

Regular meeting of the City Council: Austin, Texas, March 24th 1910.

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

Present Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Hart & Powell 4

Absent excused Councilman Gracy 1

The minutes of the last regular and subsequent ^{Adjourned} meeting were read and approved.

Petitions, memorials, etc:

Councilman Hart presented a communication from A T Cowwin Chief of the Fire Dept calling attention the dilapidated condituon of a building on lot 8 Blk 111, City of Austin, which was read and referred to Councilman Powell for investigation and report.

The Mayor presented a communication from Mess W H Richardson & Co in regard to a R R Switch on west 4th street ,which was read and laid over for further investigation .

The Mayor laid before the Council a communication from Wm Brueggerhoff in regard to the City stables ,which was read and taken under advise-
-ment.

The Mayor laid before the Council a communication from J B Hornberger in regard to Fire rates, and the needs of the Fire Dept, which was read ,but no action taken.

Reports of City Officers:

The Mayor laid before the Council the reports of the City Health Officer, the Asst Health Officer and the Plumbing inspector, which wre read and ordered filed .

New business :

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$ 450.00 for the purpose of paying expenses of Elections.

The ordinance was read the first time and the rule suspended and it placed on its second reading by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen B artholomew, Hart & Powell 4

Nays none.

The ordinance was read the second time and laid over.

The Council then proceeded to open and canvass the returns of an electa held March 21st 1910 for Officers of the Fire Dept for the ensuing Year, with the following result, viz :

For Chief of the Austin Fire Dept , Geo O W lters received 171 votes.

Per Asst Chief Ramey Seekatz received 165, vote & Boo Peep received 6 ve

For Recorder Thomas G Buttery received 172 Votes.

The Mayor declared Geo O Weltersduly elected Chief of the Austin Fire Dept , Ramey Seekatz Asst Chief and Thos G Buttery Recorder of the Fire Dept for the unsueing year commencing April 21st 1910.

The Council hen proceeded to canvass the vote east on the 18th of March 1910 , on the propositions to issue bonds for certain purposes,

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Councilmen Bartholomew and Hart were appointed a committe to canvass the said vote.

The Committee presented the following report:

*See report
City Fire Dept*

*Communication
Wm Brueggerhoff
City
Stables*

Re: City Officers

*Altho Mayor's sense
Elections*

*Returns Election
City Fire Dept*

Austin, Texas, March 24th 1910.

Hon A P Wooldridge, Mayor and City Council of the City of Am. Austin.

Gentlemen :

Your Committee appointed to canvass the vote cast at an election held on March 15th 1910, to vote on three different propositions to issue bonds of the City beg leave to report that we have carefully canvassed the vote cast and report as follows :

There was cast in said election 1540 votes as follows:

For proposition No 1	1405 votes
Ag 1st proposition No 1	330 votes
For proposition No 2	1034 votes
Against proposition No 2	612 votes
For proposition No 3	956 vote
Against proposition No 3	682 votes

Respectfully submitted ,

E C Bartholomew,

Ja P Hart ,

Committee.

The report of the Committee was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Hart & Powell 4

Nays none.

The Mayor declared that the proposition to issue School bonds to the amount of \$ 75,000.00 had carried, it having received more than two-thirds of all the votes cast, and that the other two propositions had failed, not having received two thirds of all the votes cast.

On motion the Council recess subject to call of the Mayor.

March 25th 1910.

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

The Mayor laid before the Council the following:

Resolution authorizing the Mayor to publicly recommend that half holliday be given the people of Austin on April 6th to celebrate the vote of the people authorizing the rebuilding of the dam. The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Hart & Powell 4

Nays none.

The Council recessed subject to call of the Mayor.

Austin, Texas, Tuesday March 29, h 1910.

The Council was called to order by the Mayor, with all members present.

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$ 250.0 for the purpose of paying approved accounts City Cemetery. The ordinance was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Powell 5

Nays none.

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance appropriating \$ 25000 for the purpose of paying approved accounts for Parks. The ordinance was read the third time and passed by the following vote :

Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Powell 5

Returns election on
proposition to issue
bonds.

Approved by Council

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Appr. appd. lev. Parks

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$ 250.00 for the purpose of paying approved accounts for Parks. The ordinance was read the third time and passed by the following vote : Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Powell 5 Nays none.

Appr. appd. lev. Street Dept

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance appropriating the sum of \$ 1,000.00 for the purpose of paying approved accounts Street Dept. The ordinance was read the third time and passed by the following vote : Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Bell 5 Nays none.

Appr. appd. lev. Claim

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance making an appropriation to settle the claim of the estate of Ann L Grant, deceased, against the City of Austin. The ordinance was read the first time and the rule suspended and it placed on its second reading by the following vote: Yeas Mayor Wooldridge, Councilmen Bartholomew, Gracy, Hart & Bell 5 Nays none.

The ordinance was read the second time and laid over.

Fowl Ordinance

The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance entitled "an ordinance to prohibit the running at large of Fowls within a prescribed district within the City of Austin, and providing a penalty therefor", Passed June 15th 1908, and approved June 16th 1908,.

The ordinance was read the first time and laid over.

~~THE COUNCIL HAS PASSED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION:~~

Mayor Wooldridge offered the following resolution :

Citizens Bank & Trust Co. To erect awning

Resolved, that permission is hereby granted the Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Austin, Texas, to construct a drop awning in front of their business house on Congress Avenue in this City, of about the following description:

Iron bars may be extended from the building over the sidewalk to the curb line. These bars are to be nine feet (9) above the sidewalk. There may be four (4) of them, five (5) feet apart.

They shall be strongly stayed to the building. A cloth awning, capable of being rolled up, shall be attached to the building at a height of about fifteen (15) feet above the sidewalk. This awning shall be raised and lowered upon an iron frame attached to the building, as shown in the accompanying sketch, which is to be taken and considered as a part of this resolution.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote :

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

On motion the Council adjourned.

[Signature]
City Clerk