

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19TH, 1920, AT 8:00 P.M.

Present: His Worship Mayor Vance
Alderman T. Irwin
Alderman W.J. Irwin
Alderman McColl
Alderman Pilling
Alderman Townsley
Alderman Watson

The Minutes of Regular Meeting of Council, held September 20th, 1920, copies of which had been supplied each of the Aldermen, were taken as read and on motion of Alderman W.J. Irwin seconded by Alderman McColl, adopted.

The Minutes of Adjourned Meeting of Council, held September 27th, 1920, copies of which had been supplied each of the Aldermen, were taken as read and on motion of Alderman Watson seconded by Alderman W.J. Irwin, adopted.

The Minutes of Adjourned Meeting of Council, held October 11th, 1920, copies of which had been supplied each of the Aldermen, were taken as read and on motion of Alderman W.J. Irwin seconded by Alderman T. Irwin, adopted.

Correspondence was received, read and dealt with as follows:

From A.J. Henderson, requesting permission to cut wood on City property at the site owned by the City where the Small Pox Hospital was located.
Referred to the Engineer for a report.

From Mrs. J.H. Brown and 8 others, applying for a street light at the corner of Chesterfield Avenue and 24th Street.
Referred to the Committee of the Whole and the Engineer.

From H.A. Francis, Secretary North Vancouver Grass Hockey Club, requesting permission to use the Boulevard Park for hockey game on Saturday afternoons.
Moved by Alderman Watson seconded by Alderman T. Irwin and resolved that the above request be granted, subject to prior rights of the football club.

From J.M. Jorgensen, offering to purchase Lot 21, Block 18, DL 273, for \$188.37 cash.
Referred to the Committee of the Whole Council.

From the City Treasurer, enclosing correspondence and blank form of deed from the North Vancouver Land and Improvement Company, with reference to property fronting on the Grand Boulevard in DL 550, requesting that when any boulevard lots are sold either at tax sale or by transfer, that building and other restrictions be inserted in the transfer.

Moved by Alderman W.J. Irwin seconded by Alderman Pilling and resolved that the Solicitor take this matter up with the District Registrar with a view to having building and other restrictions continued on tax sale lots on the Boulevard.

From the Board of Police Commissioners, enclosing the report of the Police Department on the street lights for the month of September.

Referred to the Treasurer to check up the account.

From the Vancouver General Hospital, being notice of admission of Mrs. Alex McLeod, also report that the parties will be able to meet the bill in due time.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the Hospital and file the report.

From the Secretary of Committees, City of Victoria, enclosing copy of the decision of the Court of Appeal, in the matter of the Bishop of Vancouver Island versus the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Referred to the Committee of the Whole Council.

From Brenton S. Brown Ltd, agent for Automobile insurance, advising that on August 23rd, a Republic Truck owned by Campbell Security, Fireproof Storage and Moving Company, was being driven off the Ferry at the Vancouver side, when the top was drawn off by a wire cable on the boat; amount of damage \$3.00, and requesting payment.

Referred to the Ferry Committee and the Superintendent for a report.

Reports and recommendations by the Finance, Ferry, Board of Works, Waterworks, Fire and Light, Parks, Health and Police Committees on due accounts were submitted by the respective Chairmen and read to the meeting and the Treasurer was authorized to pay the accounts to the amounts following:

Finance (Accounts)		\$993.47
Ferry (Accounts)		\$5840.49
Board of Works (Accounts)	\$2724.06	
Board of Works (Accounts)	\$68.69	
Board of Works (Payroll)	\$1879.41	\$4672.16
Waterworks (Payroll)	\$86.40	
Waterworks (Accounts)	\$103.92	\$190.32
Fire & Light (Accounts)		\$1428.22
Parks (Payroll)	\$170.82	
Parks (Accounts)	\$2.50	\$173.32
Parks (Health)(Payroll)	\$154.80	
Parks (Health) (Accounts)	\$95.10	\$249.90
Parks (Police) (Accounts)		\$202.90

The report of the Fire and Light Committee as contained in the Committee's Minutes of September 27th, 1920, was read and on motion of Alderman Townsley, seconded by Alderman Watson, adopted.

The report of the Ferry Committee as contained in the Committee's Minutes of September 27th, 1920, was read and on motion of Alderman Watson, seconded by Alderman T. Irwin, adopted.

The report of the Waterworks Committee as contained in the Committee's Minutes of September 27th, 1920, was read and on motion of Alderman T. Irwin, seconded by Alderman Townsley, adopted.

The report of the Board of Works Committee as contained in the Committee's Minutes of September 27th, 1920, was read and on motion of Alderman W.J. Irwin, seconded by Alderman McColl, adopted.

The report of the Committee of the Whole Council as contained in the Committee's Minutes of September 27th, 1920, was read and on motion of Alderman T. Irwin, seconded by Alderman Townsley, adopted.

Mayor Vance reported having looked over supposed diversion of Mosquito Creek over the property of Mr. J.B. Ker, and could not find where any diversion of the Creek has taken place.

Mayor Vance also reported that while the Railway Commission was in Vancouver recently, he had interviewed the Chairman re Terminal rates, and that the Chairman had promised to take up this matter immediately on their return to Ottawa.

Mayor Vance reported also having wired the Premier at Ottawa protesting against the Order of the Board of Commerce, with respect to sugar prices, and owing to the Government meeting on the 20th instant, with respect thereto, he had thought it advisable to forward a protest at once, without waiting for a meeting of the Council.

Moved by Alderman W.J. Irwin seconded by Alderman Townsley and resolved that the above report of the Mayor be received and his action confirmed.

Mayor Vance reported further that the Polling Booths belonging to the City had been loaned to the Returning Officer in connection with the Prohibition Referendum.

At 8:50 p.m. it was moved by Alderman T. Irwin seconded by Alderman Watson and resolved that the council take a recess to permit of a meeting of Committees.

At 12 p.m. His Worship Mayor Vance reconvened the Council.

Moved by Alderman Pilling seconded by at and resolved that this Council do now adjourn to reconvene in the Council Chamber, City Hall, on Monday, October 25th, 1920 at 9 p.m.

Signed: G.W. Vance, Mayor