

The Council met in regular session with President Barnard in the chair.

The roll being called, the following members answered to their names: Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, J. H. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. Present 7, absent 0.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communications read relative to watchmen and crossings

Communications between the City Solicitor and Mr. E. W. Brown, Supt. of the New York Central Railroad Co. relative to the watchmen at crossings, gates, etc. and blowing the whistles to such an extent as is practised at times in certain parts of the City, were read to Council and ordered filed.

The Mayor submitted the following communication.

Alliance, Ohio, October 18th, 1920.

To the Hon. Council,

Kind Sirs:

In compliance your Ordinance 96-C I this day appoint as members of our Municipal Hospital Commission, the following names, to-wit: Dr. Perry King, H. L. Walthour, Robert C. Hopkins and D. R. Floyd.

Whom I hope will meet your approval, Your immediate action will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

C. S. Westover, Mayor

Weaver moved seconded by Lower that the confirmation of these gentlemen as members of the Board of the Hospital Commission be approved which motion was agreed to.

The City Auditor submitted the following statement to Council.

Alliance, Ohio.

To the Council of the City of Alliance, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

Pursuant to resolution No.... I beg to submit herewith a financial statement showing the condition of the General, Safety, Service, Health Fund in accordance with the form as set forth in House Bill No. 712 Passed January 22nd, 1920.

Cash on hand, statement No. 1,	General Fund	\$ 11247.90	
	Safety Fund	1895.23	
	Health Fund	1910.03	
	Service Fund	3891.31	
Taxes estimated to come into the treasury, statement No. 4	General Fund	\$ 2666.83	
	Safety Fund	2824.90	
	Health Fund	1574.82	
	Service Fund	3512.90	
Other revenue estimated to come into the treasury, statement No. 5	General Fund	\$ 10470.00	
	Safety Fund	1736.91	
	Health Fund	399.76	
	Service Fund	1425.91	
No. 2 Unfunded indebtedness statement	General Fund		
	Safety Fund		\$ 10000.00
	Health Fund		
	Service		
Estimated amount necessary to provide for the fund charges and current expenses for last six month of the 1920 as per statement of the year, 1920, as per statement No. 3	General Fund	\$ 24384.73	
	Health Fund	2490.45	
	Safety Fund	34102.31	
	Service Fund	27179.01	
Estimated Eficit	General Fund	\$ 0000.00	
	Safety Fund	37645.27	
	Health Fund	1394.16	
	Service Fund	18348.89	

The State of Ohio)

Stark County)

Chas. O. Silver, being first duly sworn, says that he is the City Auditor of the City of Alliance, and that the above statement shows the condition of the several funds as of July 1st, 1920, as ascertained by him from the records of said department and that there will be a deficiency existing between the fixed charges

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and current expenses, and the revenue now in the Treasury and estimated to come into the Treasury in an amount not less than Fifty-four Thousand Six Hundred Dollars, on the 31st day of December, 1920.

Chas. O. Silver

Sworn to by the said Chas. O. Silver and subscribed in my presence this 18th day of October, 1920.

John J. Brown,
Notary Public

City Engineer reports on work at Water Works dam.

The City Engineer reported upon the work of repairing the Water Works dam now in progress. He also brought attention to the Rockhill Crossing of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. at the Transue Williams Plant and explained on account of the illness of Service Director McConnell, an official from the Railroad had called upon him to investigate and bring to light the legislation permitting the Transue Williams Company to keep the street open at this point. The action was not covered by Ordinance or agreement or writing. Council will investigate the matter.

Watchman for N. Y. C. R. R. Co. addresses Council

The Watchman for the New York Central R. R. crossing at Main & Mechanic sts. addressed Council showing the necessity of keeping a watchman at the point on or near the street where the best view of trains going up or down could be had. The controversy on the location of the Watchman's house or the Watchman's shanty was not discussed at the time.

Supt. of Water Works reports upon condition of water.

The Superintendent of the Water Works, Mr. Stanley reported upon the condition of the present supply of Water and made a statement of the quantity as well as the quality of the City's supply at the present time. If there was plenty of water on hand and in the Westville Reservoir the unpleasant features connected with the water would not exist. The water at the reservoir is now at low ebb.

The following ordinances and resolutions were introduced:

Ordinance No. 132-C

Mr. Weaver:

Introduction of Ord. No. 132-C

An ordinance to make supplementary appropriations to the regular semi-annual appropriation for the current expenses and other expenditures of the City of Alliance was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 133-C

Mr. Lower:

Introduction of Ord. No. 133-C

An ordinance to establish a planning commission for the city of Alliance was read the first time and referred to the Committee of the whole.

Ordinance No. 134-C

Mr. Lower:

Introduction of Ord. No. 134-C

An ordinance authorizing and directing the Director of Public Service to enter into contract for the purchase of chlorine for the use of the City Water Works was read the first time and referred to the Water Committee for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 135-C

Mr. Lower:

Introduction of Ord. No. 135-C

An ordinance providing for the regulation of hotels, rooming houses and lodging houses within the City of Alliance and providing penalties for the violation thereof and declaring an emergency was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary committee.

Ordinance No. 137-C

Mr. Lower:

Introduction of Ord. No. 137-C

An ordinance to provide for the regulation of public dances and the licensing and regulating of public dance halls and penalties for violation thereof was read the first time and referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Ordinance No. 138-C

Introduction of Ord. No. 138-C

Mr. Lower: An ordinance to issue bonds in the sum of \$54,600.00 for the purpose

of funding deficiencies in operating revenues for the year 1920 was read and referred to the Finance Committee for immediate action.

Ordinance No. 131-C

Mr. Weaver:

Introduction of Ord. 131-C

An ordinance to authorize the payment of all fees, costs, and penalties arising in connection with the Municipal Court in the Safety Fund of the City of Alliance, Ohio was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee for immediate action.

Introduction of Ord. 139-C

Mr. Weaver introduced ^{du} Resolution No. 139-C which was referred to the Finance Committee.

Reports of Standing Committees.

On motion of Weaver seconded by H. T. Miller Council referred back to the fourth order of business, reports of standing committees.

The Finance Committee submitted Ordinance 131-C, 132-C, 138-C, and 139-C and recommended their passage.

Report of Finance Com.

Weaver
H. T. Miller
Hall

The report of the committee was agreed to.

The Water Committee submitted Ordinance 134-C and recommended its passage.

Report of Water Com.

Lower
Weaver
Hall

The report of the Committee was agreed to.

THIRD READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Ordinance No. 124-C

Mr. S. P. Hall:

Third Reading of Ordinance No. 124-C

To regulate the location, erection and maintenance of public gasoline or oil filling stations or public automobile garages in the City of Alliance was read the third time. The question being on the passage of the Ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 1. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller Ryan, and Weaver. Mr. J. H. Miller voted in the negative. So the Ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 125-C

Mr. Ryan:

Third Reading of Ordinance No. 125-C

An ordinance providing parking space for drays, busses and common carriers in the City of Alliance, Ohio, was read the third time. The question being on the passage of the ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 1. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, Ryan, Weaver, J. H. Miller. Mr. H. T. Miller voted in the negative. So the ordinance was passed.

J.H. Miller excused.

Councilman J. H. Miller was excused for the rest of the evening.

Resolution No. 139-C

Mr. Weaver:

Passage of Res. 139-C

Whereas, Mr. Chas. D. Silver, City Auditor of the City of Alliance, has prepared a financial statement of the City of Alliance as of the first day of July, 1920, and an estimate of the amount necessary to provide for the deficiency charges and current expenses of said city for the remainder of the current year of 1920, such statement having been prepared in conformity with the requirements of an act of the 83rd General Assembly of Ohio on January 22, 1920 passed House Bill No. 712 entitled "An act to authorize taxing authorities of Municipal corporations to fund deficiencies in operating revenues for the year 1920, issue bonds and to levy taxes for such purposes, was read the first time. Weaver moved seconded by H. T. Miller that the rules requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and Resolution No. 139-C be read the second and third time.

The question being on the suspension of the rules the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the Resolution read the second and third time. The question being on the passage of the Resolution the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the Resolution was passed.

Ordinance No. 132-C

Passage of Ordinance No. 132-C

Weaver moved seconded by Ryan that the statutory rules requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and ordinance No. 132-C be read the second and third time. The question being on the suspension of the rules the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read the second and third time. The question being on the passage of the Ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 138-C

Passage of Ordinance No. 138-C

Ryan moved seconded by Weaver that the statutory rules requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and ordinance No. 138-C be read the second and third time. The question being on the suspension of the rules the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read the second and third time. The question being on the passage of the Ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 134-C

Passage of Ordinance No. 134-C

Lower moved seconded by Ryan that the statutory rules requiring ordinances and resolutions to be read on three different days be suspended and ordinance No. 134-C be read the second and third time. The question being on the suspension of the rules the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the rules were suspended and the Ordinance read the second and third time. The question being on the passage of the Ordinance, the yeas and nays were taken and resulted yeas 6, nays 0. Those who voted in the affirmative were Messrs. Cary, Hall, Lower, H. T. Miller, Ryan, and Weaver. So the ordinance was passed.

Ordinance No. 133-C to be presented to Labor Union and Kiwanis Club for their consideration

On motion of Weaver seconded by Lower, Mr. Hall, Chairman of the committee of the whole to whom was referred Ordinance No. 133-C, was instructed to present said Ordinance to the Central Labor Union, the Kiwanis Club and Chamber of Commerce for their consideration.

On motion of Lower seconded by Weaver, Council adjourned.

Attest:

Chas. Silver
City Auditor

Chas. E. Bassett
President of Council