

Grand Junction, Colorado
December 14, 1915.

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction convened in regular session at four o'clock p.m., in the City Hall, with Mayor Cherrington in the chair.

Upon call of roll, the following Commissioners responded as present: Cherrington, Vorbeck, Holmburg. Absent: Commissioners Carson and Blackstone.

City Attorney Tupper was present.

The minutes of the regular meeting of December 7th and adjourned session of December 11th were read and approved.

The proof of publication of a proposed ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance Approving the Whole Cost of the Improvements Made in and for Paving and Sidewalk District No. 5 in the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, Pursuant to Ordinance No. 178, adopted and approved June 11, 1910, as amended, Etc.," was presented and read.

On motion of Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, the proof of publication was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, that the proposed ordinance be taken up for final passage.

The motion carried, and the proposed ordinance was then read by the Clerk.

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Holmburg, that the proposed ordinance as read and entitled, "An Ordinance Approving the Whole Cost of the Improvements Made in and for Paving and Sidewalk District No. 5 in the City of Grand Junction, Colorado, Pursuant to Ordinance Number 178, adopted and approved June 11, 1910, as amended, and Pursuant to the Resolutions and Proceedings of the City Council, adopted Pursuant to said Ordinance Number 178, as amended, Approving the Apportionment of said Costs to each Lot or Tract of Land in said District, Assessing the Share of said Cost Against each Lot or Tract of Land in said District, and Prescribing the Manner for the Collection and Payment of said Assessment," passed and adopted.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners present having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the ordinance passed and adopted.

Moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck,

that the ordinance just passed be numbered 242.

The motion carried, and it was so ordered.

The proof of publication of a proposed ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance Levying a Special Assessment on all Lots or Tracts of Land in the City of Grand Junction Abutting on, or Having Access to Water Mains," was presented and read.

On motion of Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Holmburg, the proof of publication was accepted and ordered placed on file.

Moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, that the proposed ordinance be taken up for final passage.

The motion carried, and the proposed ordinance was then read by the Clerk.

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Holmburg, that the proposed ordinance as read and entitled, "An Ordinance Levying a Special Assessment on All Lots or Tracts of Land in the City of Grand Junction Abuttin on, or Having Access to Water Mains," be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners present having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the ordinance passed and adopted.

Moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, that the ordinance just passed be numbered 243.

The motion carried, and it was so ordered.

The following resolution was introduced and read:

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, it has been the custom for a number of years past to pay the salaries of city officers and regular employes for the month of December before Christmas; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Grand Junction that the Mayor and City Clerk be, and hereby are, authorized and instructed to issue the warrants in payment of the December salaries of all city officers and employes on or about December 21, 1915.

Moved by Commissioner Holmburg, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, that the resolution as read be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners present having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the resolution passed and adopted.

The following resolution was introduced and read:

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, there is not sufficient money in the Fire Fund to pay the salaries of the firemen for December, and

WHEREAS, part of the duties of the regular firemen consists of acting as city jailors and special policemen; thefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the firemen should be paid their December salaries out of the Police Fund.

Moved by Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Holmburg, that the resolution as read be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, each Commissioner as his name was called, voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners present having voted yea, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the resolution passed and adopted.

The following resolution was introduced and read:

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, the report of the City Treasurer, submitted at a recent meeting, shows there are numerous delinquent water users, and

WHEREAS, the funds of the Water Department are in such condition that such delinquent payments are much needed; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Mayor, who during the absence of the Commissioner of Water and Sewers is supervising said department, together with the employees of said department are hereby instructed to turn off the water from such delinquent water users if the rent is not paid promptly.

Moved by Commissioner Cherrington, seconded by Commissioner Vorbeck, that the resolution as read be passed and adopted.

The motion being put, upon call of roll, the Commissioners voted as follows: Cherrington, yea; Vorbeck, yea; Holmburg, yea.

All the Commissioners present having voted yea, the Mayor declared

the motion carried and the resolution passed and adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Vorbeck, seconded by Commissioner Holmburg, the Council then adjourned.

/s/ Charles K. Holmburg
City Clerk.