

MINUTES } CITY OF PIKEVILLE

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Pikeville, Pike, County Kentucky, convened and held at the City Hall in said city, on the 3rd day of May, 1927, the following were present; Mayor J.P. Marrs, Councilmen; A.J. Akers, Millard Burke, S.M. Hereford, Ed Wells and Richard Thompson.

The minutes of the former meeting of the Council, held on the 19th day of April, 1927, are read by the clerk and Approved by the Council.

Councilman, Ed Wells, moved that Leston Justice be employed as Deputy Police of the City of Pikeville, and upon a roll call of the Council on said motion, the vote was as follows:

A.J. Akers	No	Ed Wells	Yes
Millard Burke	No	Richard Thompson	No.
S.M. Hereford	No		

The result of the vote being announced by the Clerk, the Mayor thereupon declared said motion lost.

Councilman, Millard Burke, moved that Jno. A. McGowan, A.S. Corbin and C.C. Little, be appointed as members of the Board of Supervisors, for the City of Pikeville, Ky., for the year 1927, and said motion being duly seconded by Richard Thompson, upon a roll call of the Council, the vote was as follows:

A.J. Akers,	Yes	Ed Wells	Yes
Millard Burke	Yes	Richard Thompson	Yes
S.M. Hereford	Yes		

The result of the vote being announced by the Clerk, the Mayor declared said motion carried, and said men named therein elected.

C.C. Little, being present in council meeting, accepted said appointment, and took the oath of office as required by law.

It appearing that City Voucher #1024, had been declared lost by an order of this Council and same having been found, it is ordered by the Council that said voucher be destroyed in the presence of the Council, which is done.

Councilman, S.M. Hereford moved that Audit of the Water Dept. and of the City records, made by Capt. A.D. Roberts, for the year 1926, be filed and to lay over 15 days for consideration, and said motion being duly seconded, carried.

The Committee appointed to consider the payment or rejection of the Kelley Bros. Judgement in the U.S. District Court, vs. City of Pikeville, Ky., for Street paving Assessments, made in 1913, makes its oral report, and recommends that a Special Levy of 50 cents on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property, in the City of Pikeville, Ky., for the year 1927, be made to pay this judgment.

An Ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE CREATING AND LEVYING A SPECIAL TAX TO PAY CERTAIN JUDGMENT INDEBTEDNESS AGAINST THE CITY OF PIKEVILLE", is introduced and read to the Council by the City Clerk, and Councilman, S.M. Hereford, moved the adoption of said Ordinance by the City Council, and said motion being duly seconded by Councilman, Richard Thompson, upon a roll call the vote was as follows:

A.J. Akers,	Yes	Ed Wells	Yes
Millard Burke	Yes	Richard Thompson	Yes
S.M. Hereford	Yes		

The result of the vote being announced by the Clerk, the Mayor declared said motion carried, and said Ordinance adopted.

Councilman, Ed Wells, moved that the City Clerk be directed to make up a list of the names of all persons who defaulted in the payment of their Street Paving Assessments, made in 1913, for work done by Kelley Brothers, together with the amounts, of payments defaulted in by them, set opposite their names, and publish same in the Pike County News, and said motion being duly seconded by Millard Burke, carried.

A.F. Childers, appearing before the Council, asks that the further consideration of the exoneration of R.L. Sparks for taxes during the years 1925 and 1926, be postponed until the next meeting, which is granted.

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An Ordinance, entitled "AN ORDINANCE LAYING A LEVY ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY OF PIKEVILLE, KENTUCKY, FOR THE YEAR 1927, TO BE APPLIED ON SINKING FUND OF WATER BOND INDEBTEDNESS IN AMOUNT OF \$130,000.00, AND TO PAY INTEREST UPON SAID BONDS, AND FIXING THE RATE THEREOF, AND DIRECTING THE CLERK TO MAKE UP TAX TICKET BOOKS ACCORDINGLY.", is presented to the Council and read by the Clerk, thereupon Councilman, S.M. Hereford moved the adoption of said Ordinance by the City Council, and said motion being duly seconded by Millard Burke, upon a roll call, the vote was as follows:

S.M. Hereford	Yes	A.J. Akers,	Absent
Ed Wells	Yes	Richard Thompson,	Yes.
Millard Burke	Yes		

The result of the vote being announced by the Clerk, the mayor declared said motion carried, and said Ordinance adopted.

An Ordinance, entitled "AN ORDINANCE LAYING A LEVY ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY OF PIKEVILLE, KENTUCKY, FOR CITY PURPOSES FOR THE YEAR 1927, AND FIXING THE RATE THEREOF, AND DIRECTING CITY CLERK TO MAKE UP TAX TICKET BOOKS ACCORDINGLY", is presented, and read to the Council by the City Clerk, thereupon Millard Burke, moved the adoption of said Ordinance by the City Council, and said motion being duly seconded by Ed Wells, upon a roll call of the Council, the vote was as follows:

A.J. Akers,	Absent	Ed Wells	Yes
Millard Burke,	Yes	Richard Thompson	Yes.
S.M. Hereford	Yes		

The result of the vote being announced by the Clerk, the Mayor declared said motion carried, and said Ordinance adopted.

An Ordinance, entitled " AN ORDINANCE DECLARING ALL BARN, STABLES OR OTHER OUTHOUSES IN THE CITY OF PIKEVILLE, KENTUCKY, A NUISANCE WHEN THE OWNERS OF SAME ALLOW OR PERMIT SAME TO BECOME IN AN UNSANITARY CONDITION", is presented to the Council, and read by the City Clerk, thereupon Ed Wells, moved the adoption of said Ordinance by the City Council, and said motion being duly seconded by Millard Burke, upon a roll call the vote was as follows:

A.J. Akers,	Not voting.	Ed Wells	Yes
Millard Burke,	Yes	Richard Thompson	Yes.
SM. Hereford	Yes		

The result of the vote being announced by the Clerk, the mayor declared said motion carried, and said Ordinance adopted.

John Miller appeared before the Council by request and gave them rates of Insurance on the Fire Truck owned by the City of Pikeville, Ky., and the further consideration of this matter is postponed until the next meeting of the Council.

It appearing that there has been numerous applications filed with the City Clerk, for the Position of Supt. of the Water Dept. of the city of Pikeville, Ky., and Councilman, S.M. Hereford moves that the Clerk be directed to call all the names of the applicants he has before him and then call the names of the members of the City Council, and as their names are called, each Councilman vote for the applicant he desires as Supt. of the Water Dept., and said motion being duly seconded, carried.

Thereupon the City Clerk, read to the Council, the applications of J.R. Call, G.E. Owens, R.L. Jenkins, S.B. Hamilton, T.E. Newton, and Frank J. Forsythe.

Then the Clerk called the roll of the Council and they cast their votes as follows, pursuant to the above motion.

A.J. Akers,	voting for	Frank J. Forsythe,
Ed. Wells	"	T.E. Newton,
S.M. Hereford,	"	Frank J. Forsythe,
Millard Burke,	"	T.E. Newton,
Richard Thompson,	"	T.E. Newton,

The result of the vote being announced by the Clerk, the Mayor thereupon declared T.E. Newton, elected as Supt. of the Water Dept. of the City of Pikeville, Ky.,

T.E. Newton, being present in Council, accepted said position, and took the oath as required by law.

J.J. Stone, Supt. of the Water Dept., presented his written resignation, as Supt. of the Water Dept., which is read to the Council, by the City Clerk.

Councilman, Millard Burke, moved that the resignation of J.J. Stone, as Supt. of the Water Dept. be accepted, said motion being duly seconded by Richard Thompson, carried unanimously.

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Councilman, Richard Thompson, moved that T.E. Newton, the newly elected Supt. of the Water Dept. be required to give a bond to the City of Pikeville, Ky., in the sum of Three (\$3000.00) Dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties, as such Supt. of the Water Dept., and said motion being duly seconded, carried.

Councilman, S.M. Hereford, moved that J.J. Stone, be directed to turn over to T.E. Newton, the keys and records of the Water Dept. of the City of Pikeville, Kentucky, together with all cash on hand, forthwith, and said motion being duly seconded, carried.

Councilman, S.M. Hereford, moved that the City Clerk be directed to issued to Walter Robinson, a voucher on the General Expenditure Fund of the City of Pikeville, Ky., in the sum of \$18.60, for check given to him by E.J. Harris, in payment of a fine, assessed against him by the Pikeville Police Court, and which check was returned unpaid to the said Walter Robinson, and the said Walter Robinson, having paid out of his personal funds, said amount to the City, and said motion being duly seconded, carried.

Councilman, S.M. Hereford, moved that the Council, appropriate, out of the General Expenditure Fund of the City of Pikeville, Ky., \$100.00, and place same at the disposal of the Street Committee of the City of Pikeville, with which to repair the road and approach to the bridge at the upper end of the City of Pikeville, Kentucky, and said motion being duly seconded, carried.

ORDERED THAT:

Capt. A.D. Roberts be allowed the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, for making an Audit of the books of the Water Dept. of the City of Pikeville, Ky., for the year 1926, payable out of the water fund.

ORDERED THAT:

Capt. A.D. Roberts be allowed the sum of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars, for making an Audit of the records of the City of Pikeville, Ky., for the year 1926,

ORDERED THAT:

D.C. Moore, Circuit Court Clerk, be allowed the sum of Eighty and 44/100 (\$80.44) Dollars, being the amount of money held by the City of Pikeville, Ky., owing to R.B. Lawson, and garnisheed in their hands in the case of M.J.&L. Peery vs. R.B. Lawson, and paid out on an order from the Pike Circuit Court.

ORDERED THAT:

Builders Supply Co., be allowed the sum of One and 50/100 (\$1.50) Dollars, for one half load cut wood, furnished Police Station, as per bill of 1-14-1927.

ORDERED THAT:

Casius Hatcher be allowed the sum of Thirty Two (\$32.00) Dollars, being for atd. 12 fires at \$2.00 each and salary as fireman for 4 months at \$2.00 per m.

ORDERED THAT:

J.E. Sanders, be allowed the sum of Seventy Two and 85/100 (\$72.85) Dollars, being for Salary and Services as City Clerk, for the month of April, 1927.

ORDERED THAT:

Walter Robinson be allowed the sum of One Hundred Thirty Five (\$135.00) Dollars, Salary as Chief of Police for the month of April, 1927.

ORDERED THAT:

Lon Robinson be allowed the sum of One Hundred Twenty Five (\$125.00) Dollars, Salary as Deputy Chief of Police for the month of April, 1927.

ORDERED THAT:

Will Young be allowed the sum of One Hundred Twenty Five (\$125.00) Dollars, Salary as Policeman, for the month of April, 1927.

ORDERED THAT:

T.J. Kendrick be allowed the sum of Sixty (\$60.00) Dollars, Salary as Police Judge for the month of April, 1927.

ORDERED THAT:

T.J. Kendrick be allowed the sum of Forty (\$40.00) Dollars, Salary as Clerk Hire for Police Judge for the month of April, 1927.

ORDERED THAT:

J.M. Hatcher, be allowed the sum of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars, Salary as City Attorney, for month of April, 1927, and J.M. Hatcher, presents bill for Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars, as Salary as City Attorney in addition to the fifty allowed, which is disallowed, and J.M. Hatcher, accepts the sum allowed as half of which he is entitled to have allowed him.

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5 ORDERED THAT:
W.T. Griffith be allowed the sum of Two and 50/100 (\$2.50) Dollars, Salary as City Engineer, for the month of April, 1927.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Walter Hatcher, be allowed the sum of Twelve and 50/100 (\$12.50) Dollars, Salary as City Treasurer for the month of April, 1927.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Earl & John Scott, be allowed the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars, Salary as Street Cleaners for the month of April, 1927, as per contract.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Kentucky & W.Va. Power Co. be allowed the sum of Three Hundred Nine and 38/100 (\$309.38) Dollars, for power for street lights, for the month of April, 1927, as per contract.

The Settlement made by the City Clerk, with the Police Judge for the month of April, 1927, is presented and read to the Council, and ordered to be filed and approved.

The Settlement made by the City Clerk, with the Chief of Police for the month of April, 1927, is presented and read to the Council, which is ordered, filed and approved, and recorded.

5 ORDERED THAT:
J.J. Stone be allowed the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars, Salary as Supt. of the Water Dept. for month of April, 1927, payable out of water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
John Beran be allowed the sum of Eighty (\$80.00) Dollars, Salary as Pump Operater for Water Dept. for month of April, 1927, payable out of water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
The J.N. Chester Engineers be allowed the sum of Three Hundred Ninety Three and 52/100 (\$393.52) Dollars, for work on construction of water plant, as per bill of 1-1-1927, payable out of the water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
J.J. Stone be allowed the sum of One Hundred Twenty Six and 08/100 (\$126.08) Dollars, as Current expense account of Water Supt. for the month of April, 1927, payable out of the water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Poster Thornburg Hdwe. Co. be allowed the sum of Four Hundred Thirty Two (\$432.00) Dollars, for 40 meters, as per bills of 3-31- and 4-15- 1927, payable out of the water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Call Bros. Hdwe. Co. be allowed the sum of Five and 67/100 (\$5.67) Dollars, for furnishings for Water Dept. as per bills of 4-5- and 4-15-27, payable out of the water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Co. be allowed the sum of Four and 75/100 (\$4.75) Dollars, for telephone service for water Dept. for April, 1927, payable out of water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
The Portsmouth Supply Co. be allowed the sum of Thirteen and 03/100 (\$13.03) Dollars, for furnishing to water Dept. as per bill of 4-11-27, payable out of the water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Buffalo Meter Co. be allowed the sum of Six and 68/100 (\$6.68) Dollars, for furnishing to water Dept. as per bill of 4-6-1927, payable out of the water fund.

5 ORDERED THAT:
Neptune Meter Company be allowed the sum of Six and 93/100 (\$6.93) Dollars, for furnishing to water Dept. as per bill of 4-14-1927, payable out of the water fund.

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ORDERED THAT:

The Ford Meter Box Co. be allowed the sum of Ninety Two and 77/100 (\$92.77) Dollars, for furnishing to water dept. as per bill of 4-19-1927, payable out of water fund.

ORDERED THAT:

Campbell-Johnson Co. be allowed the sum of Eighty Four (\$84.00) Dollars, for Meter Boxes and covers as per bill of 4-30-1927, payable out of water fund.

ORDERED THAT:

Pikeville Supply & Planing Mill Co. be allowed the sum of Eight~~x~~ and 40/100 (\$8.40) Dollars, for 12 bags finishing lime, as per bill of 3-15-27, payable out of the water fund.

ORDERED THAT:

Kentucky & W.Va. Power Co. be allowed the sum of Three Hundred Fifty One and 60/100 (\$351.60) Dollars, for power furnished to water department for month of April, 1927, payable out of the water fund.

On motion made seconded and carried Council is adjourned until Friday May 6th, 1927, at 7:00 o'clock p.m.

APPROVED;

ATTEST:

J. E. Bonham
City Clerk.*J. A. Newman* Mayor,