

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MARCH 7, 1941

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Idaho Falls, Idaho, held March 7th, 1941.

There were present at said Meeting: E. W. Fanning, Mayor; Lee Walker, City Clerk; Councilmen Wasley, Sutton, Crabtree, Brandl, Mooney, Gourley, Mehlhoff; Absent: Evans. When the following proceedings were had to wit:

Minutes of the last Regular Meeting were read and approved.

The following monthly reports were read and approved: City Clerk, City Electrician, Water Works Superintendent, Street & Park Commissioner, Sanitary & Meat Inspector, Chief of Fire Department, City & School Nurse.

The Finance Committee presented the following list of claims covering bills for the month of February, 1941, in the sum of \$34,141.20 which had been checked by the Purchasing Agent and approved by them, and they recommend that the same be allowed:

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| #1216 | American National Bank | \$4674.28 |
| #1217 | First Security Bank | 7505.48 |
| #1218 | Abramson Tent & Awning Co. | 5.36 |
| #1219 | Acme Sanitary Supply Co. | 50.64 |
| #1220 | American National Bank | 96.00 |
| #1221 | American National Bank | 11.52 |
| #1222 | C. C. Anderson Stores Co. | 28.74 |
| #1223 | Ashton Glass & Paint Co. | 3.30 |
| #1224 | Auto Parts Company | 62.56 |
| #1225 | Preston A. Blair Co., Inc. | 5.45 |
| #1226 | Blasius Brothers | 2.00 |
| #1227 | Boise, Payette Lumber Co. | 114.33 |
| #1228 | Bonneville Auto Company | 3.89 |
| #1229 | Bonneville Lumber Co. | 45.42 |
| #1230 | Boozer's West Side Service | 568.60 |
| #1231 | G. M. Bost Neon Signs | 12.50 |
| #1232 | Calif.-Western States Life Insurance Co. | 141.72 |
| #1233 | Cement Gun Company | 93.09 |
| #1234 | Clark Concrete Construction Corp. | 656.00 |
| #1235 | Commercial Radio Equipment Co. | 5.00 |
| #1236 | C. W. & M. Company | 190.27 |
| #1237 | Continental Oil Company | 11.02 |
| #1238 | Corey Implement Company | 3.55 |
| #1239 | J. A. Coy | 32.45 |
| #1240 | The Earl Building | 12.00 |
| #1241 | Douglass Machine & Bearing Works | 27.40 |
| #1242 | East Side Lumber Co. | 46.29 |

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| #1243 | East Side Paint Co. | 8.92 |
| #1244 | Equitable Life Assurance Society | 169.92 |
| #1245 | First Security Bank of Idaho | 74.95 |
| #1246 | First Security Bank of Idaho | 11.72 |
| #1247 | Fletcher Oil Company | 16.00 |
| #1248 | General Electric Supply Corporation | 28.22 |
| #1249 | Graybar Electric Co. | 8.29 |
| #1250 | Hedlund Hardware | 16.55 |
| #1251 | Hisgren Electric Company | 120.40 |
| #1252 | Homer-Koster Company | 5.00 |
| #1253 | The Idaho Commoner | 44.00 |
| #1254 | I. F. Animal Products Co. | 43.20 |
| #1255 | Idaho Falls Battery Co. | 16.43 |
| #1256 | Idaho Falls Electric Company | 14.75 |
| #1257 | Idaho Falls Feed & Coal Company | 75.00 |
| #1258 | Idaho Falls Foundry Co. | 150.00 |
| #1259 | Idaho Falls L.D.S. Hospital | 22.50 |
| #1260 | Idaho Municipal Officers Association | 50.00 |
| #1261 | Johnson Brothers Planing Mill | 12.50 |
| #1262 | S. H. Kress Company | 2.30 |
| #1263 | Magic Chemical Company | 5.68 |
| #1264 | McHan's Funeral Home | 40.83 |
| #1265 | Meierotto Machine Shop | 9.41 |
| #1266 | The Midland Elevators | 22.19 |
| #1267 | Montgomery Ward & Company | 60.92 |
| #1268 | Mt. States Tel. & Tel. Co. | 79.65 |
| #1269 | Nelson Equipment Company | 42.88 |
| #1270 | New Club Café | 28.50 |
| #1271 | North-West Toro Company | 7.50 |
| #1272 | Obrey's Welding Shop | 3.00 |
| #1273 | Oden Motor Supply Co. | 98.18 |
| #1274 | The Post Register | 7.00 |
| #1275 | A. D. Radinsky | 15.45 |
| #1276 | Elmer C. Rigby & Afton O. Rigby | 100.00 |
| #1277 | Mabel Riggs | 500.00 |
| #1278 | Photo Blue Company | 14.15 |
| #1279 | Geo. M. Scott & Sons | 21.00 |
| #1280 | Sears, Roebuck, & Company | 11.29 |
| #1281 | Shattuck Insurance Agency | 275.00 |
| #1282 | Sheehan's Welding Shop | 23.55 |

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| #1283 | Shell Oil Company | 29.65 |
| #1284 | Smith-Hart Company | 2.85 |
| #1285 | Soft Water Service Co. | 2.00 |
| #1283 | Spencer Lumber Company | 52.50 |
| #1287 | Standard Oil Company of California | 21.06 |
| #1288 | George Sturley | 5.00 |
| #1289 | Tri-State Lumber Company | 95.84 |
| #1290 | Ulrich Upholstering Shop | 1.50 |
| #1291 | Utah Oil Refining Co. | .69 |
| #1292 | Lee Walker, City Clerk | 91.71 |
| #1293 | Wasatchlawn Chemical Company | 11.40 |
| #1294 | Western Auto Supply Co. | 1.75 |
| #1295 | Western Powder Company | 630.00 |
| #1296 | Westinghouse Electric Supply | 47.03 |
| #1297 | Westmont Tractor & Equipment Company | 132.71 |
| #1298 | F. W. Woolworth Co. | 3.00 |
| #1299 | Zion's Wholesale Grocery | 7.42 |
| #1300 | American National Bank | 1093.74 |
| #1301 | First Security Bank of Idaho | 452.64 |
| #1302 | Auto Parts Company | 4.16 |
| #1303 | Boise Payette Lumber Co. | 18.42 |
| #1304 | C. W. & M. Company | 48.77 |
| #1305 | General Lead Mfg. Co. | 39.68 |
| #1306 | Holland Furnace Co. | 2.00 |
| #1307 | Mt. States Tel. & Tel. Co. | 6.81 |
| #1308 | Rensselaer Valve Co. | 271.30 |
| #1309 | George C. Tway & Co. | 361.18 |
| #1310 | Lee Walker, City Clerk | 194.86 |
| #1311 | American National Bank | 2545.29 |
| #1312 | First Security Bank of Idaho | 1344.57 |
| #1313 | American National Bank | 3556.19 |
| #1314 | Auto Parts Company | 15.83 |
| #1315 | Boise-Payette Lumber Co. | 2.40 |
| #1316 | J. Ed Browning, Inc. | 1.50 |
| #1317 | C. W. & M. Company | 22.95 |
| #1318 | A. B. Chance Company | 53.75 |
| #1319 | Continental Oil Company | 1.15 |
| #1320 | East Side Lumber Co. | 21.36 |
| #1321 | First Security Bank of Idaho | 3023.17 |
| #1322 | General Electric Company | 40.89 |

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| #1323 | General Electric Company | 2000.00 |
| #1324 | General Electric Supply Corp. | 352.70 |
| #1325 | E. F. Houghton & Co. | 39.57 |
| #1326 | I. F. Electric Co. | 144.45 |
| #1327 | Idaho Falls Foundry | 32.00 |
| #1328 | I. F. Machine Shop | 5.95 |
| #1329 | Walter Kidde & Co., Inc. | 49.00 |
| #1330 | Martindale electric Co. | 6.46 |
| #1331 | Modern Electric Supply Co. | 43.962 |
| #1332 | Montgomery Ward & Co. | 11.20 |
| #1333 | Mt. States Tel & Tel. | 23.75 |
| #1334 | A. D. Radinsky | 88.40 |
| #1335 | Salt Lake Hardware Co. | 28.42 |
| #1336 | Sheehan's Welding Shop | 5.50 |
| #1337 | Spencer Lumber Company | 86.40 |
| #1338 | Standard Oil Co. of California | 9.81 |
| #1339 | Utah Power & Light | 275.50 |
| #1340 | Lee Walker, City Clerk | 10.53 |

It was moved by Gourley, seconded by Sutton, that the bills for the month of February, 1941, in the sum of \$34,141.20 be allowed, and warrants be drawn on the proper funds in payment of same. Roll call voting Aye: Mehlhoff, Wasley, Sutton, Crabtree, Brandl, Mooney, Gourley; Motion carried.

The following applications for Building Permits were read:

No. 2588 signed by Vera Forrest
No. 2589 signed by Ben Brothers
No. 2590 signed by P.C. Chase
No. 2591 signed by Blind Bull Coal Co.
No. 2592 signed by J. W. Neil
No. 2593 signed by A. B. Smith
No. 2595 signed by Sylvia Buck
No. 2596 signed by Dayle A. Sanderson
No. 2597 signed by A. McLaughlin
No. 2598 signed by B. Madsen
No. 2599 signed by Frank Jones
No. 2600 signed by R. B. Ewart
No. 2601 signed by Althara Phillips
No. 2603 signed by Sylvia Apgood
No. 2605 signed by D. E. Rathburn

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It was moved by Sutton, seconded by Crabtree, that the permits be approved. Roll call voting Aye: Gourley, Mehlhoff, Wasley, Sutton, Crabtree, Brandl, Mooney; Nay: None; Motion carried.

Application for Building Permit No. 2604, signed by E. L. Nugent, was read. It was moved by Mooney, seconded by Brandl, that the Permit be approved. Roll call voting Aye: Mooney, Gourley, Mehlhoff, Wasley, Sutton, Crabtree, Brandl; Motion carried.

Application for Building Permit No. 2602, signed by A. S. Mooney, was read. The Mayor referred the Permit to the Building Committee for investigation.

Application for Building Permit No. 2594, signed by C. H. Wilde, was read. It was moved by Crabtree, seconded by Mehlhoff, that the Permit be rejected and not approved. Roll call voting Aye: Crabtree, Brandl, Mooney, Gourley, Mehlhoff, Wasley, Sutton; Nay: None; Absent, Evans; Motion carried.

Application for Soft Drink license signed by Samoa Club was read. It was moved by Crabtree, seconded by Gourley, that the license be granted. Roll call voting Aye: Sutton, Crabtree, Brandl, Mooney, Gourley, Mehlhoff, Wasley; Nay: None; Motion carried.

The following letter was read:

"March 8, 1941

Honorable Mayor and City Council
Idaho Falls, Idaho

Gentlemen:

Referring again to my former letter relative to your taking appropriate action to exclude from the City limits agricultural lands of K. D. Rose, A. H. Keefer, Talcott Hopkins, and Miss Ellen Lloyd, beg to say that the parties feel you have not given their request the consideration to which it is entitled, and therefore, urge that the matter be immediately taken up and disposed of.

Very truly yours,
s/ Otto E. McCutcheon"

The Mayor referred the letter to the City Attorney.

The following application was read:

Idaho Falls, Idaho
February 28, 1941

We, the undersigned property owners of property between Holmes and Higbee, facing College Street, find it necessary that we have water on our property, and must have water for household use, and for the landscaping, and general beautification of this property.

We therefore petition that the City of Idaho Falls immediately take this matter into consideration and put it into effect.

Water is already at the corner of Holmes and College.

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s/ R. L. Rasmussen
s/ Lee W. Shanck
s/ Warren Knapp
s/ Lincoln Albright
s/ Beatrice Robbins
s/ Ted C. Bromley
s/ Hannah Jane Johnson”

The Mayor referred the application to the Water & Light Committee.
The following letter was read:

March 1, 1941

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
Idaho Falls, Idaho

Gentlemen:

We wish to express our wholehearted appreciation to you for the step you have taken in appointing a City Zoning Committee for Idaho Falls. Our Board has given 100% approval to this procedure.

Our local group as well as the National Association of Real Estate Boards, place at your disposal any information or help we can render you and your Committee. A supply of City Zoning Ordinances used in several cities throughout the United States has been furnished us by the National Library and is at the disposal of the Committee.

Please be free to call on us as an organization or as members and we will be happy to assist in any further way we can to improve the City of Idaho Falls.

Very truly,
I. F. Real Estate Board
s/ D. V. Groberg, Pres.

The following petition was read:

“Idaho Falls, Idaho
March 5, 1941

Honorable Mayor and City Council
Idaho Falls, Idaho

We, the undersigned businessmen and business concerns and taxpayers, situated and conducting business in the vicinity of the so called Dowd-Bucklin Building, southeast corner of Park Avenue and B Street in Idaho Falls, Idaho, hereby respectfully petition your Honors that

the bowling alley license heretofore issued to _____ for the purpose of allowing the operation of a bowling alley on the second floor of said building, be revoked by appropriate action of your Honorable Body, for the reason that the operation of said business

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constitutes a public nuisance in that noisy crowds congregate in and about the said bowling alley, commit trespasses upon adjoining properties by running on the roofs thereof, commit waste of the premises occupied by the bowling alley, and other conduct of an unseemly nature is permitted by the operators of said alley.

Respectfully submitted,
s/ Ashton Glass & Paint
s/ A. H. Ashton
s/ Dale Fullenwider
s/ Ruth Stroud
s/ Grant M. Tate
s/ B. J. Shroud
s/ Harry Reynaud
s/ Standard Optical Co.
s/ Mary Arnold"

The Mayor referred the petition to the Police Committee and City Attorney.

It was moved by Sutton, seconded by Mooney, that the Building Inspector issue a building permit to Jim Wakeman to remodel a house located on the corner of E. State and Capital Avenue. Roll call voting Aye: Mooney, Gourley, Mehlhoff, Wasley, Sutton, Crabtree, Brandl; Motion carried.

The following applications for widow's allowance on water and light were read:

Mrs. J. S. Windmiller
Mrs. Ida Hill
Mrs. Katie Belaker
Mrs. Mabel Empey
Ireta H. Denning
Dora France
Mrs. T. C. Wilson

It was moved by Mooney, seconded by Gourley, that the regular allowance be granted. Roll call voting Aye: Brandl, Mooney, Gourley, Mehlhoff, Wasley, Sutton, Crabtree; Motion carried.

It was moved by Sutton, seconded by Wasley, that the meeting adjourn. Roll call voting Aye: Crabtree, Brandl, Mooney, Gourley, Mehlhoff, Wasley, Sutton; Motion carried.

Passed and approved this 21st day of March, 1941.

ATTEST: s/ Lee Walker
CITY CLERK

s/ E. W. Fanning
MAYOR
