ordinance was read the first time and a motion made to suspend the rule and place it on its second reading, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

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

The ordinance was read the second time and a motion made to suspend the rule and place it on its third reading and final passage, which motion prevailed by the following vote :

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

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

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

August 21st 1916:

Councilman Haynes offered the following resolution :

Whereas, it appears from the attached affidavit of E D Harris, that lots 2 & 3, block 14, in Hyde Park addition No 2, to the City of Austin, Texas, constitute his homestead and have been his homestead for about 3 years prior to the present date; and

Whereas, said E D Harris has been sued for taxes on said homestead for the year 1915, as well as for taxes on other property that he heretofore owned; and

Whereas, the said E D Harris desires to segregate said homestead from his other property and pay the taxes thereon and prefers so to do; and

Whereas, the said E D Harris has paid the costs in the Dist Court of Travis County, Texas, in the amount of \$ 7.50, in cause No 33324, City of Austin vs E D Harris, et al; and

Whereas, the City Council believes it to be the law that the homestead is liable only for the taxes due against itself,

Now, therefore,

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

That the Assessor & Collector of the City of Austin, Texas, be and he is hereby instructed to issue a receipt against the taxes due from the above described homestead of the said E D Harris when paid in the amount of \$ 33.00, with interest and penalties for the year 1914, and \$ 36.90, with interest and penalties for the year 1915, leaving the taxes due upon the personal property for both of these years to be collected from other sources than the homestead. The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

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

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

Copy -
E. D. Harris

August 25th 1916:

Mayor Wooldridge offered the following resolution :

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, Texas:

That a perrit be and is hereby grante to the Handelan Base Ball peopla to install and maintain at 701 Congress Avenue a baseball court, and

Be it further resolve by the City Council of the City of Austin:

That this permit is revocable at the p'leasure 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.

August 25th 1916:

Mayor Wooldridge offered the following resolution :

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, Texas :

That the sum of \$ 20.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General Contingent fund of the City of Austin, Texas, as a refund to Wm Bruckmann for the unearned portion of the Jitney License heretofore granted to him.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

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

Nays none,

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor .

Mayor Wooldridge offered the following resolution :

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin, Texas :

That the sum of \$ 250.00, be and the same is hereby transferred from the General Contingent fund of this City to the general street fund of this City and appropriated out of the general street fund to the expense of improving Bell street between Baylor and Blanco streets in this City

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

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

Nays none,

Approved, A P Wooldridge, Mayor.

*Handelan Baseball people
Baseball people
Permit to install
court.*

*Jitney License
Refund.
Wm Bruckmann*

*Paving -
Bell St. between
Baylor & Blanco.*