

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Aldermen, Town of Chapel Hill, April 8, 1931.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen, Town of Chapel Hill was held at 8:00 P. M. Wednesday, April 8, 1931, at the Town Hall, with Mayor Council presiding and the following Aldermen present:- Messrs. Eubanks, Connor, Thompson, Trimble, Burch and Hogan. attorney Sawyer and Mr. H. G. Baity were also present.

The minutes of the regular meeting of March 11th and the called meeting of March 18th, were read and approved.

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Manager presented a request from Mr. Paul Robertson for a tax refund on account of Federal Disability Compensation. Alderman Eubanks stated that Greensboro was having a test-case brought in regard to Federal Veteran Compensation, and suggested that the request be denied, pending further outcome of the Greensboro case. The matter was referred to Town Attorney Sawyer, and to Alderman Hogan, chairman of the Finance Committee.

Mr. H. G. Baity, consulting engineer for the new Sewage Disposal Plant was present, and explained the plans to the board of Aldermen. Mr. Baity stated he thought the plans and specifications would be ready within thirty days.

The Town Manager read reports from the following department heads: Public Works Department, Police, Fire and Health departments.

The Manager stated that this was the night set for the final hearing on the Franklin Street Sidewalk Assessment, on the South Side of Franklin, from Columbia to the Bus Station Alley. The Manager stated that all the individual property owners had been notified of this hearing. None of the property owners were present. Upon motion of Alderman Connor, seconded by Alderman Eubanks, it was moved that the preliminary assessment, as presented at the last meeting be confirmed.

The Manager read a Petition from persons living near the Arboretum, whose children crossed Raleigh Road at the President's Walk, requesting the Town to do something to improve the safety of the walk. Upon motion of Alderman Hogan seconded by Alderman Connor, the matter was referred to the Public Safety Committee with power to act. All the aldermen present voted in the affirmative therefor.

Attorney Sawyer requested the Aldermen to instruct him in regard to the pushing of the pushing the tax-foreclosure suits now in the Superior Court, and wanted to know if the Town would buy the property if there were no other bidders at the tax sales. The Attorney was instructed to carry the suits forward.

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Attorney Sawyer stated that the title to the Firemen's Cabin had been cleared.

The Manager stated that the Board of Adjustment would meet Saturday, April 7th, to consider the request of Mrs. Judge Staty, in regard to building two additional houses on her property on North Street.

There being no further business, the meeting of the Board of Aldermen adjourned.

Respectfully,

ZEB P. COUNCIL, MAYOR

By *J. A. Bohme* CLERK.