

**MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL, HELD IN THE CITY HALL,
MONDAY, AUGUST 9TH, 1926 AT 5:00 P.M.**

Present: His Worship Mayor Morden
Alderman Bridgman
Alderman Cartwright
Alderman Irwin
Alderman Loutet
Alderman Townsley

Petition signed by Eight property owners on the west side of Lonsdale from 3rd to 8th Streets, was received to the effect that proposed sidewalk was not in the location they desired it, but if sidewalk is to be constructed to the property line, they are certainly in favour of it.

The Solicitor was requested for a legal opinion in the matter. Whereupon Mr. Gray stated that in his opinion, after a petition against the work has been signed by the property owners affected, the Council cannot go ahead with the work again under Initiative plan for one year. However, he is of opinion that the property owners could petition the Council requesting to have the work done.

Moved by Alderman Irwin, seconded by Alderman Bridgman and resolved that the above matter be referred to the Solicitor and Engineer to reply to Mr. Morden, advising of the position of the Council under present procedure.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Cartwright and resolved that a report be submitted for Monday night, giving assessment below 3rd Street, also above 3rd Street, giving an idea of amount of taxes paid.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Irwin and resolved that the whole matter be laid over until Monday evening.

The matter of sawdust nuisance was laid over until Monday night.

Mr. Hanes, City Engineer, requested leave of absence from Wednesday to Saturday.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Cartwright and resolved that Mr. Hanes be given whatever time he requires.

Moved by Alderman Bridgman, seconded by Alderman Loutet and resolved that this meeting of Council adjourn.

Whereupon the Council adjourned.

Signed: G.H. Morden, Mayor