

CITY COUNCIL MEETING,
THURSDAY,
OCTOBER 16, 1941.

A G E N D A

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September, 1941.

EVENING SESSION

8.00 o'clock,
Council Chamber,
City Hall,
October 16, 1941.

A meeting of the City Council was held this evening. At the above named hour there were present His Worship the Mayor, Chairman; Aldermen MacKay, Stech, Hosterman, Coffin, Adams, McDonald, Lloyd, Walker, O'Toole, and Burgess.

The meeting was called to proceed with business standing over and the transaction of other business.

The following named papers were submitted:-

MINUTES

Moved by Alderman Hosterman, seconded by Alderman Burgess that the minutes of the previous meeting be approved. Motion passed.

CIVIC ELECTION - CASUAL VACANCY, WARD #6

Read return of the City Clerk of the election of Alderman for casual vacancy in Ward No. 6 covering the nomination of John Edward Ahern.

City Clerk's Office,
Halifax, N. S.,
October 2nd, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

Agreeably to the provisions of the Halifax City Charter and Acts and amendments thereof in respect to the election of Aldermen for the City of Halifax, I herewith submit the original nomination papers of John Edward Ahern, Publisher, for the office of Alderman for Ward #6 of the City of Halifax to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Alderman Joseph T. Landry, he being the only candidate nominated for the said office at the election to be held on October 1, 1941.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

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The City Clerk thereupon declared John Edward Ahern duly elected to the office of Alderman to fill the vacancy in Ward #6 caused by the resignation of Alderman Joseph T. Landry; term expiring April 30, 1943.

His Worship the Mayor then administered the Oaths of Office, of Allegiance and of Justice of the Peace to Alderman Ahern, and, after signing the aldermanic roll he took his seat in Council.

PRESENTATION BY ROYAL HUMANE SOCIETY

Mr. H. W. Jubien, on behalf of the Royal Humane Society introduced Mr. James Roy Porter and Mr. James Griffin to the Mayor and members of the Council and stated that in recognition of the fact that they had each saved a human life at the risk of their own lives, the Society had issued parchment certificates which he asked the Mayor to present.

His Worship the Mayor then presented the parchment certificates to Mr. Porter and Mr. Griffin.

Mr. Jubien stated that Mr. Arthur Murray Jennings, who was absent, had also earned a certificate for saving a life.

NOTICE OF RECONSIDERATION BY ALDERMAN WALKER
RE COST OF LIVING BONUS

Read extract from minutes of a meeting of the City Council held on the 11th day of September, 1941, re cost of living bonus.

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"Extract from minutes of a meeting of the City Council of the City of Halifax held on the 11th day of September, 1941.

Cost of Living Bonus

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re cost of living bonus as follows:

Halifax, N.S.,
August 10, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Public Health and Welfare Committee recommending that employees of the City Home who are receiving partial subsistence be granted the cost of living bonus as recently approved by the City Council.

Your committee recommends that employees of the City Home who are receiving partial subsistence and are maintaining homes be granted the cost of living bonus on the same scale as that of single persons.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Lloyd, seconded by Alderman Burgess that all employees in any department of the City who receive a form of partial or full subsistence be paid a cost of living bonus to the equivalent of single persons, namely \$6.00 per month. Amendment put and lost, 3 voting for the same and 6 against, as follows:-

For

Aldermen Burgess
Walker
Lloyd

Against

Aldermen Adams
Hosterman
MacKay
O'Toole
Stech
Kinley.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman Lloyd that this matter be referred back to the Finance and Executive Committee for further consideration and report. Amendment put and lost, 3 voting for the same and 6 against.

For

Aldermen Burgess
Kinley
Lloyd

Against

Aldermen Adams
Hosterman
MacKay
O'Toole
Stech
Walker

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Moved in amendment by Alderman Walker, seconded by Alderman Lloyd that these men or women, as the case may be, that were granted \$6.00 per month receive the full amount, namely \$10.00 per month. Amendment put and lost, 4 voting for the same and 5 against, as follows:-

For

Aldermen Adams
Lloyd
Walker
Burgess

Against

Aldermen MacKay
Stech
Kinley
Hosterman
O'Toole

The original motion was then put and passed unanimously, the following Aldermen being present and voting therefor:-

Aldermen Adams
Burgess
Hosterman
Kinley
Lloyd
MacKay
O'Toole
Stech
Walker

Alderman Walker gives notice of reconsideration.

A true extract,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK".

Moved by Alderman Walker, seconded by Alderman Lloyd that this matter be reconsidered. Motion put and passed, 8 voting for the same and 3 against it as follows:-

FOR THE MOTION

Aldermen Coffin
Adams
McDonald
Lloyd
Walker
O'Toole
Burgess
Ahern

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AGAINST IT

Aldermen MacKay
Stech
Hosterman

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The original motion was then before the meeting for discussion.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Lloyd, seconded by Alderman Coffin that in the case of employees who receive subsistence and who are in the category of married persons or persons entitled

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to Householders exemption under the provisions of the Income War Tax Act shall receive the sum of \$10.00 per month as a cost of living bonus.

Alderman Hosterman questioned the legality of this amendment and same was ruled out of order by the Chair.

Moved in amendment by Alderman Walker, seconded by Alderman Lloyd that men employed in the City Home who are ^{maintaining} homes, as determined by the practise of the Income Tax Department, be paid the \$10.00 per month war bonus. Amendment put and passed, unanimously.

ACCOUNTS

The following resolution covering accounts of various committees was submitted.

RESOLVED that the Council approve for payment the bills and accounts of expenditures submitted to this meeting by the Finance and Executive Committee amounting to \$9,759.06; the Committee on Safety amounting to \$763.44 chargeable to Fire Alarm; \$17,439.35 chargeable to Fire Department and \$11,499.21 chargeable to Police Department; the Committee on Public Health and Welfare amounting to \$9,762.30 chargeable to Health Department; \$10,431.36 chargeable to City Home and \$2,437.23 chargeable to City Prison; the Committee on Works amounting to \$15,315.93; Directors of Point Pleasant Park amounting to \$1,559.50, under the provisions of Section 315 of the City Charter.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the resolution be adopted. Motion passed.

CITY OF HALIFAX VS. JACOB WITHROW

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re City of Halifax. vs. Jacob Withrow.

*Com. of Fin.
Solicitor*

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Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached correspondence in connection with the claim of the City of Halifax against Jacob Withrow for taxes assessed for the civic year 1926-27 was considered.

In view of the fact that the methods used by the Tax Collecting Department during this period were slipshod, your committee has no alternative but to recommend that the taxes and interest in this case be written off.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman MacKay, seconded by Alderman Lloyd that the report be adopted. Motion put and passed, 10 voting for the same and 1 against it as follows:-

FOR THE MOTION

Aldermen Adams
Burgess
Coffin
Hosterman
Ahern
Lloyd
McDonald
MacKay
O'Toole
Walker

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AGAINST IT

Aldermen Stech

-1-

8.50 P.M.,

Alderman Kinley arrives.

TAX EXEMPTION - AJAX CLUB

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re tax exemption, Ajax Club.

Halifax, N. S.,
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His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the

*Comm. of Fin
Solicitor*

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attached letter from the Commissioner of Finance regarding legislation obtained to allow the City to exempt the Odell Estate in respect of its property on Tobin Street leased to the Ajax Club to provide recreational facilities for naval men was considered.

The Commissioner recommends that legislation be sought so as to include the properties assessed on Kent Street and that full exemption be allowed as long as the Club is making use of the whole property and that same be retrospectively allowed from the time the property was leased by the Ajax Club.

Your committee concurs in this recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

RESERVES - BETTERMENT CHARGES

com. of Fin.
Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee and letter of the Commissioner of Finance re reserves, betterment charges.

Halifax, N. S.
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His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached letter from the Commissioner of Finance regarding reserves for betterment charges for the year 1940-41 was considered.

Your committee approves of the reserves established.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK..

October 14, 1941.

The Chairman
Finance and Executive Committee.

Dear Sir:-

The official lists of Betterment Charges for the year 1940-41 consisting of Sewer, Paving and Sidewalk charges were filed in due course, and

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the amount of reserve at 3% set aside in each case respectively was \$326.58, \$696.44, and \$784.91.

Please approve of the reserves established.

Yours very truly,

A. M. Butler,
COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report and letter be adopted.
Motion passed.

APPOINTMENT OF COAL WEIGHER

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re appointment of coal weigher.

Halifax, N. S.,
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His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached letter from S. Cunard & Co., Ltd. requesting that Mr. J. Earl Boutilier be appointed a permanent coal weigher was considered.

Your committee recommends that the application be approved and Mr. Boutilier appointed a coal weigher.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted.
Motion passed.

STREET WIDENING

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re street widening.

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His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works recommending

*Com. of Works
Clerk
Solicitor*

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that the City Charter be amended to provide that monies available for street widening could also be used for extending purposes was considered.

Your committee approves of this recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

Read legislation in this connection.

The schedule to Chapter 77 of the Acts of 1914 entitled "An Act to enable the City of Halifax to borrow money" is amended by inserting therein in the ninth line thereof between the words "widening" and "of" the words "or extending".

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the legislation be approved. Motion passed.

WIDENING - BLUE BELL LANE

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re widening, Blue Bell Lane.

Halifax, N. S.,
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His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works recommending that Mrs. E. A. Nickerson be paid the sum of \$5.00 to reimburse her for the expense of a partial release of mortgage in connection with the widening of Blue Bell Lane was considered.

Your committee approves of this recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

*Comm. of Works
Clerk*

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Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

DUKE STREET PAVING

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re Duke Street paving.

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His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works recommending that Duke Street between Brunswick and Market Streets be resurfaced with pavement of one inch stone filled type at an estimated cost of \$700.00 was considered.

Your committee approves of this recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted.

Motion passed.

SEWER EXTENSION - EDINBURGH STREET

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re sewer extension, Edinburgh St.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works recommending the extension of sewer on Edinburgh Street when three houses are under construction at a total estimated cost of \$2,100.00 was considered and approved.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

*Com. of Works
Clerk*

*Com. of Works
Clerk*

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Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

SEWER AND WATER EXTENSION - FLINN STREET

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re sewer and water extension, Flinn Street.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works recommending that sewer and water be laid to serve Lot #51 on Flinn Street at an estimated total cost of \$360.00 was considered and approved.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

SEWER RIGHT-OF-WAY - RIDGEWOOD SUB-DIVISION

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re sewer right-of-way, Ridgewood sub-division.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works submitting a report from a sub-committee recommending the payment of \$400.00 to the Ridgewood Realities for an easement over a right-of-way through the Ridgewood sub-division was considered and approved.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

*Com. of Works
Clerk*

*Com. of Works
Clerk*

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Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

SIDEWALK - EDINBURGH STREET

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re sidewalk, Edinburgh Street.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works recommending the construction of a concrete sidewalk on the north side of Edinburgh Street extending from Dublin Street westerly to a distance of 120 feet was considered.

The total estimated cost of this work is \$500.00 and your committee recommends that the sidewalk be constructed in the regular way if funds are available.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

REPAIRS TO THIRD FLOOR, CITY HALL

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re repairs to third floor, City Hall.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works regarding the proposed repairs to the third floor of the City Hall was considered.

*Com. of Works
clerk*

*Com. of Works
clerk*

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The recommendation of the Works Committee that the tender of W. G. Foley amounting to \$1,681.00 for repairs and renovations to quarters for the Finance Department be accepted was approved and the money required for this purpose to be borrowed in accordance with legislation secured.

The Finance and Executive Committee also approved of the recommendation of the Works Committee that the tender of W. G. Foley amounting to \$2,622.00 for repairs and renovations to quarters for the Health Department be accepted and that the sum required for this purpose be borrowed under the provisions of Section 332A. of the City Charter.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by

Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted.

Motion put and passed, 10 voting for the same and 2 against it as follows:-

FOR THE MOTION

Aldermen MacKay
Stech
Kinley
Hosterman
Coffin
Adams
McDonald
Lloyd
Walker
O'Toole
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AGAINST IT

Aldermen Burgess
Ahern

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PAY - EMPLOYEES OF WORKS AND WATER DEPARTMENTS

Read reports of the Finance and Executive Committee and Works Committee re pay, employees of Works and Water Departments.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Committee on Works regarding the date at which the increase of 5¢ per hour for employees of the City Works and Water Departments was to commence was approved and recommended for acceptance.

Respectfully submitted,
W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

*Com. of Works
Clerk*

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Halifax, N.S.,
October 15, 1941.

W. E. Donovan, Esq.,
Mayor and Chairman Finance and Executive Committee,
City Hall,
CITY.

Dear Sir:-

It appears that some misunderstanding has occurred re the report to the Finance and Executive Committee from the Committee on Works of September 20th regarding the date at which the increase of five cents (\$.05) per hour for employees of the City Works and Water Department was to commence.

In order to clear up this doubt, the Committee on Works at its meeting held October 8th, 1941, expressed its intention that this increase was to be effective as of and from August 1st, 1941, and was to be paid to employees employed on September 11th, 1941.

This report is sent to you for your information and concurrence and to be forwarded to the Council.

Yours very truly,

T. J. Moore,
CLERK OF WORKS.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the reports be adopted.

Motion passed.

TRAM CAR PASSES FOR NURSES

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re tram car passes for nurses.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the Public Health and Welfare Committee recommending that nurses who are doing field work be supplied with tram car passes each week was approved providing funds are available for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

*Supt. of Health
Chief acc't*

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Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

ACCOUNT - GARBAGE TRUCK INVESTIGATION

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re account for garbage truck investigation.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached letter from the City Solicitor submitting an account from R. H. Murray, Judge of the County Court, for District #1, amounting to \$207.65 covering the garbage truck investigation was considered.

Your committee recommends that the account be passed for payment.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

Alderman McDonald wishing to be recorded against.

SUPERANNUATION - POLICE CONSTABLE MALCOLM A. MACLEAN

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re superannuation of Police Constable Malcolm A. MacLean.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the

*Chief Acct.
Publicover*

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attached report from the Safety Committee in connection with the superannuation of Police Constable Malcolm A. MacLean was considered.

Your committee recommends that Constable Malcolm A. MacLean be superannuated as from October 15, 1941, at an annual allowance of \$1,142.84 as provided by Section 270 of the City Charter.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

QUARTERS - HALIFAX POLICE AMATEUR ATHLETIC AND SOCIAL CLUB.

Read report of the Finance and Executive Committee re quarters, Halifax Police Amateur Athletic and Social Club.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and Executive Committee held on the above date, the attached letter from the Halifax Police Amateur Athletic and Social Club advising that the quarters for which Council agreed to pay the sum of \$25.00 per month were too small for the requirements of the Club and that suitable accommodations have been secured in the W. A. Black building on Hollis Street at a rental of \$40.00 per month was considered.

Your committee recommends that the original report be amended to read \$40.00 per month instead of \$25.00 per month.

Respectfully submitted,

W.P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

*Chief Arch.
Solicitor*

October 16, 1941

SALE OF PROPERTIES

Read report of the Finance and
Executive Committee re sale of properties.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 15, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and
Executive Committee held on the above date, tenders
for the sale of various city owned properties were
considered.

Your committee recommends the sale of
the following properties:-

Lot #2 Highland Park to Mr. H. Boutilier	\$60.00
Lot #16 Rector St. to Mr. L. J. Currie	70.00
Lot #31 Highland Ave. to Leonard Bowdridge	127.00

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by
Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion
passed.

SALE OF PROPERTY - #43 GRAFTON STREET

Read report of the Finance and Executive
Committee re sale of property, 43 Grafton Street.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 16, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Finance and
Executive Committee held this evening, a tender from
Mr. F. W. Bissett on behalf of Hum Kwong Tong Ltd,
offering to pay the sum of \$1,305.00 for the property
#43 Grafton Street in the City of Halifax was
considered.

Your committee recommends that the
tender be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

October 16, 1941.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

OVERCOATS AND CAPS - FIRE DEPARTMENT

Read report of the Safety Committee re tenders for overcoats and caps, Fire Department.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 16, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Safety Committee held on the above date, tenders for supplying 36, more or less, uniform overcoats for members of the Fire Department and 48, more or less, caps were considered as follows:-

J. M. Vaughan	Overcoats	\$25.50
Bloomfield Mens Wear	"	22.75, tax included
	Caps	2.70 each, tax included
Clayton & Sons Ltd.	Overcoats	20.00 each, plus tax.
Colwell Bros.	Caps	2.64 each

Your committee recommends the acceptance of the tenders of Bloomfield Mens Wear for overcoats at \$22.75 each, tax included, and Colwell Bros. for caps at \$2.64 each.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Burgess, seconded by Alderman O'Toole that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

INSURANCE ON TAXIS

Solicitor
Read report of the Safety Committee re insurance on taxis.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 10, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Safety Committee held on the above date, the attached report from the

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Comba Committee recommending that the City Solicitor be requested to prepare legislation for presentation to the Legislature at its next session, making it compulsory for taxi owners to carry Public Liability Insurance was approved and recommended to the City Council.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman Burgess that the report be adopted.

Motion passed.

TENDERS FOR GROCERIES - CIVIC INSTITUTIONS

Read report of the Public Health and Welfare Committee re tenders for groceries, civic institutions.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 16, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Public Health and Welfare Committee held this evening, a report of a sub committee recommending for acceptance the tenders of John Tobin & Co.Ltd. for supplying groceries to the City Home and City Prison at \$345.89 and for supplying groceries to the Hospitals at \$638.43 for a period of one month was considered and approved.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Hosterman, seconded by Alderman Coffin that the report be adopted.

Motion passed.

TENDERS FOR BUTTER - CIVIC INSTITUTIONS

Read report of the Public Health and Welfare Committee re tenders for butter, civic institutions.

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Halifax, N. S.,
October 9, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Public Health and Welfare Committee held on the above date, tenders for supplying butter to civic institutions for a three months period were considered as follows:-

W. A. Maling Co., Ltd.	38½¢	per lb.
J. A. Leaman & Co., Ltd.	38½¢	"
R. B. Colwell Ltd.	38½¢	"
J. R. Pineo	39¢	"
Davis & Fraser	39¢	"

Your committee recommends that the tender of W. A. Maling Co., Ltd. at 38½¢ per lb. be accepted for a three months period.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Burgess, seconded by Alderman Coffin that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

TENDERS FOR EGGS - CIVIC INSTITUTIONS

Read report of the Public Health and Welfare Committee re tenders for eggs, civic institutions.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 9, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Public Health and Welfare Committee held on the above date, tenders for supplying eggs to civic institutions for three months period were considered as follows:-

W. A. Maling Co. Ltd.	Market price
R. B. Colwell Ltd.	47¢ per doz.
J. R. Pineo	50¢ "

Your committee recommends that the tender of R. B. Colwell Ltd. at 47¢ per dozen for a three months period be accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

October 16, 1941.

Moved by Alderman Burgess, seconded by Alderman Coffin that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

DETENTION OF SEAMEN IN CITY PRISON

Read report of the Public Health and Welfare Committee and letter from the City Solicitor re detention of seamen in City Prison.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 9, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Public Health and Welfare Committee held on the above date, the attached letter from the City Solicitor regarding the detention of seamen in the City Prison was considered.

Your committee recommends that the letter of the Solicitor be approved and an agreement made with the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services on the same terms as the previous agreement made with the Minister of Mines and Resources for Canada.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

October 12, 1941.

His Yorship the Mayor
Chairman, Committee on Public
Health and Welfare,
City Hall,
Halifax, N. S.

Dear Sir:-

In October 1940 the City entered into an agreement with the Minister of Mines and Resources for Canada to provide for the detention in the City Prison of alien seamen. At that time this matter was under the direction of the Department of Immigration. Since that time the P.C. order dealing with this matter has been changed, namely in April 1941, to extend the application of the order to all merchant seamen and transferred the control of the matter from the Department of Immigration to the Department of National Defence (Naval Services). We have been requested to extend the existing agreement to cover the changed conditions, but in my opinion we should have a new agreement covering matters as they now exist.

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I discussed this matter at length with the Governor of the Prison and he finds the previous arrangement quite satisfactory and is quite agreeable that a new agreement, in the same terms as the previous one, be made with the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services, providing the conditions upon which the City will maintain the merchant seamen in the City Prison. There are several details to be finalized and if your committee will approve of the principle involved and require that any new agreement be in the same terms as the previous agreement and satisfactory to me, I can proceed with my negotiations with the Department of National Defence and have this matter finalized promptly.

For your information the agreement provides that the Department pays for clothing and board for the prisoners and it further provides that if the existing accommodation is insufficient to take care of the merchant seamen that the Department will provide additional accommodation. It is a matter of importance that the City's responsibility for taking these prisoners is limited to the capacity of its Prison and the City has a prior right to the facilities of the Prison for its own prisoners. In the event of the accommodation being insufficient to accommodate both the prisoners of the City and the seamen the Minister is to provide additional accommodation for the seamen.

There has been a slight disruption in the satisfactory manner in which the accounts were being paid when the matter was under the jurisdiction of the Department of Immigration. This, I think, is due solely to the change from one Department to another and I think that once the matter is straightened out the payments will be received regularly. I have written to the Department to this effect.

As I have said before, I have discussed this matter thoroughly with the Governor of the Prison and it was agreed that I should make this report on this matter to your Committee and, if approved, carry out the arrangements to a conclusion.

Yours very truly,

Carl P. Bethune,
CITY SOLICITOR.

Moved by Alderman Coffin, seconded by Alderman Burgess that the report and letter be adopted. Motion passed.

HEALTH SURVEY

Read report of the Public Health and Welfare Committee submitting correspondence re health survey by the Rockefeller Foundation.

October 16, 1941.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 9, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Public Health and Welfare Committee held on the above date, the attached correspondence in connection with the health survey by the Rockefeller Foundation was ordered forwarded to the Council for its information.

Respectfully submitted,

W. F. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Halifax,
25th September, 1941.

Dear Mr. Mayor:-

Last week I had a conference with the Directors of the Rockefeller Foundation in New York, and among other matters discussed the situation with regard to health matters in this City, and your request made to me last week.

I am very glad to be able to state that my reception was most cordial. The Foundation has promised me that they will, at a very early date, loan to this Department an expert in public health organization, whose services would be made available for the carrying on of a survey in the City of Halifax.

Further, if a difficult situation should arise in Halifax during the coming winter, that they might consider augmenting this with a second man.

Regarding financial aid, this of course would be contingent on the recommendation of the party making the survey, but I was given to understand that should the City be prepared to develop its Public Health Department, and the party making the survey so recommends, the Foundation would be willing to contribute for a period, until the City is able to adjust its financing to the new budget.

To me the picture looks particularly bright, and I think you and your Council are to be congratulated on the progressive manner in which you are dealing with the whole problem.

Yours sincerely,

F. R. Davis.

Mayor W. E. Donovan,
Halifax,
Nova Scotia.

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October 16, 1941.

QUESTIONS

Alderman Ahern stated that he had suggested at a recent meeting of the Board of School Commissioners that safety zones be erected at certain schools, and in this connection a letter had been forwarded to the Chief of Police, who had replied that he had no funds available for this purpose.

Alderman Ahern asked if funds could not be provided in order that safety zones could be erected at Bloomfield, St. Patricks, Morris Street and other schools.

The Mayor advised Alderman Ahern to take this matter up with the proper committee.

Alderman Burgess asked if any consideration had been given to the matter of providing new quarters for the Police Court when arranging for space on the top floor of the City Hall for the Finance Department.

He termed the present court room a disgrace to the City and not a fit place to expect a Magistrate to sit in.

The Mayor stated that legislation provides for the borrowing of funds for office space for the Finance Department, but no provision is made for new quarters for the Police Court.

Alderman Kinley remarked that this had been discussed in committee recently and he was of the opinion that some definite action will be taken before long to provide new quarters for the Police Department and Courts.

October 16, 1941.

APPOINTMENTS TO BOARD OF SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS

Read letter from the City Clerk re
vacancies on Board of School Commissioners..

October 16, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

In connection with the appointment of
members of the City Council to the Board of School
Commissioners, it is necessary to make the following
appointments:-

Two Aldermen for three year terms to
replace Aldermen Kinley and MacKay whose terms of
office expire October 31, 1941.

Two Aldermen for one year terms to
fill the unexpired terms of Ex-Aldermen W.A. MacDonald
and H. F. Curran.

Alderman Ahern was originally appointed
for the term expiring October 31, 1943 and due to
the fact that he ceased to be an Alderman on April
30, 1941, and has since then been elected to a seat
in Council it will be necessary to either re-appoint
him or appoint another member of Council in his stead.

Yours very truly,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Lloyd, seconded by
Alderman Burgess that Aldermen Ahern be re-appointed
to the Board of School Commissioners for the term
expiring October 31, 1943.

Moved by Alderman Burgess, seconded
by Alderman Walker that nominations cease. Motion
passed.

The original motion was put and passed.

His Worship the Mayor declared Alderman
Ahern duly appointed to the Board of School
Commissioners for the term expiring October 31, 1943.

October 16, 1941.

Moved by Alderman Adams, seconded by Alderman O'Toole that Alderman Lloyd be appointed to the Board of School Commissioners to replace Ex-Alderman H. F. Curran, term expiring October 31, 1942. Motion passed.

Moved by Alderman Ahern, seconded by Alderman Hosterman that Alderman Burgess be appointed to the Board of School Commissioners to replace Ex-Alderman W. A. MacDonald, term expiring October 31, 1942. Motion passed.

The Mayor declared Alderman Lloyd and Alderman Burgess duly appointed to the Board of School Commissioners for the terms expiring October 31, 1942.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman Lloyd that Alderman MacKay be appointed to the Board of School Commissioners for the term expiring October 31, 1944. Motion passed.

Moved by Alderman Burgess, seconded by Alderman Ahern that Alderman Walker be appointed to the Board of School Commissioners for the term expiring October 31, 1944.

Alderman Adams nominated Alderman Kinley, who declined the nomination in favor of Alderman Walker.

The motion was then put and passed.

The Mayor declared Alderman MacKay and Alderman Walker duly appointed to the Board of School Commissioners for the term expiring October 31, 1944.

October 16, 1941.

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SALARY REVISION COMMITTEE

Read report of the Salary Revision Committee submitting scale of salaries for civic employees.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 16, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At meetings of the Salary Revision Committee held on October 2nd and October 10th the committee approved of the attached scale of salaries effective as from May 1st, 1941 and decided to recommend to Council

- (1) That existing employees be paid their present rates of pay, plus the cost of living bonus.
- (2) That without regard to existing employees, a scale of salaries be set for all employees in accordance with the attached scale.
- (3) That the heads of departments be instructed to consider the effect of such action on various employees under their jurisdiction and to report back any inequities or adjustments that may be necessary.

The committee also recommended that in the event that there is no authority to pay such salary increases that legislation be secured to make it retroactive as from May 1st, 1941.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

SCHEDULES OF COMPENSATION AND OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS
DEALING WITH THE PERSONS IN THE EMPLOY OF THE SEVERAL
DEPARTMENTS OF THE CITY OF HALIFAX.

FLEMING PARK

<u>Position</u>	<u>Present Salary</u>	<u>Amended Scale, Kinley report.</u>	<u>Evaluation for H. & S.</u>
Superintendent	\$1,300.	\$1300/1600.	

Note: The sum of \$300.00 has been included in the "Recommended Scale" column for housing allowance.

CAMP HILL CEMETERY

Superintendent	1,800.	1600/1900.	
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POINT PLEASANT PARK

Superintendent	1,300.	1000/1300.	\$300. H.
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PUBLIC GARDENS

Superintendent	2,200.	1800/2100.	500.H.
Asst. Supt.	1,560.	1200/1500.	

CITIZENS FREE LIBRARY

Librarian	1,500.	1200/1500.	
1st Assistant	1,100.	800/1100.	
2nd Assistant	1,000.	800/1000.	

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE

Supt. of Health with duties of Chief Inspector and Business Manager	2,900.	2600/3000. 2800/3200.*	
Inspectors with Certificate	-	1300/1700.	
Inspectors with- out Certificate	V. to 1,700.	1200/1700.	
Plumbing Inspector	2,300.	2100/2400.	
Asst. Plumbing Inspector	75¢ per hr.	1600/1900.	
Milk and Food Inspector	3,000. (This position to be renamed "Dairy Inspector" and the salary is to be set later if any successor to the present incumbent is appointed).		
Public Health Nurse, R.N. with Public Health Certificate	-	1200/1400.	
Nurses, R.N.	-	1080/1200.	
Clerk, Grade 11.	-	960/1200.	

* When incumbent is the holder of a Certificate in Sanitary Inspection granted by the Canadian Public Health Association.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL

<u>Position</u>	<u>Present Salary</u>	<u>Amended Scale, Kinley report.</u>	<u>Evaluation for H. & S.</u>
Matron	\$1,300.	\$1100/1300.	\$300. H.S.
Asst. Matron	1,080.	900/1100.	300. H.S.
Nurse, R.N.	960.	960. flat	300. H.S.
Graduate Nurse	-	900. flat	300. H.S.
Seamstress	450.	450. flat	250. H.S.
Cook	490.	Not exceeding 600.	250. H.S.
Cook's helper	300.	" " 420.	250. H.S.
Maids	300.	300. flat	250. H.S.
Male Orderly	900.	780/900.	250. H.S.

TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL

Medical Supt. and Tuberculosis Specialist	2,200.	To be set later.	
Matron, R.N.	1,200.	1000/1200.	300. H.S.
Asst. Matron, R.N.	1,000.	800/1000.	300. H.S.
Night Supervisor, R.N.	960.	960. flat	300. H.S.
Nurse, R.N.	960.	900. flat	300. H.S.
Graduate Nurse	V. to 900.	840. flat	300. H.S.
Clerk, Grade 2.	480.	660/900.	300. H.S.
Male Orderly	600.	780/900.	250. H.S.
Cook	600.	Not exceeding 600.	250. H.S.
Cook's helper	420.	" " 420.	250. H.S.
Laundress	480.		250. H.S.

(Salary Scale for this position to be set later if any successor to the present incumbent is appointed.)

Laundry Maid	300.	275. flat	250. H.S.
Domestic	240.	240. flat	260. H.S.

CITY HOME

Supt. of City Home	2,600.	2200/2600.	400. H.
Asst. to Supt.	1,900.	1700/2000.	300. H.
Matron, R.N.	1,200.	1000/1200.	375. H.S.
Asst. Matron, R.N.	-	780. flat	250. H.S.
General Night Supervisor	1,120.	1000/1200.	
Registered Nurse, F.	-	780. flat	250. H.S.
Graduate Nurse, F.	-	720. flat	250. H.S.
Attendant F.	-	480/600.	250. H.S.
Practical Nurse F.	-	510/660.	250. H.S.
Head Male Nurse, R.N.	-	1020. flat	250. H.S.
Head Male Nurse, Graduate	-	960. flat	250. H.S.
Male Nurse, R.N.	-	900. flat	250. H.S.
Male Nurse Graduate	-	840. flat	250. H.S.
Male Attendant	660.	720/780.	250. H.S.
Engineer Mechanic	1,560.	1260/1560.	
Fireman	1,200.	1000/1200.	
Cook	1,160.	1000/1200.	250. H.S.
Asst. Cook	1,200.	800/900.	250. H.S.
Staff Cook	450.	450. flat	250. H.S.
Utility Man	75¢ per hr.	1,300. flat.	
Laundress	450.	450. flat	
Night Watchman	300.	300. flat	200. H.S.
Storekeeper	720.	900/1200.	

RECOMMENDATIONS - That the interpretation of a

"graduate nurse" employed in any hospital or institution operated by the City is a nurse who has taken a full three year course and has graduated.

That \$5.00 extra per month be paid to the attendant in charge of Wards 2F. and 2M. only.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

<u>Position</u>	<u>Present Salary</u>	<u>Amended Scale, Kinley report.</u>	<u>Evaluation for H. & S.</u>
First Deputy	\$2,700.	2500/2700.	
Second Deputy	2,400.	2200/2450.	
Chief Detective	2,260.	2200/2400.	
Detective	1,960.	2060/2300.	
Inspector of Licenses	-	1900/2100.	
Sergeants	V. to 1,900.	1700/2000.	
Clerk Constable	1,700.	1200/1680.	
Constables	V. to 1,600.	1200/1680.	
Policewoman	900.	900/1200.	
" with qualifications to be determined		-	
Automobile Mechanic	1,200.	1200/1400.	
Utility Man	1,000.	1200/1400.	
Janitor	972.	1000. flat.	

CITY PRISON.

Governor	1,740.	1700/2000.	\$300. H.
Deputy Governor	1,600.	1680/1800.	
Matron	720.	600/750.	
Keepers	Various	1200/1680.	

FIRE DEPARTMENT

1st Deputy	2,260.	2500/2700.	
2nd Deputy	2,160.	2200/2450.	
Captain	V. to 1,900.	1700/2000.	
Carpenter (Hoseman)	1,600.	1200/1680.	
Motor Mechanic	-	1700/2000.	
Chauffeur, Hoseman, Ladderman	V. to 1600.	1200/1680.	
Pump Operator, Fireman-Clerk	-	1200/1680.	

CITY ELECTRICIAN'S DEPARTMENT

Wiring Inspector	2,200.	1900/2300.	
Fireman- Electrician	1,900.	1900/2100.	
Electrician	1,800.	1700/1900.	
Lineman	1,600.	1300/1700.	
Clerk, Grade 11.			

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ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

<u>Position</u>	<u>Present Salary</u>	<u>Amended Scale, Kinley report.</u>	<u>Evaluation for H. & S.</u>
Deputy Commissioner of Works	\$3,600.	3400/3800.	
City Collector	3,800.	3000/3400.	
Divisional Engineer	3,000.	3000/3300.	
Chief Accountant	3,800.	2800/3200.	
City Treasurer	3,300.	2600/3000.	
Internal Auditor	2,600.	2600/3000.	
Deputy Assessor	2,400.	2600/2900.	
Deputy Collector	2,600.	2500/2800.	2600 - 2900 - See Dec 29/41
Superintendent, Streets & Sewers	2,400.	2500/2800.	
Solicitor's Asst.	1,700.	2200/2500.	
Clerk of Works	2,500.	2200-2500.	
Superintendent, Water Dept.	2,000.	2200/2500.	
Surveyor	2,184.	2200/2500.	
Asst. Assessor	2,200.	2100/2400.	
Secretary, Housing Commission	2,200.	1700/2000.	
Accounting and Auditing Clerk (technical qualifications)	-	1700/2000.	
Asst. Clerk of Works	1,760.	1700/2000.	
Court Clerk	2,500.	1700/2000.	
Treasurer's Asst.	2,400.	1700/2000.	
1st Clerk, Assessor's Department	1,500.	1500/1800.	
Clerk-Draftsman	-	1500/1800.	
Accounting and Auditing Clerks (practical qualifications)	1,900.	1500/1800.	
Poll Tax Officer	2,000.	1500/1800.	
Deputy City Clerk	1,520.	1300/1700.	
Tax Collection Clerks	V. to 1,600.	1300/1700.	
Ledger Keepers	1,700.	1300/1700.	
Clerks, Grade III.	-	1200/1600.	
Cashiers	-	1200/1600.	
Court Stenographer	- (Male) - (Female)	1200/1600. 1000/1300.	
Ledger System Supervisor	-	1100/1400.	
Street Collectors	V. to 1,600.	1100/1400.	
Secretaries	-	1000/1300.	
Meter Readers	V. to 1,500.	1000/1300.	
Entry Clerk, Water Dept.	1,300.	1000/1300.	
Addressograph Clerk	1,040.	900/1200.	
Accounting Machine Operators	-	900/1200.	
Clerks, Grade II.	-	960/1200.	
Stenographers, Grade II.	1,200.	900/1120.	
Asst. Entry Clerk (Water Dept).	848.	800/1000.	
Market Clerk	900.	750/900.	
Clerks, Grade I.	-	720/960.	
Stenographers, Grade I.	-	720/900.	

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Moved by Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report and scale as submitted be adopted.

Alderman Lloyd was of the opinion that the civic employees should be assured that the Personnel Committee will be pleased to consider any letters regarding inequities in their salaries.

He was also of the opinion that in the instance of an employee being engaged by the City at a maximum salary, that the City would be obliged to continue paying increases until such maximum salary is reached, unless the employee is proven incompetent.

The motion was then put and passed, 11 voting for the same and 1 against it as follows:

FOR THE MOTION

Aldermen Adams
Burgess
Coffin
Hosterman
Kinley
Ahern
Lloyd
McDonald
MacKay
O'Toole
Walker

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AGAINST IT

Aldermen Stech

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Read report of the Salary Revision Committee re salaries, department heads.

Halifax, N. S.,
October 16, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Salary Revision Committee held on October 2nd, 1941, the committee had under consideration a scale of salaries for department heads.

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Your committee recommends that the salaries of department heads remain as at present with the following exceptions:-

- (1) That the Commissioner of Health and Public Welfare be paid a salary of \$5,000.00 per year.
- (2) That the City Solicitor be paid a salary of \$5,000.00 per year with an annual increase of \$100.00 until he reaches a maximum of \$5,500.00 per year.
- (3) That the City Electrician's salary be fixed at a maximum of \$3,000.00 per year and that he be paid an annual increase of \$100.00 until he reaches that maximum.
- (4) That the City Assessor's salary be fixed at a maximum of \$4,000.00 per year with an annual increase of \$100.00 until he reaches that maximum.
- (5) That the City Clerk's maximum salary be set at \$3,300.00 per year and that he receive an annual increase of \$100.00 until he reaches that maximum,

and that where it is referred to the increases commence as from May 1st, 1941, and that in the event there is no authority to pay such increases that legislation be secured to make it retroactive from May 1st, 1941.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Moved by Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the report be adopted. Motion put and passed unanimously; the following Aldermen being present and voting therefor:-

Aldermen MacKay
Stech
Kinley
Hosterman
Coffin
Adams
McDonald
Lloyd
Walker
O'Toole
Burgess
Ahern

October 16, 1941.

Moved by Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman MacKay that the Salary Revision Committee be discharged. Motion passed.

Moved by Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman Walker that the Mayor appoint a committee of Council to deal with salary appeals, any injustices in the report and to review salaries of department heads.

After some discussion on this matter, Alderman Kinley stated that with the consent of the seconder of the motion he would like to withdraw his motion.

Alderman Walker, the seconder of the motion, agreed to this and the motion was withdrawn.

Moved by Alderman Winley, seconded by Alderman Burgess that letters from the Commissioner of Finance, Chief of Police, Chief of the Fire Department and Commissioner of Works regarding salaries, as contained in the minutes of the last Salary Revision Committee, be embodied in minutes of this meeting. Motion put and passed, 8 voting for the same and 4 against it as follows:-

FOR THE MOTION

Aldermen Adams
Burgess
Kinley
Ahern
Lloyd
McDonald
O'Toole
Walker
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AGAINST IT

Aldermen Coffin
Hosterman
MacKay
Stech

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See page 276.
Letter from
Commissioner of Finance
re Wartime Bonus.

October 16, 1941.

Finance and Accounting Dept.,
Halifax, N. S.,
October 10, 1941.

The Chairman,
Salary Revision Committee,
CITY.

Dear Sir:-

The publicity which accompanies a discussion of salaries of public officials is never desirable. Because I have had some of this publicity in recent days, (without seeking it or doing anything which would direct it my way) I have come to the conclusion that your committee, to further its desire to review impartially the salaries of department heads, ought to be placed in possession of certain facts.

My service with the City extends for a period of nearly fifteen years. About ten years ago the City, by unanimous vote, offered me the salary I am now receiving in order that my services would be retained. I am, therefore, responsible for establishing the maximum of the present salary scale. Had the then circumstances brought about a higher maximum, this higher maximum probably would be utilized today as a standard for your ultimate appraisal, and would be made to serve as a general objective for any persons in whom your committee would wish to indicate its wholehearted confidence. I have concluded, therefore, that I should attempt a brief resume of certain beneficial plans, for which I am responsible, that have brought hundreds of thousands of dollars of tax relief in past years and which will have a like influence on the future.

The first:

The shifting of the date for tax payments in 1929 from July to May, thus permitting the application of \$500,000.00 to date to the civic tax rates of the past ten years. This shift will assure an annual credit of at least \$50,000. in future to the civic estimates.

The second:

The sinking fund investment policy, initiated after England abandoned the gold standard several years ago, has saved the City all costs for American exchange since the outbreak of war. The external Funded Debt of the City, would at 11% require \$18,000.00 annually for premium servicing. The principal of \$3,481,000.00 might require any premium which was current at maturity. This whole situation has been fully protected by coverage of Trustee investments payable in two markets, and no cost, but only profit, will accrue to the taxpayers as a result. As a matter of fact a substantial profit is now in hand from this operation. So far as I know there was no general emphasis on this plan elsewhere where the same problem prevailed, notwithstanding that, in many cases the opportunity to apprehend the need for action ought to have been apparent.

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They are strongly held. There is no available supply. The prices the City obtains when it sells its bonds, are excellent.

I would call your particular attention to the fact that under the re-organization, developed by the Brittain report, has made the Commissioner of Finance responsible for four large divisions - Accounting, Collecting, Internal Auditing and Treasury. Is it not a fair question to ask why should not the assumption of added responsibilities be reflected, as it is to be reflected in other departments, by a favorable adjustment of salary?

With the much larger City of Ottawa, were I should imagine, the financial problems are no more and perhaps not as difficult as our own (because of the more favorable economic circumstances there) the relative position of its chief financial officer among the other department heads recognizes that the comparison is relative on a basis of 5 to 3.

I have gone to some trouble to seek an authoritative source on the question of salaries paid the chief financial officers of important Canadian cities. I should like to quote from the reply which I have received. The Chairman has knowledge of the source of my information.

"I would say that in the larger Cities the post of chief financial officer, of whatever particular designation, is regarded with high ranking importance among the appointed permanent administrative staff. In several instances he is the highest paid municipal employee, and is deferred to, although not always recognized, as holding the most important administrative post in the local government".

In conclusion, I wish to express the hope that the facts in this letter should be allowed to speak for themselves.

I have made no personal request of any member of your committee to give consideration to an adjustment of my salary. I assumed that the committee would extend its inquiry in order to ascertain the nature and extent of the duties and responsibilities of each department head and would not restrict its program to less than that.

Yours very truly,

A. M. Butcher,
COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE.

October 16, 1941.

Police Department,
Halifax, N. S.,
October 10, 1941.

The Chairman and Members
Salary Revision Committee.

Gentlemen:-

Some days ago I noticed in one of the Halifax Papers a list, issued by Alderman Lloyd, showing the increases in salary, for the various members of my department. I note, however, that my name as Chief of Police has been omitted.

I feel that with my 30 years of service as a Police Officer for the City of Halifax, eleven of which were served in an executive position, and during which time tried to the best of my ability to fulfill all the duties imposed upon me and the fact that the cost of living has increased considerably, that my salary should receive the same consideration that the others are receiving at the present time.

Trusting that this will meet with your approval, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Judson J. Conrod,
CHIEF OF POLICE.

Police Department,
Halifax, N. S.,
October 8, 1941.

The Chairman and Members
Salary Revision Committee.

Gentlemen:-

I hereby submit for your consideration a list showing the scale of salaries adopted for the members of the Halifax Police Department in 1930, also a list of the salaries received at present, and a list showing the salaries recommended to the Salary Revision Committee for consideration.

Rank	1930 Scale	Pres. Salary	Salary Rec.
1st Deputy	\$2300/2700.	\$2,700.	\$2500/2800.
2nd "		2,400.	2200/2450.
Sgt. Insp.		1,900.	1900/2100.
Ch. Detect.	1900/2260.	2,080.	2200/2400.
Detectives	1900/2160.	1,960.	2060/2300.
Sergeants	1660/1900.	1,900.	1800/2000.
Constables	1200/1600.	1,600.	1300/1680.
Clerk		1,200.	1200/1680.
Policewoman	900/1100.	900.	900/1200.
Mechanic		1,200.	1200/1400.
Utility Man		1,000.	1200/1400.
Janitor		972.	/1000.
Court Clerk		2,500.	1700/2000.
Court Stenog.			M. 1200/1600.

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Trusting that this will meet with your approval, I remain,

Yours very truly,

Judson J. Conrod,
CHIEF OF POLICE.

Police Department,
Halifax, N. S.,
October 8, 1941.

Chairman and Members
Salary Revision Committee.

Gentlemen:-

Upon examining the revised list of salaries for the Halifax Police Department, I am pleased to note that you have dealt generously with every member of the Force, with the exception of the First Deputy.

I feel that this has been an oversight and the salary of this man, along with the other members of the department should receive your consideration.

Yours very truly,

Judson J. Conrod,
CHIEF OF POLICE.

Fire Department,
Halifax, N. S.,
October 10, 1941.

Chairman and Members of the
Salary Revision Committee.

Gentlemen:-

I am taking the privilege of writing to ask your favorable reconsideration of my salary in comparison with my responsibilities and the salaries being paid Fire Chiefs throughout the Dominion in cities of similar size and their responsibilities.

It is unnecessary, I feel, to comment at any length, as I am of the opinion that your committee is familiar with all conditions prevailing, particularly in this City.

Thanking you in anticipation, I am,

Respectfully yours,

J. W. Churchill,
CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

October 16, 1941.

Office of Commissioner of Works,
Halifax, N. S.,
October 10, 1941.

G. S. Kinley, Esq.,
Chairman,
Salary Revision Committee,
Halifax, N. S.

Dear Sir:-

It has been called to my attention that the City Hall Janitor does not appear on the 1940 recommended scale.

The Janitor preceding the present one received \$1500. plus housing which would at least equal \$1800.00. This position, I presume, would be a flat rate.

The present Janitor receives \$1642.00.

I would ask that your Committee have the position placed on your list.

Yours very truly,

R. M. MacKinnon,
COMMISSIONER OF WORKS.

GRADING AND ACCEPTANCE - WARDEN STREET

*Com. of Works
Clerk*

Read report of the Committee on Works re grading and acceptance, Warden Street.

October 18, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Committee on Works at a meeting held on the 8th instant, recommended to Council for adoption the attached report of the Commissioner of Works dated September 22nd, 1941, recommending that Warden Street be graded and accepted as a city street.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK..

Per:
T. J. Moore.

Moved by Alderman Walker, seconded by Alderman O'Toole that the report be adopted.

Motion passed.

October 16, 1941.

TRAMWAYS

Read report of the Committee on Works and letter from the N. S. Light and Power Co., Ltd. re tramways.

October 16, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Committee on Works held on October 8, 1941, the attached letter dated October 7, 1941, from Mr. J. B. Hayes, Manager, Nova Scotia Light & Power Co. Ltd., was read and considered.

On motion of Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman Adams, your committee recommends that items 1 and 2 thereof, respecting the removal of the tracks of the Company on Tower Road between the entrance to Francklyn Park and Martello Tower and the extension of the double track on Gottingen Street from Livingstone Street north to a point fifty feet south of the south line of Merkle Street, be approved.

Your committee also recommends that the requests contained in items 3 and 4 of the said letter be also approved as a temporary measure to continue as long as the present need for the same exists, but this approval is not to be regarded as an approval for the permanent location of tracks and the same will be removed when the necessity for them ceases.

Your committee also recommends that the matter of the permission requested in items 3 and 4 be subject to the execution of an agreement between the company and the city, satisfactory to the City Solicitor.

Attached hereto is a report of the Commissioner of Works dated October 8, 1941, entitled "Morris Street - new tracks" with reference to the above.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Per:
T. J. Moore.

October 7, 1941.

Mr. R. M. McKinnon,
Commissioner of Works,
City Hall,
Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Dear Sir:-

Following our conversation in Mr. Bethune's office at the City Hall this morning, we

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hereby make formal application for permission to change and extend our tracks in the City as follows:-

1. Permission is requested to remove the rails now laid on our Park line from the entrance to Francklyn Park to the end of the line at Martello Tower, a distance of approximately one thousand feet. We have a number of renewals and extensions to make this fall and we are unable to obtain any new rails for these works due to war restrictions. May we say that this portion of track is in a military zone and has not been used by us during the past summer. The street cars have been stopping at our Francklyn Park entrance. The accompanying plan, T-28, shows in yellow the portion to be removed, the original tracing of this plan is on your files.
2. Permission is requested to extend the double track on Gottingen Street from Livingstone Street to a point fifty feet south of the south line on Markle Street, a distance in all of approximately one thousand feet. We find that this extension of double track is necessary to make it possible to add extra service on our #3 route, which is now operating at the limit of service. This proposed double track is shown in yellow on part plan of Gottingen Street, the original of which is now on your files.
3. Permission is requested to extend track from the curve at Water Street and Morris Street, east on Morris Street to our so-called Dominion Coal Company property where we now have a track and sweepers in storage. It becomes necessary for us to remove our sweepers frequently from now on to and from our barns for winter service and repairs.
4. Permission is requested to install a set of special work, (frog switch and mate), and a curved track leading into Batson's property on the north side of Morris St. between Water St. and Hollis St., this curved track will cross the sidewalk approximately ninety feet from the north-west corner of Morris St. and Water St. (see sketch). This track will connect in the Batson property. We shall need this extra storage because we are contemplating the purchase of more rolling stock to handle the ever increasing street car traffic.

We trust that your Board will give these changes in track its immediate and kindly consideration.

Yours very truly,

J. B. Hayes,
MANAGER.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman Adams that the report of the Committee on Works be adopted. Motion passed.

October 16, 1941.

TELEPHONE CALL BOXES

Read report of the Committee on Works
re telephone call boxes.

October 16, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Committee on Works at a meeting held on September 9th, 1941, considered the attached report from the Commissioner of Works dated September 8, 1941, on an application from the Acadia Taxi for permission to install a telephone on the post in front of #1192 Barrington Street, west side, opposite the North Gate of the Dockyard.

On motion of Alderman Walker, seconded by Alderman Stech, the said report was approved provided the Protestant Orphanage authorities do not object to the proposed installation.

At a meeting of the Committee on Works held on October 8, 1941, the Commissioner of Works verbally reported that he had been advised that the Protestant Orphanage authorities do not object to the proposed installation. At the latter meeting the Committee considered also the attached report of the Commissioner of Works dated October 3, 1941, on an application from the Garden Taxi Service Limited for permission to re-locate the telephone call box from its location at the corner of North and Barrington Streets to a position on the first pole north of the main gate of Admiralty House on the east side of Gottingen Street, and an application from the Britannia Taxi for permission to install a telephone call box at the corner of Russell and Barrington Streets opposite the north gate of the Dockyard.

On motion of Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman Kinley, the committee recommended to Council that the permission applied for by the above mentioned applicants as shown in the said reports be granted, subject to the execution of an agreement between each applicant and the City, containing terms satisfactory to the City.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Per:
T. J. Moore.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by
Alderman Adams that the report be adopted.

Motion passed.

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Clerk*

October 16, 1941.

R. C. A. F. SIGN - 10 TOBIN STREET

Read report of the Committee on Works
re R.C.A.F. sign, 10 Tobin Street.

October 16, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Committee on Works at a meeting held on the 8th instant, considered the attached report of the Commissioner of Works dated October 7th, 1941, on an application of the Royal Canadian Air Force to erect a sign at the recruiting centre, 10 Tobin Street.

Although it is not the City's custom to grant permission for signs of the type proposed, in view of the fact that it is for war purposes and is of a temporary nature, the Committee recommended to Council that the permission applied for be granted, subject to the execution of an agreement containing terms satisfactory to the City.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Per:
T. J. Moore.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman Adams that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

SITE FOR BOOSTER PUMP

Read report of the Committee on Works
and Commissioner of Works re site for booster pump.

October 16, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Committee on Works at a meeting held on the 14th instant, on motion of Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman O'Toole, approved and recommended to Council for adoption the attached report of the Commissioner of Works dated October 11th, 1941, entitled "Site for booster pump".

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Per:
T. J. Moore.

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Clerk*

*Com of Works
Clerk*

October 16, 1941.

October 11, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor.

Sir:-

For some time we have been endeavoring to select the most suitable site on which to erect a building for the installation of the booster pump. This site of course would have to be on our 27-inch supply main, at a low elevation, conveniently situated for electric power and of easy access.

The site chosen is situated on the eastern side of the Dutch Village Road, directly opposite the Robert Simpson building, and owned by W. D. Havill. At this point the main is laid through the Lockwood property just south of the Havill property.

A back lot of land with a 30 foot right-of-way, as shown on the accompanying plan, can be purchased from Mr. Havill for \$200.00 and another lot adjacent from Mr. Lockwood for \$200.00, which would be sufficiently large for the installation. Or, if we purchased the block of land completely to the eastern boundary of the Dutch Village Road as shown on the plan, from Mr. Havill, the price would be \$600.00, and Mr. Lockwood will grant us an easement on his property for \$25.00. This would be preferable to Mr. Lockwood, who is not anxious to sell any of his land. It would also be more desirable from the City's standpoint, as we would have much more room and it would prevent any building being erected in close proximity to the pump house.

This lot facing on Dutch Village Road would be made attractive and kept so by the attendant who, otherwise, would for the most part just sit around with nothing to do.

I would recommend this latter proposal.

Respectfully submitted,

R. M. MacKinnon,
COMMISSIONER OF WORKS.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman O'Toole that the reports be adopted.

Motion passed.

PURCHASE OF VALVES FOR BOOSTER PUMP

Read report of the Committee on Works re purchase of valves for booster pump.

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October 16th, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Committee on Works at a meeting held on the 14th instant, on motion of Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman O'Toole approved and recommended to Council for adoption the attached report of the Commissioner of Works dated October 11, 1941, recommending that four 20-inch valves be purchased from Austen Bros., at a price of \$1,545.56 fob. Halifax, sales tax included.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Per:

T. J. Moore.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman O'Toole that the report be adopted.

Motion passed.

WATERMAIN EXTENSION - BIRCHDALE SUB-DIVISION

Read report of the Committee on Works re watermain extension, Birchdale sub-division.

October 15, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Committee on Works at a meeting held on the 14th instant, on motion of Alderman Kinley, seconded by Alderman Walker, recommended for adoption the attached report of the Commissioner of Works dated and entitled as above, recommending that the water main be constructed when one house is under construction, the frontages to be assessed in the usual way and a deposit of \$1,000. made until such a time as three houses are under construction, when this deposit will be refunded.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK.

Per: T. J. Moore.

Moved by Alderman Stech, seconded by Alderman Walker that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

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APPOINTMENT OF ALDERMAN AHERN TO COMMITTEES
FORMERLY SERVED ON BY EX-ALDERMAN LANDRY.

Moved by Alderman MacKay, seconded by Alderman Adams that Alderman Ahern be appointed to serve on all committees on which Ex-Alderman Landry formerly served. Motion passed.

FINAL CERTIFICATE - BIANCO BROS.

Read report of the Committee on Works re final certificate to Bianco Bros.

October 15, 1941.

The City Council.

Gentlemen:-

The Committee on Works at a meeting held on the 14th instant, on motion of Alderman Walker, seconded by Alderman O'Toole, approved and recommended for payment the attached final certificate from the Commissioner of Works dated October 10, 1941, recommending payment to Bianco Bros. of the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred and Forty-Seven Dollars and Fifty-four cents (\$5,647.54) being the balance in full on their contract for sidewalks, curbs and gutters, etc.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. Publicover,
CITY CLERK..

Per:
T. J. Moore.

Moved by Alderman Walker, seconded by Alderman O'Toole that the report be adopted.

Motion passed.

LETTER, BOARD OF TRADE RE PROPOSED NEW ROAD

Read letter from the Board of Trade as follows:-

October 8, 1941.

His Worship the Mayor
and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:-

At a meeting of the Council of this Board, held yesterday afternoon, the matter of the

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proposed new road - starting at a point on the Dutch Village Road, near Fairview, and coming out on the same road at a point near Bayers Road, was discussed at length.

It is the opinion of this Council that the project should be delayed until after the duration of the war. Such postponement will both conform to the general request of the Federal Finance Minister to conserve funds and it will also contribute man power to the urgent requirements of war work. For these reasons the Council of the Board of Trade respectfully recommend that the proposed road be not constructed at the present time.

In placing this matter before you we ask that it not be confused with the so called "bottleneck" or underpass at Fairview which is now under negotiation with the Railway Authorities,

Yours very truly,

E. A. Saunders,
SECRETARY.

Moved by Alderman MacDonald, seconded by Alderman Lloyd that the letter be filed.
Motion passed.

ORDER IN COUNCIL RE EXTENSION OF LIEN

Read Order in Council re extension of lien.

"The Governor in Council, at the request of the City of Halifax and under the provisions of Section 14, Sub-section 2, of Chapter 56 of the Acts of 1941, is pleased to extend the lien of the City upon real property for rates and taxes assessed for the civic year 1938-1939, beyond the 1st day of November, 1941, until the 1st day of February, 1942.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an Order of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia in Council made the 15th day of September, A. D. 1941.

Arthur S. Barnstead,
Clerk of the Executive Council".

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LETTER, INTERALLIED HOSPITALITY AND FOOD FUND

Read letter from the Interallied Hospitality and Food Fund as follows:-

October 16, 1941.

October 5, 1941.

His Worship
The Mayor of Halifax,
City Hall,
Halifax, N. S.

Your Worship, Dear Sir:-

I hope you will do me the honor, on behalf of yourself and the Corporation of the City of Halifax, of accepting a rotogravure of Britain's Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, as a small memento from me in gratitude for the generous support, and kind co-operation which the City of Halifax has given to the Intelligible Hospitality Fund, which operates the Ajax Club, for the benefit of the men of the Royal Navy.

The help which the City has given is most warmly appreciated, and so long as the war continues and men of the Royal Navy visit this port, it is our sincere desire to carry on the operation of the Club for the pleasure and comfort of these men who are doing so much for us all.

At a later date I hope to procure a signed copy of this rotogravure, and it would be a great pleasure for me to offer it to you and the Corporation.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. C. Stuart McEuen,
Chairman.

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LETTER, LORD MAYOR OF LONDON RE BOOKLET

Read letter from the Lord Mayor
of London as follows:-

The Mansion House,
London. E.C.4,
15th September, 1941.

Dear Mr. Mayor:-

Will you please accept my thanks for your kindly thought in sending me a copy of the Brochure which recently came to hand.

I would also ask you, at a convenient moment, to convey to the Members of the Halifax Corporation my compliments and good wishes.

Yours sincerely,

G. Wilkinson,
LORD MAYOR.

His Worship
The Mayor of Halifax,
City of Halifax,
Nova Scotia.

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TAX COLLECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, 1941

Read report of the Chief Accountant covering tax collections for the month of September, 1941.

TAX COLLECTIONS, SEPTEMBER, 1941

Arrears Taxes

Civic Year	Reserves	Outstanding Balances August	New Accounts and adjustments.	September Collections	Outstanding Balances September
1938-39	\$49,732.49	\$105,269.36		\$6,732.59	\$98,536.87
1939-40	47,889.70	207,464.41		9,477.41	197,987.00
1940-41	41,462.37	307,591.21		22,519.06	285,072.15
		<u>620,325.08</u>		<u>38,729.06</u>	<u>581,596.02</u>
<u>Current Taxes</u>					
1941-42	35,670.00	722,819.07		103,655.20	619,163.87
Water Dept., Rates, etc.					
		70,865.10	\$37,247.88	13,816.69	94,296.29
		<u>1,414,009.25</u>	<u>37,247.88</u>	<u>156,200.95</u>	<u>1,295,056.13</u>

Poll Taxes

1933-34	203.40	18.00	185.40
1934-35	1,181.94	3.00	1,178.94
1935-36	808.92	6.00	802.92
1936-37	629.60	28.50	601.10
1938-39	85.87	78.00	7.87
1939-40	1,387.77	132.00	1,255.77
1940-41	3,309.30	436.00	2,873.30
1941-42	22,789.10	1,211.38	21,577.72

Additional Collections

Tax years 1908-9 to 1924	63.50	8.42
Corresponding period last year		
Tax years 1925-26 to 1937-38	6,051.42	1,982.03
Corresponding period last year		
Collections per above statement	156,200.95	
Corresponding period last year	<u>162,315.87</u>	<u>163,174.60</u>
		<u>165,165.05</u>

Collections of Poll Taxes

May 1st, 1941 to Sept. 30, 1941	12,752.28	
Corresponding period last year		14,383.96

M. L. Bellew,
CHIEF ACCOUNTANT.

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October 16, 1941 .

10.40 P.M.,

Moved by Alderman Walker, seconded by
Alderman Burgess that this meeting do now adjourn.

Motion passed.

Meeting adjourned.

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CITY CLERK.

W. E. Donovan
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MAYOR AND CHAIRMAN.