

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS,  
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA. June 6, 1927

At an adjourned regular meeting of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada, held on the 6th day of June, 1927, at the hour of three o'clock p. m. Present: Hon. E. F. Hesse, Mayor; Commissioners W. B. Mundy, W. C. German, and Roy Neagle, together with the City Attorney and Clerk; Commissioner O. J. Smith being absent.

Meeting called to order by the Mayor.

This being the first meeting of the newly elected Board, the Mayor declared all offices vacant and ordered the appointment of officers to fill said vacated offices as the first order of business.

Thereupon, as first order of business the mayor announced the following appointments: Roy Neagle, Police and Fire Commissioner; W. B. Mundy, Finance Commissioner; W. C. German, Water, Sewer and Light Commissioner; Otis J. Smith, Street Commissioner.

The Board then took under consideration the appointment of a Mayor pro tem. On motion of Commissioner W. C. German, seconded by Commissioner Roy Neagle and with the unanimous vote of all present, Commissioner Mundy was appointed mayor pro tem.

On motion of Commissioner Mundy, seconded by Commissioner German, all appointive offices were declared vacant, said motion being passed on the unanimous vote of all present.

Thereupon, an order was made, on motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Neagle, appointing the following as members of the Las Vegas Public Library Board: Mrs. Charles P. Squires, F. A. Stevens, and E. E. Smith, said motion being passed on the following vote: Commissioners Mundy, Neagle, German, Smith, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noes, none.

An order was then made, on motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Neagle, appointing the following members of the Woodland Cemetery Board: Messdames Julia P. Mundy, C. M. McGovern, and the remaining member to be appointed at a later date, said motion being passed on the following vote: Commissioners Mundy, Neagle, German, Smith, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noes, none.

The matter of the appointment of two one year term members of the County and City Fair Ground Board was deferred until a later date.

Thereupon the Mayor announced the appointment of Forest E. Mildren, M.D. as City Health Officer.

Thereupon, on motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Neagle, it was ordered that the salary of the City Attorney of the City of Las Vegas be fixed at the sum of One Hundred Fifty (\$150.00) Dollars per month. Voting on said motion, Commissioners Mundy, Neagle, German, Smith, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noes, none.

Thereupon the matter of the appointment of a city attorney coming on before the Board, the Mayor suggested the name of P. A. Stevens, Esq., as city attorney, whereupon, it was ordered, upon motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Neagle, that P. A. Stevens be appointed City Attorney of the City of Las Vegas, said appointment to take effect upon the filing and approval of a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$1000.00 and upon his taking the oath of office required by law, at a salary of \$150.00 per month. The vote on said motion was as follows: Commissioners Mundy, Neagle, German, Smith, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noes, none.

The matter of the appointment of a Municipal Judge coming on before the Board, an order was made, on motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Neagle appointing C. D. Breeze as municipal Judge at a salary of \$50.00 per month, said appointment to take effect upon his filing a good and sufficient bond in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, and upon his taking the oath of office required by law. Voting on said motion; Commissioners Mundy, Neagle, German, Smith, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noes, none.

Thereupon the Board took up the matter of the appointment of a City Marshall, whereupon an order was made, on motion of Commissioner Heagle, seconded by Commissioner German, that R. E. Lake, Jr., be appointed City Marshall at a salary of \$200.00 per month, said appointment to take effect upon the filing and approval of a good and sufficient bond in the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars, and upon his taking the oath of office required by law. Voting on said motion Commissioners Mundy, Heagle, German, Smith, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noss, none.

An order was made, on motion of Commissioner Heagle, seconded by Commissioner German, appointing Harold Case for office of Fire Chief.

Thereupon, on motion of Commissioner Heagle, seconded by Commissioner German, it was ordered that the salary of the Nightwatchman Officer of the City of Las Vegas be fixed at the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars per month. Voting on said motion, Commissioners Mundy, Heagle, German, Smith, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noss, none.

Thereupon, on motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Mundy, it was ordered that Joe May be appointed to the office of Nightwatchman, at the salary of \$200.00 per month.

Upon motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Mundy the following Preambles and Resolution were duly adopted:

WHEREAS, it is the earnest desire of this Board that each of its members shall be free at all times to act according to the dictates of their own individual consciences, and not to be allied to any factions or particular following, and

WHEREAS, experience has taught us that members of the City Board and officers appointed by such Board are constantly importuned to go upon bail bonds and other undertakings of like character, and that becoming such sureties tends to hamper independent action of the surety and to ally such surety with the person for which such assurance is made,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the policy be and it is hereby adopted that during the term for which this Board is elected no member of this Board nor the City Attorney, nor the City Clerk go upon any such bail bond or undertaking of like character.

The vote on such Resolution was as follows: Commissioners Mundy, Smith, German, Heagle, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, Aye. Noss, none.

At this time the newly appointed City Attorney, F. A. Stevens, presented his bond in the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars with O. E. Adcock and A. S. Henderson, as sureties thereon, and it appearing to the Board that said bond is a good and sufficient bond, it was ordered upon motion of Commissioner Mundy, seconded by Commissioner German, that said bond be and the same is accepted and approved, and it further appearing that F. A. Stevens has taken the oath of office required by law, he was thereupon declared qualified to enter upon the duties of the office of City Attorney of the City of Las Vegas. Voting on said motion, Commissioners M. B. Mundy, German, Smith, Heagle, and His Honor the Mayor, J. F. Hesse, aye. Noss, none.

Thereupon the clerk presented the bond of R. E. Lake, Jr. as City Marshall of the City of Las Vegas, in the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars, with E. W. Cragin and W. H. Pike as sureties thereon, and it appearing to the Board that said bond is a good and sufficient bond, it was ordered upon motion of Commissioner German, seconded by Commissioner Mundy that said bond be and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and it further appearing that the said R. E. Lake, Jr. has taken the oath of office required by law, he was thereupon declared qualified to enter upon the duties of the office of City Marshall of the City of Las Vegas, said motion being passed upon the unanimous vote of all present.

The bond of C. D. Breeze, the newly appointed municipal judge was then presented, said bond being in the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars with Ed. Von Tolhel and W. E. Ward as sureties thereon, and it appearing to the Board that the same is a good and sufficient Bond it was ordered upon motion of Commissioner Mundy, seconded by Commissioner Heagle that the said bond be and the same is hereby accepted and approved, and it further appearing that C. D. Breeze has taken the oath of office required by law, he was thereupon declared qualified

to enter upon the duties of the office of Municipal Judge of the City of Las Vegas. Voting on said motion: Commissioners Mundy, Smith, Neagle, and German, and His Honor the Mayor, J. P. Hesse, aye. Noes, none.

So further business appearing it was ordered upon motion duly made that this meeting

adjourn until Tuesday, the 7th day of June, 1927, at the hour of three o'clock, p.m.

ATTEST:

*Wm L. Scott*

CLERK

APPROVED:

*J. P. Hesse*

MAYOR

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS,  
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA. June 7, 1927.

At an adjourned regular meeting of the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada, held on the 7th day of June, 1927, at the hour of three o'clock p. m. Present: Hon. J. P. Hesse, Mayor; Commissioners W. B. Mundy, W. C. German and Roy Neagle, together with the City Attorney, City Assessor and Clerk; Commissioner O. J. Smith being absent.

Meeting called to order by the Mayor.

This being the time set for the hearing of protests or objections regarding the levying of a special assessment for the payment of costs in connection with the laying of sidewalk on the east side of South Fourth Street, the Board proceeded to hear any such protests as may have been filed. It appearing to the Board that no such protests or objections had been filed and nobody appearing before the Board to make such protest or objection, the Board proceeded to confirm said special assessment.

Thereupon, it appearing to the Board that the special assessment of \$36.50/as originally entered in Special Assessment Roll No. 10 was in excess of the amount required to meet all expenses in connection with the construction of the sidewalk on the east side of South Fourth Street, and that the sum of \$30.67 assessed to each lot in Blocks 39 and 40 of Clark's Las Vegas/<sup>townsite</sup> on which said sidewalk was constructed is sufficient to meet all expenses in connection with said construction, it was ordered, upon motion of Commissioner Mundy, seconded by Commissioner German, that said special assessment be revised so that the sum of \$30.67 will be assessed to each lot on which said sidewalk was constructed. Vote on said motion being: Commissioners Hesse Mundy, German, Neagle and his Honor the Mayor/voting aye. Noes, None.

Thereafter, it was moved by Commissioner Mundy that Assessment Roll No. 10, as revised, be confirmed by the Board, certified by the Clerk, and recorded, and that the City Assessor levy the assessment, the same to be payable at once and collected by the proper officers. Motion seconded by Commissioner German. Motion carried on following vote: Commissioners Mundy, German, Neagle and his Honor the Mayor, Hesse voting aye. Noes, none.

So further business appearing it was ordered upon motion duly made that this meeting adjourn until July 2nd, 1927, at the hour of three o'clock P. M.

ATTEST:

*Wm L. Scott*

CLERK

APPROVED:

*J. P. Hesse*

MAYOR