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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSION

(Official)

Special session, May 24, 1922.

Owosso, Mich., May 24, 1922. Special meeting of the Commission, Mayor Wright presiding.

Members present—Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

All members waived formal notice of special meeting.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution was presented read to the Commission, and on motion of Commissioner Rosevear same was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Resolution No. 193.

Resolved by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that the proposal of the Shattuck Auto Company for furnishing the City of Owosso the sum of four hundred and forty dollars (\$440.00), be accepted, and the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to issue a note on behalf of the City of Owosso to the said Shattuck Auto Company for the sum of four hundred and forty dollars (\$440.00), in payment of same, said note to be dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, said note to bear interest not greater than six per cent per annum.

The following report and resolution was presented, and on motion of Commissioner Rosevear same was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Owosso, Mich., May 24, 1922. To the Commission of the City of Owosso: Gentlemen:

I herewith present the following lists of outstanding checks, which have been outstanding from two to seven years, and have not been presented for payment, and recommend that they be credited to the outstanding checks.

Citizens' Savings Bank—

Table with columns for check number and amount. Includes items like No. 455, 926, 1245, etc.

Less check No. 2512..... \$ 1.98

\$ 340.78 \$ 138.78

Owosso Savings Bank—

Table with columns for check number and amount. Includes items like No. 510, 940, 1905, etc.

\$ 56.35 \$ 56.35

State Savings Bank—

Table with columns for check number and amount. Includes items like No. 2511, 1297, 1301, etc.

\$ 37.47

Citizens' Savings Bank—

Table with columns for check number and amount. Includes items like No. 228, 363, 4317, etc.

\$ 29.29 \$ 29.29

Total..... \$ 301.89

Respectfully submitted, Ira G. Curry, City Treasurer.

Resolution No. 190.

Resolved, by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that the checks reported as outstanding by the City Treasurer in this date, which checks are still unpaid and unclaimed by the payees to whom they were severally drawn for more than two years, and the same are hereby ordered turned back to the funds on which they were originally drawn, or in case of discontinuance of fund, then to be credited to the general fund succeeding the then to be Contingent Fund as shown on report of City Treasurer.

The following resolution was presented read to the Commission, and on motion of Commissioner Rosevear same was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Resolution No. 190.

Resolved by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that whereas a certain note given to the interest and sinking fund was paid without including interest, and whereas said interest in the sum of two hundred and seventy-two dollars and seventy-two cents is being carried as an asset in the City's annual audit, the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to issue a note payable from the contingent fund to the interest and sinking fund, in the sum of two hundred and seventy-two dollars and seventy-two cents, said note to be dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest not greater than six per cent per annum.

The following resolution was presented and read to the Commission, and on motion of Commissioner Rosevear same was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Resolution No. 191.

Resolved by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Library Fund, the sum of Three hundred seventy-five dollars (\$375.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

On motion the Commission adjourned. A. T. WRIGHT, Mayor.

B. K. LUCAS, City Clerk.

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Resolution No. 193.

Resolved, by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Contingent Fund, the sum of One thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

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Resolution No. 194.

Resolved, by the commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Water-Interest and Sinking Fund, the sum of Three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

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Resolution No. 195.

Resolved, by the commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Light Fund, the sum of Eight hundred dollars (\$800.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

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Resolution No. 196.

Resolved, by the commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Exchange, Main, Washington and Ball Streets, Cut-B Fund, the sum of seventeen hundred dollars (\$1,700.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

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Resolution No. 197.

Resolved, by the commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Bentley Park Fund, the sum of Four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

The following resolution was presented, read to the Commission, and on motion of Commissioner Rosevear same was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Resolution No. 198.

Resolved by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Police Fund, the sum of Four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

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Resolution No. 199.

Resolved by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Fire Fund, the sum of Eighty-six hundred dollars (\$8,600.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

The following resolution was presented, read to the Commission, and on motion of Commissioner Rosevear same was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Resolution No. 200.

Resolved, by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the N. Hickory St. Sewer Fund the sum of Seven hundred dollars (\$700.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

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Resolution No. 201.

Resolved, by the commission of the City of Owosso, that the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to borrow on the credit of the City of Owosso, and to place to the credit of the Library Fund, the sum of Three hundred seventy-five dollars (\$375.00), and to give in evidence of said loan the promissory note of said City dated the 25th day of May, 1922, to become due and payable the 25th day of August, 1922, and to bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum; it being hereby declared that the said loan is made in anticipation of the collection by tax of the amount set forth for said fund in the annual appropriation bill for the fiscal year ending May 31, 1923, passed and approved May 15, 1922.

On motion the Commission adjourned. A. T. WRIGHT, Mayor.

B. K. LUCAS, City Clerk.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COMMISSION

(OFFICIAL)

Regular session May 29, 1922.

Owosso, Mich., May 29, 1922. Regular meeting of the Commission, Mayor Wright presiding.

Members present—Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

The minutes of the regular meeting of May 22 were read and approved.

PETITIONS

The following Petition was presented and read to the Commission, and referred to the Commissioner of Public Improvements:

Petition No. 1.

Owosso, Mich., May 27, 1922. To the Commission of the City of Owosso, Gentlemen:

I, the following resident and property owner on E. Monroe St. in the City of Owosso, Michigan, humbly petition your honorable body to construct a sidewalk at 2318. I agree to pay for same on completion or you may assess the cost against the property.

Signed, George Numerick.

COMMUNICATIONS

A communication was received from M. Slack in reference to street opening on Hancock, read to the Commission and ordered closed.

REPORTS FROM HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS

The Commissioner of Public Improvements respectfully reports that it is a necessary public improvement that sidewalks be laid down and constructed in the City of Owosso on the following streets and in front of the material and dimensions hereinafter described.

Gentlemen:

A four (4) foot cement walk on the south side of Stewart St. and the east side of Chipman St. from Cedar to Chipman to Grace Sts.

Fred Hasse, E 1/4 lots 1 and 2, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

Otto Horner, W 1/4 lots 1 and 2, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

Anea A. Evers, lot 5, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

Forrest Marker, lot 6, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

Henry Marker and wife, lot 7, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

E. D. Souper, lot 8, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

Robt. Denyes, lot 9, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

Riste Temelio, lot 10, block 1, Thomas 2nd Add.

Wm. Vanderbeck, E 1/4 of lots 1 and 2, blk 5, Thomas 2nd Add.

Wm. Washburn, W 1/4 of lots 1 and 2, blk 3, Thomas 2nd Add.

W. E. Washburn, lot 2, blk 2, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Frank VanWagoner, lot 1, blk 2, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Earl Tynch, lot 1, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Sarah Ballow, lot 2, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Leo Ballow, lot 3, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Carl Giffel, lot 4, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

John Hamon, lot 5, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Frank Whiteherst, lots 6 and 9, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

A. Schultz, lots 10 and 13, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Steve Polakovech, lot 14, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Wm. Giffel, lot 17, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

Albert Lewandowski, lot 18, blk 1, City Assor Plat No. 4.

A four (4) foot cement walk on both sides of Woodlawn Ave. from Railroad Ave. to S. line of lot 1, Woodlawn Park Add.

B. I. Angus, lot 47, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

L. D. Mills, lots 48-46, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

Jas. Bartlett, lots 43-44, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

Walter Neff, lots 41-42, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

Edith Akins, lots 39-40, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

Chas. Hammond, lots 37-38, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

J. D. Maloney, lot 36, N 1/4 34, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

E. D. Bennett, N 1/4 lots 31, 32, 33, 34, S 1/4 35, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

Maggie M. Angus, N 1/4 lots 29, 30, S 1/4 31, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

L. R. Leffingwell, lot 28, S 1/4 29, blk 17, Woodlawn Park Add.

Nancy J. Reason, lots 21-22, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Wesley Park, lots 23-24, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

A. D. Warren, lots 25-26, S 1/4 27, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Leslie Angus, lot 28, N 1/4 27, S 1/4 20, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Ralph C. Harris, N 1/4 19, S 1/4 30, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Emma M. Kelley, lots 31-32, N 1/4 33, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

B. I. Angus, lots 33, 34, 35, S 29 ft 30, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Willis O. Hulbert, lot 37, N 10 ft 36, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

W. A. Kent, lot 38, S 1/4 39, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Clarence Rathburn, lot 40, N 1/4 39, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

F. H. Morris, lots 41-42, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

D. H. & A. E. Perley, lots 43-44, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

M. & U. Spencer, lot 45, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

H. Barnard, lots 46-47, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Wm. Allen, lots 48-49, ex N 10 ft 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Geo. S. Corey, lot 50, N 10 ft 49, blk 18, Woodlawn Park Add.

Signed, T. E. STEBBINS, Commissioner of Public Improvements.

Resolution No. 1.

Resolved, by the Commission of the City of Owosso, that it is a necessary public improvement that sidewalks be laid down and constructed in the different streets, and in front of the property above described, and of the materials and dimensions mentioned in the above report of the Commissioner of Public Improvements. An Ordinance to Provide for the Building, Construction and Repair of Sidewalks in the City of Owosso, passed and approved April 8, 1921.

The Commissioner of Public Improvements is hereby directed to notify the owners and occupants of the premises above described that the same will be built under the direction of the City in accordance with the terms of said Ordinance after the expiration of the prescribed time for notice.

ORDINANCES

Mr. Rosevear moved that the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the payment to the City Treasurer of all monies due or accruing to the City of Owosso, save as herein expressly excepted" be taken from the table, which motion prevailed, and the ordinance was put upon its passage.

Mr. Rosevear then moved to amend the ordinance for substituting for Section 2 thereof the following:

Section 2. Every license, permit or authorization given or issued by the City Clerk under any ordinance, grant or any privileges or rights of any business, trade or amusement in said City, shall bear upon its face the provision that it shall not be in force until the receipt of payment therefor shall be written or stamped thereon by the City Treasurer, and no such license, permit or authorization shall be valid until the receipt of said Treasurer appears on such bill or invoice. It shall be the duty of the police force of the City to demand of any person acting or conducting any business, show or other amusement, required by any ordinance to be licensed, the license of the person acting, performing or conducting the same, and to examine such license if any, to see whether the same bears the receipt of the City Treasurer, and if not to enforce payment for such license; and if such license is not so received, the City Clerk shall require a permit to any person to do any work coming properly under the inspection or supervision of either of such officials, which shall be by any ordinance or charter provision require a permit. The City Treasurer shall make a daily report of the licenses, permits or other authorizations issued by the City Clerk which have been paid for to said Treasurer during the previous twenty-four hours, such report to be made at the opening of business on each morning.

The amendment to said ordinance thereupon was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Mr. Rosevear then offered the following amendment to Section 1 of said ordinance, which was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Insert in the third line of Section 1, between the words "and" and "fees" the words "and water permits, and also."

Mr. Rosevear offered the following amendment to Section 3 of said ordinance, which was adopted. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

Insert in the second line of Section 3, between the words "Owosso" and "that" the punctuation and words "except ordinances relating to the water system."

The said ordinance as so amended was then passed in full as follows. Ayes, Rosevear, Stebbins and Wright.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the payment to the City Treasurer of all monies due or accruing to the City of Owosso, save as herein expressly excepted.

The City of Owosso Ordains: Section 1. That from and after the taking effect of this ordinance all monies due or accruing to the City of Owosso from any source shall be paid to the City Treasurer, and the City Clerk shall not be in force until the receipt of payment therefor shall be written or stamped thereon by the City Treasurer, and no such license, permit or authorization shall be valid until the receipt of said Treasurer appears on such bill or invoice. It shall be the duty of the police force of the City to demand of any person acting or conducting any business, show or other amusement, required by any ordinance to be licensed, the license of the person acting, performing or conducting the same, and to examine such license if any, to see whether the same bears the receipt of the City Treasurer, and if not to enforce payment for such license; and if such license is not so received, the City Clerk shall require a permit to any person to do any work coming properly under the inspection or supervision of either of such officials, which shall be by any ordinance or charter provision require a permit. The City Treasurer shall make a daily report of the licenses, permits or other authorizations issued by the City Clerk which have been paid for to said Treasurer during the previous twenty-four hours, such report to be made at the opening of business on each morning.

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