

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor, Mich.,
Dec. 2, 1918. Regular session.

Meeting called to order by the President. Present: Ald. Sugden, Heusel, Huss, Mayer, Henderson, Markey, Donnelly, Hauser, Spathelf, Freeman, Sink, Lutz, Pres. Reichert, 13. Absent: Ald. Prochnow, MacGregor, 2. Minutes of previous meeting approved.

Dec. 2, 1918.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and the Common Council, Ann Arbor, Michigan: Gentlemen—It is with regret that I hand you herewith my resignation as a member of the Common Council of Ann Arbor. This action is prompted because as a member of the State Legislature I shall be obliged to be absent from Ann Arbor most of the time after January first, and I feel that I should not continue as a member of this Council with the knowledge that I shall be able to attend but a few, if any, of the meetings for the next few months.

In severing my relations with this body, with which I have been associated for the past six years, I am not unmindful of the splendid consideration, co-operation and courtesy which has at all times been extended to me by its members and by other city officials.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation, not only to my colleagues but to the citizens in general, for the privilege of having served in this capacity. If my efforts have been of value to the community, I feel that I have personally been repaid many fold by the pleasure I have derived from associations with you men and the knowledge I have gained from investigating the city's problems.

Cordially yours, Charles A. Sink.

Mayor Ernst M. Wurster paid tribute to the splendid services rendered the city by Ald. Sink, and expressed the best wishes of the Common Council and citizens in his new field of endeavor.

Moved by Ald. Lutz, that the resignation of Ald. Sink be laid on the table. Adopted.

Enter Ald. Prochnow.

Claim of Charles Lang and Caroline Lang for alleged damages to their property at 819 W. Washington st., from stoppage of sewer on Nov. 14, 1918, received and referred to City Attorney.

Petition of Mrs. Barbara Zastrow for sanitary sewer on Seventh st., between Huron and Washington sts., received and referred to Sewer committee.

Committee Reports.

Finance Report.

Contingent Fund.

I. G. Reynolds, salary and clerk hire	\$166.66
Ross Granger, salary and clerk hire	160.00
Herbert W. Crippen, salary	125.00
Geo. H. Sandenburgh, salary	166.66
Alfred J. Paul, salary	150.00
F. Leslie Feiner, salary	125.00
Julius Lohrke, salary	90.00
Frank B. Devine, salary	83.33
R. M. Caughey, salary	80.00
M. E. Easterly, salary	65.00
John A. Wessinger, salary	50.00
Douglas Bycraft, salary	60.00
Ura G. Richert, salary	50.00
John F. Blinn, salary	25.00
M. C. Ryan salary, half month	51.23

Total salaries for November\$1,447.88

Fire Fund

Chas. Andrews, salary	\$ 66.66
Eugene Williams, salary	56.38
Ralph Edwards, salary	56.38
Henry McLaren, salary	53.48
Jacob Gwinner, salary	53.48
Harley Wise, salary	51.23
Martin Noll, salary	51.23
Frank Markey, salary	51.23
Herman Kruse, salary	51.23
Emil Dammin, salary	51.23
Mat. Heining, salary	51.23
Benj. Zahn, salary	51.23
Raymond Gillespie, salary	51.23
Floyd Naylor, salary	47.55
Earl Arnold, salary	47.55
Claud Cobb, salary	47.55
Fred Nordman, salary	47.55
Chas Carroll, salary	33.69
Frank Kapp, salary	33.69

Fire fund total salaries, half month, November\$953.80

Police Fund.

Thos. O'Brien, salary	\$ 66.66
Wm. April, salary	51.23
Gustave Meyer, salary	51.23
Ed. Blumhardt, salary	51.23
Emanuel Sadt, salary	51.23
Marland Howard, salary	51.23
Robert Clark, salary	51.23
Henry Harden, salary	51.23
Fred Sadt, salary	51.23
Clyde Bennett, salary	51.23
Joseph Gast, salary	47.55
Frank Marz, salary	47.55

Police fund total salaries, half month, November\$622.83

Poor Fund.

John H. Shadford, salary	\$ 35.00
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Cemetery Fund.

David Staebler, salary	\$ 70.00
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Park Fund.

Ray E. Bassett, salary	\$125.00
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Water Works Fund.

Geo. S. Vandawarker, salary	\$166.66
R. Spokes, salary	166.66
Dr. H. Emerson, salary	50.00
A. W. Cochran, salary	10.00
Geo. Mann, salary	20.00
John Lindenschmitt, salary	20.00
Wirt Cornwell, salary	20.00

Total monthly salaries\$453.32
Harry Willsher, salary\$ 45.00

Leslie Bush salary	45.00
Robert Rowe, salary	42.50
Harry Warren, salary	37.50
Henry Linde, salary	45.00
John Volland, salary	37.50
John Schwikert, salary	37.50
A. E. Hawkes, salary	42.50
Cliff Shetterly, salary	50.00
Louise Malloy, salary	42.50
Russell, Pryce, salary	32.50

Total semi-monthly salaries\$457.50

Water Works fund total salaries.\$910.82

Contingent Fund.

Board of Review—	
Mark B. Sugden, services	\$ 5.00
Samuel Heusel, services	5.00
John Huss, services	5.00
Oswald Mayer, services	5.00
Wm. Henderson, services	5.00
Theo. Prochnow, services	5.00
John Markey, services	5.00
Chris. Donnelly, services	5.00
Oscar Hauser, services	5.00
Geo. Spathelf, services	5.00
C. C. Freeman, services	5.00
John MacGregor, services	5.00
Chas. Sink, services.....	5.00
Geo. Lutz, services	5.00
R. E. Reichert, services	5.00

Total Board of Review\$ 75.00

Engineer Dept.

Emanuel Holzappel, services	\$ 13.20
H. M. Woodward, services	32.00
F. G. Hanselman, services	5.06

Total Engineer Dept.\$ 50.26

Henry H. Wagoner, collecting gar- bage	\$500.00
Eleanore Howley, services	12.00
Keuffel & Esser Co., supplies	27.20
The Mayer-Schairer Co., supplies ..	15.00
Swisher Grocer Co., supplies	11.00
The Times News Co., printing	204.20
Painter's Restaurant, meals, election	10.80
C. E. Godfrey, cartage, etc.89

Total supplies, etc.\$781.09

Contingent fund total including salaries\$2,354.23

Fire Fund.

Geo. Gillespie, substitute	\$ 20.60
Washtenaw Gas Co., light	7.97
The Detroit Edison Co., light	4.25
American-LaFrance Fire Engine Co., supplies	15.00
Dean & Co., Ltd., supplies	36.65
Jno. C. Fischer Co., supplies	2.26
Chas. Andrews, express, etc., paid..	1.55

Total supplies, etc.,\$ 88.28

Fire fund total including salaries\$1,042.08

Police Fund.

The Western Union Telegraph Co., telegram	\$ 1.15
Mich. State Tel. Co., tolls	2.05
Thos. O'Brien, detective services paid	10.00
Standard Oil Co., coupon book	20.00
The Ann Arbor Machine Co., signs ..	6.00
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	7.95
City Garage, cartage50
The Machine Specialty Co., repairs..	1.75

A. C. Marquart Garage, repairs90
Seybold & Co., repairs	1.00
Ann Arbor Garage, repairs, atuo	3.52
Chevrolet Garage, repairs, auto	1.25
Henry S. Platt, repairs, auto	1.60

Total supplies, etc.,\$ 57.67

Police fund total including salaries\$680.50

Poor Fund.

Alice Woodbridge, treas. Old La- dies' Home	\$ 12.00
Geo. W. Fiegel, supplies	5.00
Steve Brousalis, supplies	10.18
Bigalke & Reule, supplies	10.08
R. A. Dolph, burial	10.00
A. Lemble, supplies	2.11

Total supplies, etc.,\$ 49.37

Poor fund total including salary..\$ 84.37

Cemetery Fund.

Jno. C. Fischer Co., supplies\$ 13.41

Cemetery fund total including salary\$ 83.41

Park Fund.

H. M. Woodward, services	\$.50
Miss A. M. Spathelf, supplies	2.85
Sugden Drug Co., supplies	1.45
E. A. Wisdom, repairs	4.60

Total supplies, etc.,\$ 9.40

Park fund total including salary..\$134.40

Water Works Fund.

Electro Bleaching Gas Co., supplies..	\$ 57.57
Crane Co., supplies	26.58
Hochrein & Co., supplies60
Standard Oil Co., supplies	36.93
Electro Bleaching Gas Co., supplies	2.64
C. E. Godfrey, cartage, etc.,	13.22
Water Works Dept., expenses	3.00

Total supplies, etc.,\$140.54

F. Rhodenbecker, labor \$ 28.35 |

A. Molkentine, labor 24.30 |

W. Keene, labor 20.40 |

Total labor\$ 73.05

Water Works fund total includ-
ing salaries\$1,124.41

Special Water Works Fund.

C. E. Godfrey, cartage	\$ 21.50
Mich. State Telephone Co., service ..	7.46
J. B. Clow & Sons, supplies	2,838.29
Baker & Stewart, contract	3,157.60
C. J. Snyder & Sons, cartage	35.71
Flower-Stephens Mfg. Co., supplies.	71.40
Ann Arbor Railroad Co., freight	3.09
Holland, Ackerman & Holland, con- tract	716.00
A. R. Cole Co., contract	2,095.00

Special Water Works fund total \$8,946.05

Street Fund.

L. G. Bird, labor	\$ 47.70
Wm. Clark, labor	31.34
Emanuel Holzappel, labor	24.80
Sam. Horning, labor	14.70
Sam Kalmbach, labor	24.00
Matt. Koch, labor	25.80
James Mason, labor	39.80
W. H. Romig, labor	27.50
Adam Schlecht, labor	5.34

Frederick Ullrich, labor	14.00
Martin Walsh, labor	34.30
Mike Weidman, labor	23.50
Jno. Wendland, labor	29.00
Geo. Zieffle, labor	23.50
Chas. Flewelling, team	70.39
W. J. Grayer, team	70.39
Fred G. Hanselman, team	78.56
Jno. H. Herrst, labor	77.78
Jno. Miller, labor	69.22
Carl Rehberg, team	67.67
Claud Young, team	80.11

Total labor, etc.,	\$879.40
The Western Union Telegraph Co., telegram	\$.44
Mich. State Tel. Co., tolls25
Louis Rominger, services	3.50
Standard Oil Co., coupon book	10.00
The Studebaker Cor. of America, supplies	7.20
Dean & Co., Ltd., gasoline	14.27
Jno. C. Fischer Co., supplies	4.68
The C. A. Sauer Co., Inc., supplies..	3.50
Schumacher Hardware Co., supplies	1.80
Staebler & Co., supplies75
Washtenaw Gas Co., tar	108.80
The John Koch Co., sand	5.50
Mrs. E. W. Shepard, gravel	3.45
L. C. Weinman, gravel	38.00
City Garage, repairs	8.50
Hutzel & Co. repairs	21.95
The Machine Specialty Co., repairs..	2.50
D. J. Malloy, repairs, etc.	16.05
Henry S. Platt, repairs	2.40
Seybold & Co., repairs	5.00
E. A. Wisdom, repairs	1.50
A. J. Paul, express paid42

Total supplies, etc.,

Street fund total

RECAPITULATION.

Contingent	\$ 2,354.23
Fire	1,042.08
Police	680.50
Poor	84.37
Cemetery	83.41
Park	134.40
Water Works	1,124.41
Special Water Works	8,946.05
Street	1,139.86

City funds

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 2, 1918.

To the Finance Committee of the Common Council: Gentlemen—I have examined the foregoing accounts against the city of Ann Arbor, and I hereby certify that they are correct to the best of my knowledge.

ISAAC G. REYNOLDS,
City Clerk.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Finance committee has reviewed the foregoing report. Warrants for salaries were drawn Dec. 2, 1918. We recommend that same be approved and that warrants be ordered drawn for the foregoing accounts.

GEO. LUTZ, O. R. MAYER, Finance Committee.

Ald. Lutz moved the adoption of report, which was adopted by the following vote: Yeas, Ald. Sugden, Heusel, Huss, Mayer, Henderson, Prochnow, Markey, Donnelly, Hauser, Spathelf, Freeman, Sink, Lutz, Pres. Reichert, 14. Nays, none.

now, Markey, Donnelly, Hauser, Spathelf, Freeman, Sink, Lutz, Pres. Reichert, 14. Nays, none.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Finance committee, to whom was referred the request from the Ann Arbor Federation of Charities for an appropriation, has had the matter under consideration, and recommends that the sum of two hundred dollars be appropriated from the contingent fund, to said society, for charitable purposes, and that the City Clerk be instructed to draw warrant for same.

Respectfully submitted, Geo. Lutz, O. R. Mayer, Finance committee.

Adopted by the following vote: Yeas, Ald. Sugden, Heusel, Huss, Mayer, Henderson, Prochnow, Markey, Donnelly, Hauser, Spathelf, Freeman, Sink, Lutz, Pres. Reichert, 14. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Lutz, that the City Clerk be instructed to draw warrant in payment of taxes on the city property known as the Steere farm.

Adopted by the following vote: Yeas, Ald. Sugden, Heusel, Huss, Mayer, Henderson, Prochnow, Markey, Donnelly, Hauser, Spathelf, Freeman, Sink, Lutz, Pres. Reichert, 14. Nays, none.

Ald. Lutz called attention that city would be exempt from taxation on Steere farm property when used for water supply, and requested City Attorney to meet with Township Board at the proper time.

Lighting Committee Report.

To the Honorable, the Common Council: Gentlemen—Your Lighting committee respectfully recommends that an arc light be placed at the S. W. corner of Berkshire road and Hill st.

Respectfully yours, J. W. Markey, M. B. Sugden, Lighting Committee.

Ald. Markey moved the adoption of report, which was adopted by the following vote: Yeas, Ald. Sugden, Heusel, Huss, Mayer, Henderson, Prochnow, Markey, Donnelly, Hauser, Spathelf, Freeman, Sink, Lutz, Pres. Reichert, 14. Nays, none.

Ald. Sugden and Ald. Mayer called attention to a number of street lights out, and the matter was referred to Lighting committee with instructions to take up immediately with the Detroit Edison Co.

Water Committee.

Ald. Henderson presented the following report which was ordered printed in the minutes.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 2, 1918.

To the Honorable Common Council, of the City of Ann Arbor, Mich.: Gentlemen—Respectfully referred to you for information in regard to progress of Steere farm construction.

Very truly yours, Wirt Cornwell, Geo. J. Mann, John Lindenschmitt, Water Commissioners; Wm. L. Henderson, O. R. Mayer, Geo. Lutz, Water Committee of Council.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 30, 1918.

The Water Committee of the Common Council, and the Board of Water Commissioners, Ann Arbor, Michigan: Gentlemen—The progress of the Steere farm water development is as follows:

Force Main—Pipe has been laid for 6,600 feet from Hill street south on State street; 2,800 feet has been tested and accepted, and 3,800 feet is under test at the present time, and back filling will begin within a day or so. The contractor is bringing another trenching machine to put on this work to expedite the progress.

Power House—The concrete work of the power house, including the main floor, is completed, and the brick layers started work this morning. Excavation has been started for an operator's house, and this work will be carried along with the construction of the power house. The contract has been let for heating of the power house. The Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company have notified us that we can expect shipment of the pump January 1st, 1919. All of the special pipings to connect up the pump has been ordered and shipment promised within the next two weeks.

Wells—Contract have been let for additional wells and the contractor started driving these wells this morning.

Very truly yours, Holland, Ackerman & Holland, Consulting Engineers, by H. K. Holland.

Officers' Reports.

Report of Acting Marshal for month of November received and ordered on file.

Nov. 19, 1918.

To the Honorable, Common Council, Ann Arbor, Michigan: Sirs—I submit the following distribution of cost for West Hoover ave., sanitary sewer, District No. 86:

Total cost	\$990.66
City's share	55.97
Property share	934.69

Respectfully submitted, Geo. H. Sandenburgh, City Engineer.

Nov. 19, 1918.

To the Honorable, Common Council, Ann Arbor, Michigan: Sirs—I submit the following distribution of cost for Ninth st. sanitary sewer, District No. 87:

Total cost	\$309.14
City's share	24.44
Property share	284.70

Respectfully submitted, Geo. H. Sandenburgh, City Engineer.

By Ald. Mayer: Resolved, that the distribution of cost for construction of sanitary sewers Nos. 86 and 87, as presented by the City Engineer, be adopted, and the City Clerk is hereby instructed to certify the same to the City Assessor.

Adopted by the following vote: Yeas, Ald. Sugden, Heusel, Huss, Mayer, Henderson, Prochnow, Markey, Donnelly, Hauser, Spathelf, Freeman, Sink, Lutz, Pres. Reichert, 14. Nays, none.

Mayor Wurster informed Council that Otto's band had not received compensation for their services rendered during the city celebration of signing of armistice, and on motion of Ald. Sink, the matter was referred to Finance committee.

On motion of Ald. Donnelly, Council adjourned.

ISAAC G. REYNOLDS,
City Clerk.