

Council Chamber Minutes O Oct 16 1893

Council met in regular session with President Wilson in the Chair and the following Members present. Bush Bush Cowan Crumbugh Davidson Harris absent lawyer Deft Love William Gabele.

The clerk being absent on motion of Davidson Mr Harris was elected clerk pro tem.

Petition for
sidewalks on
Liberty st

A petition was read asking for sidewalks on Liberty Avenue and on motion of Bush the sidewalk committee was directed to prepare sidewalk notices to be served on property owners on the east side of Liberty Avenue from Summit Street to the first alley south of Garwood Street

Rockhill road

Bush made a statement with reference to the Rockhill road injunction case and the bridge on Lincoln Avenue and suggested that prompt action should be taken looking toward the dismissing of the suit to enjoin the closing of the Rockhill road and to close the contract between the city and the Railway Company

To grade
Grant and
Hester Avenues

Davidson spoke of the ~~necessity~~ proposition to grade Grant Street and urged the necessity of reconsidering the action taken by council with reference thereto at its last meeting Harris

moved a reconsideration of the motion to accept the bid of S.S. Grimes to grade said street. Motion carried Yeas 7 nays none

Mr Grimes being present was asked to state when the work would be completed if the contract was let to him and he stated that if the weather would permit the work would be completed in a week or ten days. A vote on awarding the contract was then taken and carried Yeas 7 nays none

Davidson urged the matter of grading Hester Avenue was necessary and moved that the contract be awarded to S.S. Grimes at his bid of \$30⁰⁰.

Carried Yeas 7 nays none. On Motion of Davidson the street Committee was authorized to enter into a written contract with Mr Grimes to have these two improvements completed within thirty days

C & P Crossing
Summit st

Bush moved that the street Committee be directed to investigate and make report of the matter of bridge across the C & P R.R. at Summit Street.

Ash Street On Motion of Bush the street Committee was directed to investigate the condition of affairs at the east end of Ash Street and report at the next meeting the best means of disposing of surface water collected there.

water on
alley in 6th
ward President Wilson reported much complaint in the 6th ward as to surface water in the alley near state street. and on motion of Bush the matter was referred to the sewer Committee to investigate and report at next meeting.

report of
Judiciary
Committee
on bill of
Anderson Harris of the Judiciary Committee submitted the following report: We the undersigned members of the Judiciary Committee to whom was referred the matter of ascertaining the City's liability to pay a bill presented by W. M. Anderson as Sanitary policeman desire to report that in our judgment the city is probably liable to pay this bill upon application and certificate of the board of health as provided by ~~law~~ Statute. We are advised that no such application or certificate has been filed as required by law. and until this is done we are of the opinion that Council is not required by law to pay the claim and should not do so. signed H. W. Harris
W. B. Carbaugh Sec. Cowan Judiciary Committee

Bids for
Rush st
sewer Reading of bids for Rush Street Sewer was called for. The several bids were read by the clerk and an abstract of the same prepared by the engineer was read. This abstract showed that the bid of