

MINUTES OF ADJOURNED MEETING OF COUNCIL, HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18th, 1919, AT 7:30 P.M.

Present: His Worship Acting Mayor T. Irwin
Alderman Evans
Alderman W.J. Irwin
Alderman Morden
Alderman Townsley
Alderman Watson

Pursuant to adjournment, the Council re-convened and His Worship Acting Mayor Irwin, took the Chair.

Moved by Alderman Watson seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that this Council do now resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the draft of the proposed new Municipal Act, and that Acting Mayor Irwin, be Chairman of the meeting.

IN COMMITTEE

IN COUNCIL

Moved by Alderman W.J. Irwin seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the existing municipal Act be amended to make provision for any Municipality consolidating arrears payable in ten installments together with current year's taxes, based on Victoria Special Act where applicable, if Municipality so desires, and that in the opinion of this Council the new sections of the proposed Municipal Act are so drastic that the proposed Act should not be passed until ample opportunity has been given each Municipality, after careful consideration, to either approve or protest against the new Act.

Moved by Alderman Evans seconded by Alderman W.J. Irwin and resolved that the Collector be authorized to go to Victoria, providing Mayor Vance can arrange for a meeting with the Municipal Committee to discuss the peculiar position of this City with respect to arrears of taxes.

Alderman W.J. Irwin expressed his appreciation at the attendance of a number of ratepayers at the present meeting.

At 10:20 p.m. it was moved by Alderman W.J. Irwin seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the Council adjourn. Whereupon the Council adjourned.

Signed: G.W. Vance, Mayor