

Regular Meeting of the City Council  
Austin, Texas, Aug 15<sup>th</sup> 1904  
Hon R White, Mayor, presiding

Roll Called  
Present Aldermen Crocker Haynes Hume Macken  
Miller Moore Nitsche Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate  
& Smith 12  
Absent Aldermen Maddox & Whit 2

On motion the minutes were approved as  
recorded by the clerk, without reading

Petitions, memorials etc

By Alderman Shelley, a communication from the  
City Engineer, asking the Council to appropriate the  
sum of \$250.00 to be used in repairing the streets of the City  
The communication was read and on motion laid over to  
come up with an ordinance appropriating the money

By Alderman Moore Petition from G. M. Brass asking  
obtain street repairs - Read and on motion referred to  
the streets Committee

Alderman Whit entered the Council Chamber

On motion of Alderman Shelley, Asst Assessor &  
Collector Henry Ziller was granted a leave of absence  
for two weeks, commencing Wednesday Aug 17<sup>th</sup> 1904

Reports of City Officers

The Mayor laid before the Council the reports of the City  
Treasurer, the City Marshal, the Matron of the Hospital  
& the Dog Catcher, for the month of July 1904, which  
were on motion referred to their appropriate Committees  
without reading

Reports of Standing Committees

Alderman Miller for the Water Light Committee to  
whom was referred a petition of citizens for a water  
trough on each side of Wash Avenue at the intersection  
of 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, presented a report recommending that  
the petition be granted and the trough be established  
On motion the report was adopted.

Alderman Haynes for the Finance Committee to  
whom was referred the reports of the Assessor & Collector,  
the Treasurer and the clerk, for the month of June 1904  
presented a report stating that same had been  
examined and found correct. On motion the  
report was adopted

Alderman Haynes for the Claims & accounts  
Committee, to whom was referred the complaint  
of J. Chiparo against the Pound Master, also the  
petition of Chiparo asking share pound fees refunded,  
presented a report stating that the Pound Master  
had not acted without authority as the stock were

Pets etc  
City Engineer on  
appropriation for  
street work

G. M. Brass for  
street work.

H. Ziller leave of  
absence

Reports City officers

Reports Standing  
Committees  
ml on petition citizens  
for water trough

Finance on officers  
Reports

Claims & accounts  
on petition of  
J. Chiparo etc  
Pound matter

Sanitary on  
Slaughter pens.

Hospital on  
Physicians reports

Unfinished business  
South Austin  
road.

taken up within the found limits, and as to the petition to refund found fees they recommended that it be not granted. The report was adapted  
Alderman Smith for the Sanitary Committee to whom was referred the petition of citizens to remove certain slaughter pens within the City limits, presented a report recommending that the Marshal be directed to notify all owners of slaughter pens to remove same within ten days. On motion the report was adapted  
Alderman Reed for the Hospital Committee to whom was referred the reports of the City Physician for the months of June & July 1904, presented reports stating that same had been examined and found correct. On motion the reports were adapted.

Unfinished business.  
The Mayor laid before the Council an ordinance directing the City Marshall to open a certain road in South Austin. The ordinance was read the third time.

Alderman Crocker offered the following resolution Resolved that the Mayor of the City be authorized to appoint three Engineers to locate the road now being discussed before the City Council, that the Council may vote intelligently on this subject, and that the matter be postponed until the next regular meeting, at which time they are requested to report.

Alderman Shumate moved to amend the resolution by making the number of Engineers to be appointed two and that the petitions to open the road appoint & pay one and Mr. Butler appoint & pay one, and that the City Engineer act upon the path of the City.

The amendment was accepted by Alderman Crocker. Alderman Schneider moved to further amend the resolution by adding the "Street Committee". Alderman Crocker accepted the amendment. The resolution as amended was then passed.

new business

Austin Candy mfg  
Co. building  
permit

James Hansen  
to compromise  
cases

New Business  
By Alderman Schneider, petition of the Austin Candy Mfg Co for permission to erect a building within the five limits - Read and on motion referred to the Board of five Commissioners  
The Mayor laid before the Council a communication from Mess James Hansen in reference to certain back taxes, and asking the Council to remit penalties and interest due on same. Alderman Hayes moved that the Council remit the penalties due which motion prevailed. Alderman Shelby moved that the time for payment of the taxes and interest

without penalties be limited to 20 days, which motion prevailed -

On Motion Alderman Smith was excused from further attendance at this session of the Council  
By Alderman Hayes An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$899.87 for the purpose of paying approved etc  
The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following vote  
Yeas Aldermen Crocker Hayes Hume Macken Miller Moore  
Nitschke Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate Ulitt  
Nays None. 12

app'd a/c.

ordinance prohibiting persons from working in City Cemetery

By Alderman Ulitt An ordinance prohibiting persons from working in the City Cemetery, without the consent of the City Sexton and providing a penalty for the violation thereof - Read the first time and on motion referred to the ordinance Committee

City Council ordinance

By Alderman Ulitt An ordinance amending Article 177 of the Revised penal ordinances of the City of Austin etc  
Read the first time and on motion referred to the Police Committee

\$250. for street work

By Alderman Shelley An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$250.00 for the purpose of repairing the streets of the City  
Read the first time and a motion made to suspend the rule and place it on its second reading, which was lost by the following vote

Colonization of Prostitutes etc

Yeas Aldermen Crocker Hayes Hume Miller Redd  
Schneider Shelley Shumate Ulitt 8  
Nays Aldermen Hume Macken Moore + Nitschke 4  
By Alderman Shumate An ordinance providing for the colonization into a reservation within the City of Austin of common prostitutes and lewd women, bawdy houses, houses of prostitution, disorderly houses and assignation houses, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof  
Read the first time and referred to the ordinance Committee and City Attorney

City Council instructed to work Ave + 6th

Alderman Nitschke moved that the City Engineer be instructed to continue filling the holes on Congress Avenue to street until all holes are filled up, which motion prevailed.

Invitation to Labor Celebration

The Mayor laid before the Council an invitation from the members of organized labor to participate in their annual parade on Sept 5th 1904, which invitation was accepted

\$50. for st work

By Alderman Hume An ordinance appropriating the sum of \$50.00 for repairing Congress Avenue to street  
The ordinance was read the first time and passed under suspension of the rules by the following vote

Yeas Aldermen Crooker Haynes Hume Wacker Ulliken  
Moore Nitschke Redd Schneider Shelley Shumate Ullit 12  
Nays none.

On motion the Council adjourned  
Geo. Johnson  
City Clerk

Regular Meeting of the City Council.

Austin Texas, September 5th 1904

Hon: W. D. Shelley President of the Council presiding.

Roll Called.

Present. Aldermen <sup>Secretary</sup> Moore, Nitschke, Schneider, Shelley, Shumate  
and Ullit.

Absent. Aldermen Haynes, Hume, Wacker, Maddox, Miller, Redd,  
and Smith. 7.

On motion of Alderman Crooker, the Council, adjourned until  
8 o'clock P. M. Friday September 9th 1904.

Geo: O. Johnson City Clerk  
by J. G. Anthony acting clerk.

Adjourned Regular Meeting of the City Council

Austin, Texas, Sept 9th 1904

Hon R. E. White, Mayor, presiding

Roll Called

Present Aldermen Crooker Haynes Hume Wacker  
Maddox Miller Moore Redd Schneider Shelley  
Shumate & Smith 12

Absent Aldermen Nitschke & Ullit 2

On motion the minutes were approved as  
recorded by the clerk, without reading

Petitions, Memorials etc

By the Mayor, petition of East Austin Horse Co # 4  
to have their Bell Dooon repainted -

Read and on motion referred to the fire Committee

By the Mayor, petition of R. B. Beard for permission to  
erect a wagon scale, on Dan Jacinto & Fifth Streets

Read and on motion referred to the street Committee

By the Mayor, communication from Mrs. Palmquist  
in regard to fence in alley, Lot 87 outlet #1 Div 13.

Read and on motion referred to the street  
Committee

Petitions etc

East Austin Horse  
Co to repain Bell Dooon

erect a wagon scale  
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