Regular meeting of the City Council: Austin, Texas, Feb 10th 1910

The Council was called to order by the Mayor: Roll called:
Present Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Hart & Powell 4
Absent sick Councilman Gracy 1

On motion the reading of the minutes was deferred until a later date.

Reports of City Officers:

The following reports of City Officers for the month of January 1910 were read and ordered filed, viz: Matron of the Hospital, City Marshal, Plumbing Inspector, Sexton and City Clerk.

New business:

By Councilman Powell an ordinance appropriating the sum of $450.00 for the purpose of putting on railing on the retaining wall at the Colorado bridge.

The ordinance was read the first time, and the rule suspended and the ordinance placed on its second reading by the following vote:
Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Hart & Powell 4
Nays none.

The ordinance was read the second time and laid over.

On motion the Council Recessed.

February 11th 1910.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor: with all present except Councilman Gracy.

Councilman Hart to whom was referred the petition of Mr. Henty Maytum, asking the remission of a fine assessed in the Recorder's Court, presented a report recommending that one-half of said fine be remitted, which report was adopted by the following vote:
Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Hart & Powell 4
Nays none.

On motion the Council recessed, subject to call of the Mayor.

February 12th 1910 3 P.M.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor, with all members present:
Councilman Powell presented bids for filling Dyke South Austin, from J. N. Canion and Mc Donald & Miller, which were opened and discussed.

On motion of Councilman Powell further action on said bids was postponed until the Council could have a consultation with the County Commissioners Court.

Councilman Powell offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Austin: That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized to sub-divide and plat that plot of ground outside of the City of Austin, known as the "Highlands", in accordance with the ordinances of the City of Austin, sub-dividing and platting property inside the City.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:
Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Powell 4
Nays none.

Councilman Powell presented to the Council bids for paving East 5th street from Red River to East Avenue as follows, viz:
Ben St John $2.28 cts per sq yard.
Knox T Johnson & S Burland $2.15 per sq yard.
Knox T. Johnson & S. Burland, being the lowest bidders, Councilman Powell moved that they be awarded the contract, which motion prevailed by the following vote:
Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Powell 5
Nays none.

On motion the Clerk was directed to return to Mr. St John his certified check, which accompanied his bid.

On motion the Council recessed subject to call of Mayor.

Austin, February 14th 1910.

The Council was called to order, with all members present.
The Council was called to meet in consultation with the Hon. Commissioners Court of Travis County, in the matter of making the Dyke south of the Colorado Bridge in South Austin.
After discussing the matter for some time, the Council recessed until 2 P.M. this date.

February 14th 1910 2 P.M.
The Council was called to order by the Mayor, with all members present.

On motion the contract for filling the Dyke in South Austin, south of the Colorado Bridge was awarded to Ray Mc., Donald & Wallace Miller, at their bid, they to furnish 25,000 cubic yards or more of dirt at 29 cents per cubic yard, same to be spread on Dyke as per specification.

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Powell 5
Nays none.

By Councilman Hart an ordinance to regulate driving and riding within the corporate limits of the City of Austin.
The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following vote:
Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Powell 5
Nays none.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Jno. J. Johnson
City Clerk