

Minutes of a called Meeting of the City Council
Austin Texas, January 21, 1896.

Hon. Lewis Hancock Mayor, presiding.

Special Meeting

Roll called.

Present: Aldermen Bechtel, Fischer, Glass, Hayden, Horton, Lambles, Platt, Powell, Robertshaw, Rosengren, Simm, Taylor, Townsend and Zicker. W. O. Scott, Alderman; Glasscock, North, Quinn, Witzschke, Redd, Schneider, Dreyfus and Sobin, S.

On motion of Alderman Bechtel the Council took a recess of 5 minutes. Council called to order.

Roll called.

Present: Aldermen Bechtel, Fischer, Glass, North, Hayden, Horton, Lambles, Platt, Powell, Robertshaw, Rosengren, Simm, Taylor, Townsend and Zicker. W. O. Scott, Alderman; Glasscock, North, Quinn, Witzschke, Redd, Schneider, Dreyfus and Sobin, S.

Call of Council to take action on Ordinance granting Austin Dams & Suburban RR Co. permission to lay tracks to Car sheds, on W 4th St.

The following call of the Council was heard:

Austin Texas, January 21, 1896.

Whereby call a special meeting of the City Council of the City of Austin to assemble in the Council Chamber of the City Hall on this day January 21, 1896, at 5 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of taking action on the ordinance granting permission to the Austin Dam and Suburban Railway Company to lay the tracks leading from its main line on South Street to its terminal on the Old Court House square.

City Marshal's notice of serving of call

Lewis Hancock Mayor.

Austin Texas, January 21, 1896, 4 P.M.

I hereby certify that the following Aldermen have been served with the above call by having it read to each of them in person, viz: Bechtel, Fischer, Glasscock, Glass, North, Hayden, Horton, Lambles, Simm, Witzschke, Platt, Powell, Robertshaw, Rosengren, Schneider, Shelley, Simm, Taylor, Townsend and Zicker, and that Alderman Bechtel has been served by having a true copy left at his place of business, he being out of the City.

James E. Lucy, City Marshal, M.C.

Ord. placed on its second reading.

Alderman Fischer moved to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on its second reading, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yea: Aldermen Bechtel, Fischer, Glass, North, Hayden, Horton, Lambles, Platt, Powell, Robertshaw, Rosengren, Simm, Taylor, Townsend and Zicker 15.
Nay: None.

The ordinance was then read as second time.

Amendments

Alderman Simm moved the following amendments:
Section 4. The permission herein granted shall be subject to all the conditions set forth in Sec. 5. of an ordinance approved July 3, 1895, and entitled "An ordinance to define and prescribe and distinguish directions and regulate the laying of the City of Austin to water works of the City of Austin and both the City of Austin and the City of San Antonio to the City of Austin and the City of San Antonio, and for the purpose of the City of Austin and the City of San Antonio."

To operate and maintain street railroads within the City of Austin, and said company shall construct and maintain proper crossings on said railroad. The amendment was adopted.

Ord. placed on the table

Ordinance moved that the same be further suspended and the ordinance placed on its third reading, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas Aldermen: Beaky, Fischer, Glass, Goeth, Hargnes, Houston, Sawless Platt, Powell, Robertshaw, Robinson, Kumbel, Taylor, Townsend and Zilker 15.
Nays None.

Third reading & final passage

The ordinance was then read a third time and passed by the following vote:
Yeas Aldermen: Beaky, Fischer, Glass, Goeth, Hargnes, Houston, Robertshaw, Platt, Powell, Robertshaw, Robinson, Kumbel, Taylor, Townsend and Zilker 15.
Nays None.

Adjourned.

On motion of Alderman Fischer the Council then adjourned.

Jno. O. Johnson
City Clerk.