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Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

#### City Officers

Reports of City Engineer and Street Commissioner for month of Sept. received and ordered on file.

Ald. Jocelyn informed Council that Ald. Graf had met with a serious accident and moved that Council extend sympathy and the City Clerk be instructed to send flowers, which motion was adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Lucas, that the request of City Assessor for extra help be granted if within the budget for his department.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Slauson that time be extended for the construction of sidewalk on the south side of West Washington-st. extending eastward one lot from Crest-av. and permission be granted to owner of property to build his own sidewalk under the usual requirements.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

Mr. M. N. Allmendinger extended an invitation to Council to attend a conference on highway safety to be held at Detroit Nov. 15, 1926.

Mayor Campbell requested that a special committee be appointed to consider the question of mailing out duplicate tax receipts to tax payers before collection period.

Moved by Ald. Jocelyn, that the Chair appoint a special committee of three as requested by the Mayor.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

Chair appointed Ald. Slauson, Lucas and Dwyer.

Mayor Campbell requested a meeting of the Police Committee and Board of Police Commissioners to formulate plans for enforcement of ordinances and report to Council.

Moved by Ald. Lutz that request of Mayor be granted.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Lucas that the City Engineer be instructed to take up the matter personally with Mr. Frank F. Rogers relative to agreement of State Highway Dept. to widen Traver-st., provided the City Clerk does not receive a reply to his communication this week.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Freeman that the Mayor, City Attorney, Chairman of Street Committee and City Engineer be authorized to see upon what terms an option for one year can be procured on certain property as reported to Council.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Baluss, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 10. Nays—None.

Moved by Ald. Lucas that the Sidewalk Committee present a report of necessary repairs of sidewalks for entire city at a meeting to be held next Monday night and that when we adjourn we do so to meet Oct. 25, 1926, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas—Ald. Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Sweet, Lucas, Freeman, Lutz, Young, Pres. Woodbury; 8. Nays—Ald. Slauson, Baluss; 2.

On motion of Ald. Sweet, Council adjourned.

ISAAC G. REYNOLDS,  
City Clerk.

Council Chamber, Ann Arbor,  
Mich., Oct. 25, 1926.

#### Adjourned Regular Meeting

Meeting called to order by City Clerk and Ald. Freeman chosen to preside pro. tem.

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Absent: Ald. Graf, Sweet, Moore,  
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On account of repairs in Council chamber, on motion of Ald. Jocelyn, the meeting was adjourned from council chamber and reconvened in the office of the Mayor.

Temporary injunction restraining city from changing the grade of sidewalk on Hill st., adjacent to property of The Michigamme Oil Company, received and referred to city attorney.

#### Sidewalk Committee Report

To the Honorable Common council of the City of Ann Arbor, Michigan Gentlemen.

Your Committee on sidewalks respectfully reports as follows.

During the current year we have recommended, and you have adopted the recommendation, the construction of new walks before 184 lots, the construction of entire or half blocks aggregating 41 entire city block, and the repair or partially new construction of walks before 41 other lots.

The recommendations and your acceptance of them for last year, covered 247 single lots, 32 city blocks and 48 partially new or repair construction.

It is estimated that last year's program involved an expense to city and citizens of approximately \$30,000, and that this year's program will run somewhat over \$27,000.

The Budget for this year include items of \$4,000 for grading, \$2,200, for extension walks, and \$2,700 for crosswalks, this provides \$8,900 for the city's expenditure for walks.

Last year, a proposed budget allowed \$2,543.00 for sidewalks.

For a number of years, there have been a considerable number of walks ordered that were not built. This year it seems probable

that all that have been ordered and not either rescinded or held up on account of possible changes in grade or width of street will be built. The Board of Public Works and the City Engineer should be given credit for carrying on a vigorous campaign in sidewalk construction.

Respectfully submitted,

H. H. Slauson, H. D. Baluss,

J. Edgar Dwyer.

Sidewalk Committee.

Moved by Ald Lucas, that report be accepted.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Dwyer, Hammial, Baluss, Bursley, Freeman, 8. Ald. Slauson excused from voting.

Ald. Freeman mentioned a number of sidewalks which should be repaired.

Exit Ald. Bursley.

Moved by Ald. Lucas, that the members of Common Council and of the Board of Public Works meet as a committee of the whole to take up the matter of the city building and repairing sidewalks.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Dwyer, Hammial, Baluss, Freeman, 8. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald. Lucas, that during the winter each Alderman be requested to report defective sidewalks, giving street and number.

Adopted by following vote. Yeas Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Dwyer, Hammial, Baluss, Freeman, 8. Nays, none.

Moved by Ald Hammial, that the Board of Public Works be instructed to repair the most dangerous walks in the city.

Adopted by following vote: Yeas, Ald. Slauson, Jocelyn, Maulbetsch, Lucas, Dwyer, Hammial, Baluss, Freeman, 8. Nays, none.

On motion of Ald. Jocelyn, council adjourned.

ISAAC G. REYNOLDS,

City Clerk