Council Chambers-City Council
City Hall-City of Lodi
Monday,March 2nd.,1931

This regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi was called to order by the Mayor at 8.05 o'clock P.M. on the date first above written, Councilmen Keagle, Roach, Steele, Weihe and Spooner present, none absent.

The minutes of the last regular meeting held February 16, 1931 were read, approved as read and so endorsed by the Mayor.

On application, the Chief of Police was authorized to purchase an automobile siren from Mr B.C.Dougherty for the sum of $50.00.

Mr T. Min of Glendale, Mr R.H.Witt of Stockton and Mr E.T.A.Bartlett of Tracy applied by letter for appointment as City Engineer.

Mr Glenn West reported that he had again interviewed Supervisior Stuckenbruck regarding the Cherokee Lane matter and that County Engineer Manthey was preparing to report. The Clerk said that some of the interested property owners had stated to him that they favored the use of cement concrete pavement instead of asphalt.

Reports of the Chief of Police and of the City Poundmaster for the month of February were received, read and ordered accepted and filed.

In response to the recommendation of the League of California Municipalities and on motion duly put and carried, the Clerk was directed to recommend to the representatives of this district in the State Legislature that Senate Bills No. 52 and 53 relating to public liability be favored for passage.

ORDINANCE NO. 183 "AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 108 ENTITLED " AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A CITY PLANNING COMMISSION WITHIN THE CITY OF LODI" was introduced on motion of Councilman Steele, Keagle second and by the same period laid over for the statutory period of not less than five days.

ORDINANCE NO. 184 " AN ORDINANCE REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 110 ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE PLANTING, THE REMOVAL AND CARE OF TREES AND SHRUBS IN THE STREETS OF THE CITY OF LODI" was introduced on motion of Councilman Roach, Weihe second, and by the same motion laid over for the statutory period of not less than five days.

Superintendent of Streets B.C.Dougherty was instructed to repair Crescent Avenue.

Superintendent of Public Utilities, John A. Henning, by letter recommended certain changes and additions in the water main system leading from the City pump in the Lodi Barnhart Tract and on motion of Councilman Weihe, Keagle second, he was instructed to proceed with the work in the manner outlined.

Mr Henning also called the attention of the City Council to the amount and numbers of delinquent water and light bills stating that owing to the present financial depression it was difficult and nearly impossible to make certain collection. Mr Henning was directed to continue his efforts.

In regards to the ball park in Lawrence Park; it was directed that the Coty donate the sum of $150.00 towards its enclosure and that the users thereof, when stated gate charges were made, should donate 10% of the gross proceeds of the games toward its further improvement.

Bills in the amount of $11,704.39 having been approved by the Finance Committee, the same were ordered paid on motion of Councilman Weihe, Roach second.

Mr John A. Henning stated that the annual meeting of the Publicly Owned Gas and Electric Systems of the State of California would be held at the Sacramento Hotel, Sacramento, Calif. on March 4th and 5th. Mr Henning and the City Clerk were directed to attend the meeting.

No further business appearing, the meeting adjourned until 8 o'clock P.M. of Monday, March 9th., 1931 on motion of Councilman Weihe, Keagle second.

Attest:- J. F. Bradley
City Clerk.

The foregoing minutes read and approved without correction at a regular meeting of the City Council held Monday, March 16th., 1931.

N. A. Rooney
Mayor of the City of Lodi

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