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# City Council 1928

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## MAYOR

Michael J. O'Hara, 553 Sunderland Rd.

## MAYOR'S CLERK

Wilfred O. Labrie

## MAYOR'S PRIVATE SECRETARY

Clinton P. Rowe

## ALDERMEN

Carl R. Brownell, President

### Alderman-at-Large

Hammond B. Douglas,  
3 Nottingham Rd.

### Aldermen, by Wards

#### Ward One

George H. Nelson, 80 Eagle Rd.

#### Ward Two

George W. Grant 9 Dixon Ave.

#### Ward Three

James J. McGrail 147 Main St.

## Ward Four

John J. Walsh, 406 Grafton St.

## Ward Five

John S. Sullivan, 50A Vernon St

## Ward Six

Carl F. Gustafson, 54 Raymond St.

## Ward Seven

Norman B. Parsons, 50 Apricot St.

## Ward Eight

Victor E. Hillman, 21 May St.

## Ward Nine

J. Francis Southgate, 5 Crown St.

## Ward Ten

Carl R. Brownell, 3 Westland St.

Malcolm C. Midgley, Clerk

A. Eugene Jacobson, Page

## COUNCILMEN

Ellery E. Royal, President

## Ward One

Theodor Osberg 127 King Philip Rd.  
Norman B. Read 18 Otsego Rd.  
Ellery E. Royal 12 Dorothy Ave.

## Ward Two

Stanley G. Barker 41 Brighton Rd.  
John E. Bjorkman 8 Hooper St.  
Edwin J. Cook 617 Lincoln St.

## Ward Three

Harold D. Donohue 6 Harrison St.  
James J. Marshall, Jr. 61 Prospect St.  
Charles E. Scott 45 Clayton St.

## Ward Four

Thomas F. Dean 19 Vernon St.  
Thomas F. Fleming 18 Acton St.  
John J. McCarrick 47 South St.

## Ward Five

Thomas O. Doyle, Jr. 39 Grand St.  
John H. Quinlan 100 Endicott St.  
Stanley J. Wackell 4 Lafayette St.

## Ward Six

William Beams	17 Evers St.
Victor E. Rolander	3 West Upsala St.
Axel U. Sternlof	28 Whipple St.

## Ward Seven

Hollis H. Ball	27 Wyola Drive
George H. Smith	9 Montague St.
Edward J. Stevens	33 Alsada Drive

## Ward Eight

Clayton B. Angell	26 Woodland St.
James T. Cruikshank	1 King Terrace
Carter White	35 May St.

## Ward Nine

Robert F. Davidson	8 Hartshorn Ave.
Arthur D. Hatch	376 May St.
Henry O. Tilton	77 Moore Ave.

## Ward Ten

Frank Clarkson	116 Mower St.
John H. Grant	101 Beeching St.
Douglas Whitcomb	5 Westland St.

S. Hamilton Coe, Clerk

John C. Raine, Page

# City of Worcester

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## JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL, 1928

**Finance**—The President of the Board of Aldermen, Aldermen Southgate and Walsh, the President of the Common Council, Councilmen Stevens, Grant and McCarrick.

**Charities**—Aldermen Nelson, Grant and Walsh, Councilmen Angell, Bjorkman, Hatch and Fleming.

**Claims**—Aldermen Grant, Nelson and Walsh, Councilmen Clarkson, Cook, White and Fleming.

**Education**—Aldermen Hillman, Nelson and Sullivan, Councilmen Bjorkman, Read, White and Wackell.

**Fire Department**—Aldermen Gustafson, Hillman and Sullivan, Councilmen Ball, Hatch, Smith and Doyle.

**Legislative Matters**—Aldermen Hillman, Parsons and McGrail, Councilmen Barker, Whitcomb, Davidson and Quinlan.

**Lighting Streets**—Aldermen Southgate, Douglas and McGrail, Councilmen Beams, Davidson, Tilton and Quinlan.

**Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business**—Aldermen Hillman, Southgate and Sullivan, Councilmen Smith, Read, Cook and Scott.

**Military Affairs**—Aldermen Grant, Parsons and Sullivan, Councilmen Hatch, Read, White and Wackell.

**Ordinances**—Aldermen Southgate, Hillman and McGrail, Councilmen Sternlof, Whitcomb, Read and Donohue.

**Police**—Aldermen Gustafson, Grant and McGrail, Councilmen Cruikshank, Ball, Grant and McCarrick.

**Printing**—Aldermen Parsons, Gustafson and Sullivan, Councilmen Osberg, Tilton, Smith and Marshall.

**Public Buildings**—Aldermen Douglas, Parsons and Sullivan, Councilmen Cruikshank, Beams, Bjorkman and Wackell.

**Public Health**—Aldermen Parsons, Hillman and McGrail, Councilmen Ball, Tilton, Rolander and Dean.

**Sewers**—Aldermen Nelson, Hillman and Walsh, Councilmen Barker, Rolander, Osberg and Dean.

**Streets**—The President of the Board of Aldermen, Aldermen Gustafson and McGrail, the President of the Common Council, Councilmen Angell, Sternlof and Scott.

**Water**—Aldermen Douglas, Parsons and Sullivan, Councilmen Rolander, Stevens, Clarkson and Marshall.

**Resolutions**—Aldermen Hillman, Grant and McGrail, Councilmen Osberg, Cook, Clarkson and Doyle.

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#### STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

**Assessments for Sewers**—Aldermen Nelson, Hillman and Walsh.

**Assessments for Street Betterments**—The President of the Board of Aldermen, Aldermen Gustafson and McGrail.

**Bills in Second Reading**—Aldermen Parsons and McGrail.

**Street Railways**—The President of the Board of Aldermen, Aldermen Gustafson and McGrail.

**Elections and Returns**—Aldermen Hillman and Walsh.

**Enrollment**—Aldermen Douglas and McGrail.

### STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

**Bills in Second Reading**—Councilmen Sternlof, Davidson and Dean.

**Enrollment**—Councilmen Grant, Cruikshank and Scott.

**Street Railways**—Councilmen Barker, Beams and Doyle.

### MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL SHOWING APPOINTMENTS ON COMMITTEES ALDERMEN

Carl R. Brownell—Finance (ch.), Streets (ch.), Assessments for Street Betterments (ch.) and street Railways (ch.).

Hammond B. Douglas—Lighting Streets, Public Buildings (ch.), Water (ch.) and Enrollment (ch.).

George W. Grant—Charities, Claims (ch.), Military Affairs (ch.), Police and Resolutions.

Carl F. Gustafson, Fire Department (ch.), Police (ch.), Printing, Streets, Assessments for Street Betterments and Street Railways.

Victor E. Hillman—Education (ch.), Fire Department, Legislative Matters (ch) Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business (ch.), Ordinances, Public Health, Sewers, Resolutions (ch.), Assessments for Sewers and Elections and Returns (ch.).

James J. McGrail,—Legislative Matters, Lighting Streets, Ordinances, Police, Public Health, Streets, Resolutions, Assessments for Street Betterments, Bills in Second Reading, Street Railways and Enrollment.

George H. Nelson—Charities (ch.), Claims, Education, Sewers (ch.), and Assessments for Sewers (ch.).

Norman B. Parsons—Legislative Matters, Military Affairs, Printing (ch.), Public Buildings, Public Health (ch.), Water and Bills in Second Reading (ch.).



J. Francis Southgate—Finance, Lighting Streets (ch.), Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business and Ordinances (ch.).

John S. Sullivan—Education, Fire Department, Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business, Military Affairs, Printing, Public Buildings and Water.

John J. Walsh—Finance, Charities, Claims, Sewers, Assessments for Sewers and Elections and Returns.

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#### COMMON COUNCILMEN

Clayton B. Angell—Charities and Streets.

Hollis H. Ball—Fire Department, Police and Public Health.

Stanley G. Barker—Legislative Matters, Sewers and Street Railways (ch.).

William Beams—Lighting Streets, Public Buildings and Street Railways.

John E. Bjorkman—Charities, Education and Public Buildings.

Frank Clarkson—Claims, Water and Resolutions.

Edwin J. Cook—Claims, Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business and Resolutions.

James T. Cruikshank—Police, Public Buildings and Enrollment.

Robert F. Davidson—Legislative Matters, Lighting Streets and Bills in Second Reading.

Thomas F. Dean—Public Health, Sewers and Bills in Second Reading.

Harold D. Donohue—Ordinances.

Thomas O. Doyle, Jr.—Fire Department, Resolutions and Street Railways.

Thomas F. Fleming—Charities and Claims.

John H. Grant—Finance, Police and Enrollment (ch.).

Arthur D. Hatch—Charities, Fire Department and Military Affairs.

James J. Marshall, Jr.—Printing and Water.

John J. McCarrick—Finance and Police.

Theodor Osberg—Printing, Sewers and Resolutions.

John H. Quinlan—Legislative Matters and Lighting Streets.

Norman B. Read—Education, Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business, Military Affairs and Ordinances.

Victor E. Rolander—Public Health, Sewers and Water.

Ellery E. Royal—Finance and Streets.

Charles E. Scott—Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business, Streets and Enrollment.

George H. Smith—Fire Department, Mayor's Inaugural Address and Unfinished Business and Printing.

Axel U. Sternlof—Ordinances, Streets and Bills in Second Reading (ch.).

Edward J. Stevens—Finance and Water.

Henry O. Tilton—Lighting Streets, Printing and Public Health.

Stanley J. Wackell—Education, Military Affairs and Public Buildings.

Douglas Whitcomb—Legislative Matters and Ordinances.

Carter White—Claims, Education and Military Affairs.

## City Officers

Elected by the City Council by concurrent vote in January, annually, except as otherwise indicated.

\*City Clerk

†Malcolm C. Midgley

\*\*Assistant City Clerk

Bessie M. Dennis

\*\*\*City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes

Harold J. Tunison

\*\*\*\*Deputy Collector of Taxes

Harry B. Otis

City Solicitor

William C. Mellish

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†Elected Jan. 3, 1927 to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William H. Pratt.

\*Elected triennially. Term expires first Monday in January, 1929.

\*\*Appointed by the City Clerk and confirmed by City Council.

\*\*\*Elected triennially. Term expires first Monday in January, 1930.

\*\*\*\*Appointed by the Collector of Taxes and approved by the Board of Aldermen.

\*First Assistant City Solicitor  
Albert W. Blackmer

\*Second Assistant City Solicitor  
Walter D. Allen

\*\*City Auditor  
Henry A. Allen

City Messenger  
Edwin M. C. French

Clerk of Committees  
Carl H. Johnson

City Engineer  
Ralph G. Lingley

Street Commissioner  
G. Arthur Wells

Assistant Street Commissioner  
Robert I. Rose

Superintendent of Sewers  
Andrew B. Holmstrom

Superintendent of Lighting Streets  
Henry A. Knight

Water Commissioner  
George W. Batchelder

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\*Appointed by the City Solicitor, confirmed  
by the City Council and approved by the  
Mayor.

\*\*Elected triennially. Term expires first Mon-  
day in January, 1931.

Water Registrar  
George W. Batchelder

Superintendent of Public Buildings  
George W. Sherman

Assistant Superintendent of Public  
Buildings

Paul P. Spaulding

Assessors of Taxes

One member elected by concurrent vote  
in January, annually, for three years.

George B. Hurlburt, Chairman  
Term expires 1931

John A. Swan, Clerk  
Term expires 1930

Charles W. Stevens  
Term expires 1929

Soldiers' Relief Commissioner  
Herbert L. Scarles

Supervisor of Wires

Appointed by the Mayor in January,  
annually, and confirmed by the City  
Council.

Henry A. Knight

## City Physician

Appointed by the Mayor in January, triennially and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

\*Dr. Jeremiah J. Donohue  
Term expires 1930

Inspector of Milk, Butter, Cheese,  
Lard and Vinegar

Appointed by the Board of Health, under Sec. 33 of Chap. 94 of the General Laws.

George D. Melican  
Inspector of Petroleum

Appointed by the Mayor in March, annually.

Henry M. Shaughnessy

†Sealer of Weights and Measures  
James A. Healey

†Deputy Sealers of Weights and Measures  
Charles Ross  
Patrick A. Nolan  
John W. Brotherton  
Homer J. Melidy  
William E. McCann, Jr.  
Edward L. McAuliffe

\*Appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. John T. Duggan.

†By rule of Civil Service Commissioners, placed under Civil Service.

## \*Fence Viewers

Prim J. Reeves  
Wilfred B. Feiga  
Orville L. Ford

## \*Field Driver

Clarence M. Hall

## \*Pound Keeper

Clarence M. Hall

\*\*Local Superintendent for the Sup-  
pression of Gypsy and Brown Tail  
Moths

Thomas E. Holland

## \*\*\*Forest Warden

Charles L. McCarthy

## Inspector of Animals

Appointed by the Mayor in March, annually, pursuant to Sec. 15, Chap. 129, of the General Laws.

James E. Masterson

\*Appointed by the Mayor annually in accordance with Chap. 49 of the General Laws.

\*\*Appointed by the Mayor, annually, in January, in accordance with Chap. 132 of the General Laws.

\*\*\*Appointed by the Mayor, annually, in January, in accordance with Chap. 48 of the General Laws.

## Labor Registrar Clerk

Annie B. Proulx

## Engineers of the Fire Department

Elected in joint convention to hold office during good behavior.

Charles L. McCarthy, Chief

Henry Douglass,	Deputy Chief
William B. Spooner,	Deputy Chief

## District Chiefs

Fred S. Taylor	Ernest E. Thurston
Hiram L. Jewell	Carl J. Kiessling

## Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph

Appointed by the Board of Engineers of the Fire Department and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Morey F. Orrell

## Chief of Police

Appointed by the Mayor under the provisions of an ordinance passed December 1, 1900, (now Chap 31, Revised Ordinances of 1909), to hold office during good behavior.

Thomas McMurray  
Acting Chief

## Deputy Chiefs of Police

Appointed under the same provisions as the Chief of Police.

Thomas McMurray

Thomas F. Foley

## Board of Appeals

Constituted pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance (so called) passed Dec. 29, 1924. One member elected by concurrent vote, in January, annually for three years.

Lucius W. Briggs

Term expires January, 1931

Jeremiah J. Higgins

Term expires January, 1930

Arthur W. French

Term expires January, 1929

## Board of Health

One member appointed by the Mayor in January, annually, for three years, and confirmed by the Board of Aldermen.

Edward H. Trowbridge, Chairman

Term expires February, 1929

Peter O. Shea

Term expires February, 1931

George B. Hurlburt

Term expires February, 1930

## Director of Health

Thomas F. Kenney, M. D.

### License Board

Constituted pursuant to Chap. 26 of the Revised Ordinances of 1909.

Charles L. McCarthy, Chief Engineer of the Fire Department  
Chairman

George W. Sherman, Superintendent of Public Buildings

Malcolm C. Midgley, City Clerk

G. Arthur Wells, Street Commissioner

—————, Chief of Police

Carl H. Johnson, Clerk

### Planning Board

Constituted pursuant to an ordinance passed April 12, 1915.

One member appointed by the Mayor, with the approval of the City Council, before the first Monday in May, annually, for five years.

Mark N. Skerrett, Chairman  
Term expires first Monday in May, 1931

Wiley H. Marble, Secretary  
Term expires first Monday in May, 1930

Zephyre Lagasse  
Term expires first Monday in May, 1929

Samuel H. Pitcher  
Term expires first Monday in May, 1927

Lucius W. Briggs  
Term expires first Monday in May, 1928

### Board of Public Welfare

Except the members ex-officiis, two members are elected by concurrent vote in December, annually, for three years, from the first Monday in January next ensuing.

Isaiah J. Styles, Chairman

### Members Ex-Officiis

Ellery E. Royal, President of  
Common Council

George H. Nelson, Chairman on the part of the Board of Aldermen, and

Clayton B. Angell, Chairman on the part of the Common Council, of the Committee on Charities.

**Members Elected**

Mary E. Barrell,	Term expires	1929
Carl J. Rolander,	" "	1929
Charles S. Holden	" "	1930
William T. Mitchell,	" "	1930
Isaiah J. Styles,	" "	1931
James J. Sullivan,	" "	1931

Gerhard Becker, Clerk

**Keeper of Almshouse**

Elected by the Overseers of the Poor

Joseph F. Reynolds

**Registrars of Voters**

Except the City Clerk, one member appointed by the Mayor in February or March, annually, for three years.

Emil Zaeder, Chairman

Term expires 1930

Edward E. Stone

Term expires 1931

Thomas J. Degnan

Term expires 1929

Malcolm C. Midgley, *ex-officio*, Clerk

**Board of Retirement**

Constituted pursuant to Chapter 410 of the Acts of 1923. One member elected by members of the retirement system; third member chosen by other two members.

Harold J. Tunison, *ex-officio*

Chairman

Joseph Beals, (second member)

Term expires, 1931

Emelyn G. Gay, (third member)

Term expires, 1929

**Board of Survey**

Appointed by the Mayor, with the approval of the City Council, in accordance with Chap. 41 of the General Laws.

Harold L. Robinson

Term expires, Feb. 1, 1929

Urgel Jacques

Term expires, Feb. 1, 1931

Jeremiah J. Higgins

Term expires, Feb. 1, 1930

Ralph G. Lingley, *Ex-officio*, Clerk

**Municipal Auditorium Commission**

Appointed under the provisions of an order adopted by the City Council, April 23, 1917.

Mayor Michael J. O'Hara, ex-officio

Member of Board of Aldermen

Member of Common Council

Charles L. Allen Chairman

Charles G. Washburn

Matthew Percival Whittall

**Commissioners of Hope Cemetery**

One member elected by concurrent vote in January, annually, for five years.

William Woodward, Chairman

Term expires 1929

Richard J. Healey, Secretary

Term expires 1933

Charles A. Harrington, Mgr.

Term expires 1931

Arthur T. Squires, Asst. Mgr.

Term expires 1930

Frederick H. Chamberlain, Auditor

Term expires 1932

**Commissioner of the Jaques Fund and Other Funds of the City Hospital**

One member elected by concurrent vote in January, annually, for three years.

Francis H. Dewey, Chairman

Term expires 1929

Frank A. Drury, Secretary

Term expires 1931

John E. White

Term expires 1930

Harold J. Tunison, Treasurer

**License Commissioners**

Appointed by the Mayor in January, and confirmed by the City Council.

George W. Jones, Chairman and

Secretary

Term expires Jan. 1, 1929

Emil T. Rolander

Term expires Jan. 1, 1930

Zephire Lagasse

Term expires Jan. 1, 1932



**Parks and Recreation Commission**

Appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council in accordance with Chap. 204 of the Special Acts of 1917.

**George Sumner Barton, Chairman**

Term expires May 7, 1930

**George T. Richardson, Secretary**

Term expires May 7, 1929

**Theodore T. Ellis**

Term expires May 7, 1929

**Rev. George F. Flynn**

Term expires May 7, 1929

**George L. Jaques**

Term expires, May 7, 1928

**James Logan**

Term expires May 7, 1928

**Adelard J. Harpin**

Term expires May 7, 1930

**Director and Executive Officer**

**Thomas E. Holland**

**The Rogers-Kennedy Memorial****Commission**

Constituted pursuant to an ordinance passed June 23, 1924. Vacancies to be filled by appointment by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the City Council.

**Robert K. Shaw**

**Alexander H. Bullock**

**Commissioners of the Sinking Funds**

One member elected by concurrent vote in December, annually, for three years.

**James Logan, Chairman**

Term expires first Monday in  
January, 1931

**George W. Mackintire, Secretary**

Term expires first Monday in  
January, 1929

**Edgar L. Ramsdell**

Term expires first Monday in  
January, 1930

**Harold J. Tunison, Treasurer**

## Advisory Traffic Commission

Appointed by the Mayor, January 17, 1927, under authority of an order of the City Council adopted Dec. 27, 1926.

Ralph G. Lingley  
 George H. Hill  
 Roland S. G. Frodigh  
 George F. Booth  
 George T. Richardson  
 Prof. Arthur W. French  
 Francis E. Nute  
 Ralph B. Jacobs  
 Charles E. Hildreth  
 Russell A. Harmon  
 Howard M. Starling (Removed  
 from City)  
 James D. Robertson (deceased)  
 Henry C. Wright  
 Henry C. Page  
 Josiah B. Shattuck  
 Herbert J. Kinnier  
 David B. Isenberg

## Directors of the Free Public Library

Two members elected in joint convention in December, annually, for a term of six years from the first day of January next ensuing.

George R. Stobbs, President  
 Term expires 1929

Mabel C. Batchelder, Secretary  
 Term expires 1929

Ernest P. Bennett,	Term expires	1930
Alfred E. Rankin,	" "	1930
F. Julius Quist,	" "	1931
Wilfred B. Feiga,	" "	1931
Wallace W. Atwood	" "	1932
Philip H. Duprey,	" "	1932
Jessie A. Hall	" "	1933
Rev. Patrick H. Boland	" "	1933
Elias H. Pofcher,	" "	1934
Florence W. Smith	" "	1934

Robert K. Shaw, Librarian

## Trustees of the Aaron and Lucretia Bancroft Scholarship Fund

One member elected by concurrent vote in January, biennially, for six years.

Reginald Washburn

Term expires January 31, 1933

George A. Lindberg

Term expires January 31, 1929

Dana M. Dustan

Term expires January 31, 1931

**Trustees of the City Hospital, at large**

One elected by concurrent vote in January, annually, for six years.

Clifford S. Anderson, President  
Term expires 1934

David A. Scott, Vice-President  
Term expires 1930

Charles E. Hildreth, Secy.  
Term expires 1932

Alden Reed, Auditor  
Term expires 1931

Frank E. Colesworthy  
Term expires 1929

Dr. Ray W. Greene  
Term expires 1933

**Trustees of the City Hospital, Representing the City Council**

One Alderman and two Councilmen elected by concurrent vote in January, annually.

**Hammond B. Douglas, Alderman, Auditor**

James T. Cruikshank, Councilman,  
Auditor

Harold D. Donohue, Councilman

**Trustees of Independent Industrial Schools**

Constituted pursuant to Chap. 25 of the Revised Ordinances of 1909, as amended by an ordinance passed January 31, 1910. Three members elected in joint convention in December, annually, for three years.

Charles F. Marble, President

Edith T. Estabrook, Clerk

John M. Buckley	Term expires	1929
Frank H. Willard,	" "	1929
John F. Tinsley,	" "	1929
Charles F. Marble	" "	1930
Aldus C. Higgins	" "	1930
John J. Killeen	" "	1930
Willard E. Swift	" "	1931
Edith T. Estabrook,	" "	1931
Cornelius J. Carmody,	" "	1931

**Trustees of Trust Funds**

Constituted pursuant to Chap. 39 of the Revised Ordinances of 1909. One elected by concurrent vote, in January, annually, for two years.

Waldo Lincoln, Chairman

Term Expires February 1, 1929

Myron F. Converse

Term expires February 1, 1930

Harold J. Tunison

Secretary and Treasurer

**School Committee**

Walter J. Cookson, Chairman  
 Wiley H. Marble, Vice-Chairman

**At Large**

Walter J. Cookson

**Ward One**

Harold W. Eaton

**Ward Two**

Walter H. Richardson

**Ward Three**

Enas W. Reidy

**Ward Four**

Joseph F. Leahy

**Ward Five**

John P. Dyer

**Ward Six**

George E. Nelson

**Ward Seven**

Wiley H. Marble

**Ward Eight**

Alice H. Prichard

**Ward Nine**

John A. Clough

**Ward Ten**

Albert Farnsworth

**Superintendent of Schools**

Elected by the School Committee

Walter S. Young

**Business Manager and Clerk**

Joseph Beals

**SALARIES**

1928

Mayor,	\$7,500.00
City Clerk,	4,000.00
City Clerk, as Registrar of Voters,	1,000.00
Assistant City Clerk	2,400.00
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes,	4,700.00
Treasurer of Sinking Funds,	300.00
City Engineer,	5,000.00
City Solicitor	5,500.00
Assistant City Solicitor,	2,750.00
Second Assistant City Solicitor	2,000.00
City Physician,	1,400.00
City Auditor,	5,000.00
City Messenger,	3,800.00
Clerk of Committees,	3,800.00
Street Commissioner,	4,500.00
Assistant Street Commissioner,	3,200.00
Water Commissioner and Registrar,	5,000.00
Soldiers Relief Commissioner,	3,800.00
Superintendent of Sewers,	4,000.00
Superintendent of Public Buildings,	5,000.00

Assistant Superintendent of Public Buildings,	3,400.00
Superintendent of Lighting Streets,	2,200.00
Supervisor of Wires,	1,300.00
Clerk, Common Council,	1,500.00
One Assessor, (Chairman,)	5,000.00
One Assessor, (John A. Swan)	4,500.00
One Assessor, (Charles W. Stevens,)	4,000.00
Assistant Assessors, Personal Property, each, per day,	7.00
Assistant Assessors, per name,	.04
<b>Inspector of Animals,</b>	<b>1,200.00</b>
Inspector of Milk, etc.	2,750.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures,	3,800.00
First Deputy Sealer of <b>Weights and Measures,</b>	<b>2,600.00</b>
Deputy Sealers of Weights and Measures, 5 each,	2,400.00
One License Commissioner, (Chairman)	1,000.00
Two License Commissioners, each	550.00
One member of the Board of Health, Chairman,	1,200.00
One Member of the Board of Health, (Dr. Peter O. Shea,)	900.00

One Member of the Board of Health (George B. Hurlburt,)	500.00
Three Registrars of Voters, each,	1,000.00
Chairman Board of Survey	1,200.00
Two Members Board of Survey, each	1,000.00
Chief of Police,	5,000.00
Deputy Chiefs of Police, each	3,750.00
Police:—	
Captains,	3,000.00
Lieutenants,	2,750.00
Superintendent of Detectives	3,500.00
First Lieutenant of Detectives,	2,900.00
Detective Lieutenants, each	2,750.00
Sergeants,	2,550.00
Patrolmen:—	
1st 12 mos.,	5.25 per day
After 12 mos. of service,	6.00 per day
Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph,	3,000.00
Assistant Superintendent Fire Alarm Telegraph,	2,550.00
Chief Engineer of the Fire Department,	5,000.00

Deputy Chief Engineers, each	3,750.00
District Chiefs of the Fire Department, each,	3,000.00
Physicians and Surgeons of the Fire Department, each	1,200.00
Captains of Companies, each	2,750.00
Lieutenants of Companies, each,	2,550.00
Engineers of Steamers, each per day	6.15
Permanent Firemen, each per day,	5.50 *6.00

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\*After first year of service.

## APPROPRIATIONS

Assessors' Department:	
(Salaries)	41,000.00
(Miscellaneous)	9,000.00
Auditing Department	23,700.00
City Clerk Department	13,200.00
Clerk of Committees Department	5,850.00
City Hospital	655,000.00
City Messenger Department	53,400.00
Engineering Department	17,000.00
Fire Department:	
(Pay Rolls)	826,000.00
(Apparatus, Hose, Fittings and Repairs)	3,500.00
(Automobile Maintenance)	9,250.00
(Fire Alarm Telegraph)	25,000.00
(Fuel)	11,000.00
(Miscellaneous)	22,000.00
General Expense	88,725.30
Health Department	100,000.00
(Incinerator)	100,000.00
(Belmont Hospital)	165,000.00
(Medical Inspection of Public Schools)	43,000.00
(Milk Inspection)	7,000.00
Incidental Expenses	
(New Rifle Range Account)	500.00

Inspection and Construction of Buildings Department	74,500.00
(Repairs and Improvements of Engine Houses)	11,000.00
(Repairs and Improvements of Police Buildings)	1,500.00
(Care of Schoolhouses)	169,000.00
(Ordinary Repairs of Schoolhouses)	85,000.00
(Permanent Improvements of Schoolhouses)	70,000.00
(Schoolhouses)	375,000.00
Law Department	16,000.00
Parks and Recreation Commission	90,000.00
(Forestry)	20,000.00
(Golf Links)	49,500.00
(Public Playgrounds)	50,000.00
Moth and Beetle Extermination	5,000.00
Pensions	100,000.00
Police Department:	
(Pay Rolls)	887,000.00
(Motor Vehicles, Repairs and Supplies)	27,000.00
(Miscellaneous)	70,000.00

Public Library Department:	
(Salaries and Pay Rolls)	95,000.00
(Books and Periodicals)	20,000.00
(Heat, Light and Repairs)	16,000.00
(Miscellaneous)	7,500.00

Board of Public Welfare	
(City Relief)	250,000.00
(Home Farm)	90,000.00
(House Offal)	120,000.00

Retirement Board	1,230.00
(Pension Account)	52,000.00

Schools:	
(Salaries)	2,486,500.00
(Salaries, Janitors)	185,000.00
(Textbooks, Stationery and Supplies)	90,000.00
(Printing and Miscellan- eous)	28,000.00
(Truant School)	2,500.00
(Manual Training)	18,600.00
(Evening Schools)	15,000.00
(Americanization and Con- tinuation)	32,000.00
(Athletic Field)	10,000.00

Schools:	
(Industrial Schools)	26,000.00

(Industrial Schools, Main- tenance, Boys')	115,000.00
(Industrial Schools Main- tenance, Girls')	34,000.00

Sealer of Weights and Mea- sures Department	20,500.00
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Sewer Department:	
(Maintenance)	65,000.00
(Purification)	55,000.00
Soldiers Relief Department	53,000.00

Street Construction:	
(Land Damage Account)	50,000.00

Street Department:	
(Salaries and Clerical Service)	22,700.00
(Bridges and Repairs)	30,000.00
(Maintenance)	360,000.00
(Paving Account, Chandler Street)	96,950.00
(Paving Account, Grafton St. No. 1)	49,952.00
(Paving Account, Grafton St. No. 2)	15,145.00
(Paving Account, Park Ave. No. 4)	77,953.00
(Sidewalks and Crosswalks)	5,000.00
(Street Cleaning)	100,000.00
(Street Sprinkling)	115,000.00



Street Lighting Department	280,000.00
Supervision of Wires Dept.	14,000.00
Treasury Department	44,400.00
Water Department:	
(Maintenance)	209,315.00
Interest on Water Loan	214,800.00
Water Loan Serial Fund	415,200.00
Water Loan Sinking Fund	17,000.00
Interest	109,000.00
Interest on Sewer Loan	178,460.00
Serial Funds	277,588.00
Serial Sewer Fund	584,912.00
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	\$11,474,830.30

## MAYORS

Levi Lincoln	1848
Died May 29, 1868	
*Henry Chapin	1849-50, 70
Died Oct. 18, 1878	
Peter C. Bacon	1851-2
Died Feb. 7, 1886	
John S. C. Knowlton	1853-4
Died June 11, 1871	
George W. Richardson	1855-7
Died June 15, 1886	
Isaac Davis	1856-8-61
Died April 1, 1883	
Alexander H. Bullock	1859
Died Jan. 17, 1882	
William W. Rice	1860
Died Mar. 1, 1896	
P. Emory Aldrich	1862
Died Mar. 4, 1895	
D. Waldo Lincoln	1863-4
Died July 1, 1880	
Phineas Ball	1865
Died Dec. 19, 1894	
†James B. Blake	1866-7-8-9-70
Died Dec. 18, 1870	
Edward Earle	1871
Died May 19, 1877	
George F. Verry	1872
Died Oct. 5, 1883	
Clark Jillson	1873-5-6
Died June 5, 1894	

\*Elected Mayor, ad interim, by the City Council, in joint convention, December 19, 1870, to fill the vacancy caused by the decease of James B. Blake.

†Elected for the sixth time, December 12, 1870. Died December 18, 1870.

Edward L. Davis.....	1874
Died Mar. 2, 1912	
Charles B. Pratt.....	1877-8-9
Died May 9, 1898	
Frank H. Kelley.....	1880-1
Died Oct. 25, 1890	
Elijah B. Stoddard.....	1882
Died Sept. 27, 1903	
Samuel E. Hildreth.....	1883
Died June 26, 1893	
Charles G. Reed.....	1884-5
Died Nov. 21, 1899	
Samuel Winslow.....	1886-7-8-9
Died Oct. 21, 1894	
Francis A. Harrington.....	1890-1-2
Died Aug. 28, 1922	
Henry A. Marsh.....	1893-4-5
Died Nov. 6, 1914	
Augustus B. R. Sprague..	1896-7
Died May 17, 1910	
†Rufus B. Dodge, Jr.....	1898-9-1900
Philip J. O'Connell.....	1901
Edward F. Fletcher.....	1902-3
Walter H. Blodget.....	1904-5
Died Jan. 6, 1923	
John T. Duggan.....	1906-7
Died Sept. 5, 1927.	
James Logan.....	1908-9-10-11
David F. O'Connell.....	1912
Died Aug. 12, 1923	
George M. Wright.....	1913-14-15-16
Died Jan. 7, 1926	
Pehr G. Holmes.....	1917-18-19
Peter F. Sullivan.....	1920-21-22-23
Michael J. O'Hara.....	1924-5-6-7-8

†By reason of a tie vote for Mayor at the election of December, 1900, whereby there was no choice, Rufus B. Dodge, Jr., held the office until February 25, 1901.

## WORCESTER

### "Heart of the Commonwealth"

First settled in 1674, named and resettled 1684.

Permanently settled, 1713.

Incorporated as a town 1722, as a city 1848.

Area, 38.41 square miles, or about 24,634 acres.

Average length 6.4 miles, width 6.0 miles.

Dwellings April, 1924, 20,179; 1925, 20,836; 1926, 21,380; 1927, 22,305.

Valuation, 1925, \$305,952,000; 1926, \$323,182,000; 1927, \$339,552,-850.

Tax exclusive of polls, 1925, \$8,994,-988.80; 1926, \$9,501,550.80; 1927, \$9,914,943.22.

Rate of taxation per \$1,000 — 1925, \$29.40; 1926, \$29.40; 1927, \$29.20.

Net debt, 1925, \$10,296,766.25; 1926, \$9,720,730.27; 1927, \$10,663,-068.60.

Assessed polls, male, 1922, 54,911;  
1923, 55,740; 1924, 57,167; 1925,  
59,480; 1926, 59,065; 1927,  
58,720.

Registered Male Voters, 1922, 34,094;  
1923, 33,802; 1924, 35,498; 1925,  
34,476; 1926, 34,226; 1927,  
34,007.

Registered Female Voters, 1922, 29,184;  
1923, 29,163; 1924, 30,532; 1925,  
29,496; 1926, 29,272; 1927,  
28,962.

Vote for President, 1916, 22,604; 1920,  
46,126; 1924, 53,746.

Vote for Governor, 1920, 46,642; 1922,  
45,124; 1924, 54,725; 1926, 49,024

Vote for Mayor, Dec. 1921, 47,096,  
1922, 52,878; 1923, 50,186; 1924,  
43,641; 1925, 38,109; 1927, 47,-  
263.

State Election, November 6, 1928.

Municipal Election, November 5, 1929.

Miles of Public Streets, 229.92.

Miles of Paved Streets, 41.78. Brick  
Sidewalks, 84.48.

Miles of Tar Concrete Sidewalks, 9.45.

Granolithic Sidewalks, 74.85.

Electric Lights, Arc, 1274.

Welsbach Gas Lights, 607.

Tungsten Lights, 3838.

Luminous Arc Lights, 1,054.

Police Officers, exclusive of Chief and  
Deputy Chiefs of Police, 373.

Police Signals, 74.

Permanent Firemen, exclusive of Board  
of Engineers, 339.

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### NEW CITY HALL

Corner stone laid September 12, 1896.

Dedication exercises, April 28, 1898.

Occupied May 1, 1898.

Length, 219 feet, width, 85 feet.

Height from grade line to top of cornice,  
65 feet; to top of tower, 205 feet.

Number of rooms, (exclusive of toilet),  
60.

Aldermanic Chamber; Floor Space, 34x40 feet; Gallery space, 34x24 feet. Council Chamber; Floor space, 50x34 feet; Gallery space, 14x34 feet.  
 Cost of Building \$590,000. Furnishings \$38,000. Grading, etc. \$22,000.  
 Total, \$650,000.  
 Architects, Peabody & Stearns, Boston.  
 Builders, Norcross Brothers, Worcester.

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## PUBLIC PARKS

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Green Hill Park, 500 acres; Boynton Park 113 acres; Lake Park, 110 acres; Elm Park, 88 acres; \*Chandler Hill Park, 80.34 acres; Hadwen Park, 50.138 acres; Burncoat Park, 41.51 acres; Salisbury Park, 19.99 acres; Institute Park, 25.44 acres; Crompton Park, 15.25 acres; University Park, 14 acres; Dodge Park, 13 acres; Middle River Park, 8.1 acres. Common (exclusive of City Hall site), 4.8 acres; North Shore Reservation, 5.95 acres; Ramshorn Island, 1.5 acres. Cascades, 34.67 acres. Total, 1,125.688 acres.

\*Fee in the Commonwealth.

## PLAYGROUNDS

Vernon Hill, 16.43 acres; Kendrick Field, 14.87 acres; Beaver Brook, 15.49 acres; Tatnuck, 2.94 acres; Greenwood 14.95 acres; Indian Lake, 1.36 acres; South Worcester, 4.87 acres; Bell Pond, 3.5 acres; Holmes Field, 8 acres. Total, 82.08.

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## RESERVOIRS

Area in acres, elevation above City Hall and Storage Capacity.

Kettle Brook, No. 1, 15 acres; 364.36 feet, 19,000,000 gallons.

Kettle Brook, No. 2, 30.36 acres; 507.5 feet, 127,000,000 gallons.

Kettle Brook, No. 3, 37.41 acres; 559 feet, 152,000,000 gallons.

Kettle Brook, No. 4, 118.61 acres; 604.74 feet, 513,000,000 gallons.

Parsons, 2.42 acres; 237.80 feet, 10,000,000 gallons.

Lynde Brook, 132 acres; 341.94 feet, 715,000,000 gallons.

Pine Hill, 345.3 acres; 429 feet, 2,997,000,000 gallons.

Holden, No. 1, 130 acres; 269.88 feet,  
729,000,000 gallons.

Holden, No. 2, 52.63 acres; 237.80 feet,  
257,000,000 gallons.

Kendall, 171.82 acres; 333 feet, 800,-  
000,000 gallons.

Elevation of Main Street at City Hall,  
above tide water, 481 feet.

Water pressure at City Hall (high ser-  
vice), 145 pounds per square inch.

Water pressure at City Hall (low ser-  
vice), 90 pounds per square inch.

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### WATER STATISTICS

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Miles of Main Pipe	368.792
Miles of Service Pipes in Streets,	110.537
Miles of Service Pipes on Premises	145.183
Number of Service Pipes,	27,806
Fire Hydrants,	2,950
Gates,	4,927
Meters,	27,145
Total Cost of Water Works, To Dec. 1, 1927	12,612,807.04

### SEWER STATISTICS

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Miles of Sanitary Sewers	138.366
Miles of Combined Sewers	70.007
Miles of Surface Sewers	86.337
Total miles of Sewers	294.710
Number of Manholes	9,198
Number of Catch Basins	4,510
Number of House Connections	26,008
Number of Miles of House Connections	240.535
Gallons of sewage for fiscal year ending Dec. 1, 1927, 7947.19 million gallons.	
Daily average 21.77 million gallons.	
Total cost of sewerage system to Dec. 1, 1927, \$12,669,656.83.	

## POPULATION OF WORCESTER

1722—	200	1870—	41,105
1765—	1,475	1875—	49,317
1775—	1,925	1880—	58,291
1790—	2,095	1885—	68,389
1800—	2,411	1890—	84,655
1810—	2,577	1895—	98,767
1820—	2,962	1900—	118,421
1830—	4,172	1905—	128,135
1840—	7,497	1910—	145,986
1850—	17,049	1915—	162,697
1860—	24,960	1920—	179,754
1865—	30,058	1925—	192,242

No. of Births Recorded	No. of Mar- riages Recorded	No. of Deaths Recorded
1911—	4327	1706
1912—	4388	1756
1913—	4703	1859
1914—	4898	1697
1915—	4761	1716
1916—	5234	2095
1917—	5552	2299
1918—	5505	1624
1919—	4905	1886
1920—	5105	2189
1921—	5109	1777
1922—	4560	1712
1923—	4634	1837
1924—	4681	1697
1925—	4568	1764
1926—	4528	1621
1927—	4482	1553

(Physicians)

DETAILED VOTE AT STATE  
ELECTIONNovember 2, 1926, For Senator 2nd  
Worcester District

Ward	Prec.	Cornelius W. Corbett Dem.	Charles S. Holden Rep.	Blanks
1	1	218	470	53
	2	187	737	71
	3	192	964	72
	4	110	696	70
	5	161	899	78
2	1	269	439	93
	2	282	791	146
	3	279	637	60
	4	179	852	59
	5	213	721	86
3	1	589	71	71
	2	579	358	109
	3	550	147	107
	4	651	262	151
	5	697	545	149
4	1	757	107	119
	2	729	220	146
	3	461	308	130
	4	712	290	160
	5	485	264	117
10	1	216	767	59
	2	389	742	91
	3	375	909	111
	4	228	901	81
	5	108	585	37
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		9,616	13,682	2,426

## By Wards

Ward	Cornelius W. Corbett Dem.	Charles S. Holden Rep.	Blanks
1	868	3766	344
2	1222	3440	444
3	3066	1383	587
4	3144	1189	672
10	1316	3904	379
	<hr/> 9,616	<hr/> 13,682	<hr/> 2,426

For SENATOR, 1st Worcester  
District

Ward	Prec.	Charles Ward Johnson Rep.	Charles S. Murphy Dem.	Blanks
5	1	93	531	41
	2	202	669	79
	3	379	556	82
	4	233	707	96
	5	318	530	65
6	1	187	208	49
	2	527	487	106
	3	472	770	113
	4	907	275	94
	5	396	213	32
7	1	592	564	72
	2	861	502	103
	3	623	337	71
	4	359	326	41
	5	433	248	37

For SENATOR, 1st Worcester  
District

Ward	Prec.	Charles Ward Johnson Rep.	Charles S. Murphy Dem.	Blanks
8	1	313	275	41
	2	430	406	70
	3	539	383	69
	4	640	339	51
	5	761	417	66
9	1	372	399	49
	2	584	332	58
	3	581	304	56
	4	874	306	64
	5	918	260	59
		<hr/> 12,594	<hr/> 10,344	<hr/> 1,664

## By Wards

Ward	Charles Ward Johnson Rep.	Charles S. Murphy Dem.	Blanks
5	1225	2993	363
6	2489	1953	394
7	2868	1977	324
8	2683	1820	297
9	3329	1601	286
	<hr/> 12,594	<hr/> 10,344	<hr/> 1,664

### REPRESENTATIVES

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
Ward 1, 12th Dist.						
John F. Kyes, Rep.	532	759	992	711	938	3932
Blanks	209	236	236	165	200	1046
Ward 2, 13th Dist.						
Sven A. Erickson, Rep.	479	852	662	859	748	3600
Blanks	322	367	314	231	272	1506
Ward 3, 14th Dist.						
Edward J. Kelley, Dem.	594	584	566	682	729	3155
Albert W. Weeks, Rep.	64	367	134	262	525	1352
Blanks	73	95	104	120	137	529
Ward 4, 15th Dist.						
Louis M. Friedman, Rep.	130	280	275	274	260	1219
Charles A. Kelley, Dem.	770	722	511	759	509	3271
Blanks	83	93	113	129	97	515

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### REPRESENTATIVES—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
Ward 5, 16th Dist.						
Joseph W. Leyden, Dem.	536	730	558	658	489	2971
Michael J. O'Shea, Rep.	66	122	330	213	308	1039
Blanks	63	98	129	165	116	571
Ward 6, 17th Dist.						
Thomas O. Doyle, Jr., Dem.	204	431	785	112	172	1704
G. Adolph Johnson, Rep.	187	583	464	1108	407	2749
Blanks	53	106	106	56	62	383
Ward 7, 18th Dist.						
William A. Bennett, Rep.	691	1033	778	494	501	3497
Blanks	537	433	253	232	217	1672
Ward 8, 19th Dist.						
Anthony R. Doyle, Dem.	269	462	389	334	402	1856
Florence S. Stocomb, Rep.	307	371	524	627	734	2563
Blanks	53	73	78	69	108	381



REPRESENTATIVES—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
<b>Ward 9, 20th Dist.</b>						
George F. Brooks, Rep. ....	460	647	622	945	986	3660
Blanks .....	360	327	319	299	251	1556

<b>Ward 10, 21st Dist.</b>						
Slater Washburn, Rep. ....	836	874	1081	1004	636	4431
Blanks .....	206	348	314	206	94	1168

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Detailed Vote at Municipal  
Election Nov. 8, 1927

Ward	Prec.	For Mayor			Blanks
		John Corbin Workers Party Nom. Paper	John C. Mahoney Dem.	Michael J. O'Hara Rep.	
1	1	8	203	502	16
	2	14	383	479	29
	3	7	297	822	32
	4	4	358	421	22
	5	13	456	470	40
2	1	9	299	430	27
	2	14	676	383	57
	3	5	287	611	16
	4	7	308	706	27
	5	5	338	658	20
3	1	3	597	103	23
	2	6	485	387	20
	3	2	557	223	36
	4	6	720	317	22
	5	8	699	502	21
4	1	13	649	308	29
	2	8	856	308	20
	3	3	501	445	20
	4	3	752	476	26
	5	11	467	401	22
5	1	4	489	156	16
	2	9	654	274	21
	3	6	540	392	28
	4	5	685	301	13
	5	2	512	326	13

## Mayor—Continued

Ward	John Corbin Workers Party Nom. Paper	John C. Mahoney Dem.	Michael J. O'Hara Rep.	Blanks	
6	1	5	219	16	
	2	11	660	32	
	3	6	836	37	
	4	15	586	54	
	5	11	229	26	
7	1	6	562	24	
	2	10	605	26	
	3	2	399	19	
	4	5	426	9	
	5	6	404	21	
8	1	3	233	12	
	2	4	399	17	
	3	3	421	15	
	4	5	505	19	
	5	7	438	26	
9	1	2	313	12	
	2	2	312	23	
	3	5	324	30	
	4	2	322	31	
	5	3	276	33	
10	1	2	245	8	
	2	6	407	33	
	3	8	397	15	
	4	3	236	27	
	5	3	131	17	
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		310	22,653	24,299	1,198

## By Wards

Ward	John Corbin Workers Party Nom. Paper	John C. Mahoney Dem.	Michael J. O'Hara Rep.	Blanks
1	46	1697	2694	139
2	40	1908	2788	147
3	25	3058	1532	122
4	38	3225	1938	117
5	26	2880	1449	91
6	48	2530	1922	165
7	29	2396	2792	99
8	22	1996	2288	89
9	14	1547	3217	129
10	22	1416	3679	100
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	310	22,653	24,299	1,198

Detailed Vote at Municipal  
Election Nov. 8, 1927  
For Alderman-at-Large

Ward	Hammond B. Douglas Rep.	Carl A. Parta Workers Party Nom. Paper	Elias H. Pofcher Dem.	Blanks	
1	1	545	7	145	32
	2	659	13	214	19
	3	905	8	193	52
	4	587	8	169	41
	5	679	18	233	49
2	1	432	11	280	42
	2	606	35	399	90
	3	646	16	224	33
	4	830	10	172	36
	5	723	16	229	53
3	1	131	18	510	67
	2	398	15	431	54
	3	215	26	468	109
	4	330	25	618	92
	5	565	9	589	67
4	1	197	17	698	87
	2	225	13	905	49
	3	455	7	447	60
	4	432	11	737	77
	5	390	11	445	55
5	1	138	15	465	47
	2	247	23	614	74
	3	411	12	476	67
	4	289	14	629	72
	5	318	5	486	44

## Alderman-at-Large—Continued

Ward	Hammond B. Douglas Rep.	Carl A. Parta Workers Party Nom. Paper	Elias H. Pofcher Dem.	Blanks	
6	1	221	5	204	16
	2	486	40	497	55
	3	550	12	706	76
	4	931	9	191	74
	5	397	5	169	21
7	1	627	8	535	42
	2	949	10	509	64
	3	645	6	306	36
	4	429	3	351	38
	5	403	10	304	41
8	1	309	1	211	28
	2	405	11	351	22
	3	490	3	371	41
	4	619	15	326	45
	5	702	6	397	42
9	1	368	9	281	25
	2	573	5	252	38
	3	537	10	271	38
	4	936	4	276	32
	5	950	4	254	44
10	1	711	2	202	26
	2	711	5	360	38
	3	816	5	369	37
	4	920	2	215	46
	5	617	2	112	21
		26,655	555	18,796	2,454

## By Wards

Ward	Hammond B. Prec. Douglas Rep.	Carl A. Parta Workers Party Nom. Paper	Elias H. Pofcher Dem.	Blanks
1	3375	54	954	193
2	3237	88	1304	254
3	1639	93	2616	389
4	1699	59	3232	328
5	1403	69	2670	304
6	2585	71	1767	242
7	3053	37	2005	221
8	2525	36	1656	178
9	3364	32	1334	177
10	3775	16	1258	168
	<u>26,655</u>	<u>555</u>	<u>18,796</u>	<u>2,454</u>

## ALDERMEN

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
Ward 1						
George H. Nelson, Rep.	539	726	942	708	805	3720
Blanks	190	179	216	97	174	856
Ward 2						
George W. Grant, Rep.	487	759	710	891	780	3627
Blanks	278	371	209	157	241	1256
Ward 3						
James J. McGrail, Dem.	577	563	555	750	812	3257
Blanks	149	335	263	315	418	1480
Ward 4						
Leo J. Gaudette, Rep.	148	256	525	525	420	1874
Joseph Ginsburg, Workers Party Nom. Paper	34	51	9	23	17	134
John J. Walsh, Dem.	697	788	393	649	429	2956
Blanks	120	97	42	60	35	354

## ALDERMEN—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
<b>Ward 5</b>						
John S. Sullivan, Dem.	574	791	627	757	597	3346
Blanks	91	167	339	247	256	1100
<b>Ward 6</b>						
Lawrence L. Duff, Dem.	175	408	728	115	163	1589
Carl F. Gustafson, Rep.	212	557	516	1052	395	2732
Blanks	59	113	100	38	34	344
<b>Ward 7</b>						
David F. Kelleher, Dem.	579	525	364	404	316	2188
Norman B. Parsons, Rep.	561	937	609	399	398	2904
Blanks	72	70	20	18	44	224
<b>Ward 8</b>						
Victor E. Hillman, Rep.	312	400	475	643	677	2507
James J. Smith, Dem.	203	333	378	313	375	1602
Blanks	34	56	52	49	95	286

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## ALDERMEN—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
<b>Ward 9</b>						
J. Francis Southgate, Rep.	486	686	648	1000	1048	3868
Blanks	197	182	208	248	204	1039
<b>Ward 10</b>						
Carl R. Brownell, Rep.	731	776	904	984	643	4038
Blanks	210	338	323	199	109	1179

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## COMMON COUNCILMEN

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
Ward 1						
Theodor Osberg, Rep.	463	647	837	662	756	3365
Norman B. Read, Rep.	469	572	883	548	635	3107
Ellery E. Royal, Rep.	465	526	818	565	3022	4234
Blanks	790	970	936	640	898	
Ward 2						
Stanley G. Barker, Rep.	407	619	599	787	630	3042
John E. Bjorkman, Rep.	401	718	550	748	614	3031
Edwin J. Cook, Rep.	437	671	627	786	667	3188
George M. Krumstick, Dem.	229	283	190	148	261	1111
Blanks	821	1099	791	675	891	4277
Ward 3						
Harold D. Donohue, Dem.	533	445	437	583	616	2614
James J. Marshall, Jr. Dem.	446	473	530	713	688	2850
George McKenzie, Rep.	105	316	148	283	429	1281
Charles E. Scott, Dem.	484	529	456	614	682	2765
Blanks	610	931	883	1002	1275	4701

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## COMMON COUNCILMEN—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
Ward 4						
Henry Alarie, Rep.	110	266	536	497	407	1816
Patrick J. Cronin, Rep.	182	251	374	430	339	1630
Thomas F. Dean, Dem.	668	630	314	522	393	2473
Thomas F. Fleming, Dem.	558	620	298	545	329	2350
Charles H. Hildreth, Rep.	123	239	405	365	325	1457
John J. McCarrick, Dem.	624	701	275	523	329	2452
Blanks	732	869	705	889	581	3776
Ward 5						
Thomas O. Doyle, Jr. Dem.	416	594	487	670	536	2703
John H. Quinlan, Dem.	444	644	460	486	418	2452
Stanley J. Wackell, Dem.	466	620	475	525	395	2481
Blanks	669	1016	1476	1331	1210	5702

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## COMMON COUNCILMEN—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
<b>Ward 6</b>						
William Beams, Rep.	234	480	565	761	478	2518
Victor E. Rolander, Rep.	234	581	660	874	359	2708
Axel U. Sternlof, Rep.	189	474	516	986	357	2522
Blanks	681	1699	2291	994	582	6247
<b>Ward 7</b>						
Hollis H. Ball, Rep.	597	923	643	412	365	2940
William H. Dunn, Dem.	527	494	283	427	341	2072
Eugene J. Powers, Dem.	515	472	323	351	241	1902
George H. Smith, Rep.	541	889	606	397	373	2806
Edward J. Stevens, Rep.	540	844	608	381	367	2740
Blanks	916	974	516	495	587	3488
<b>Ward 8</b>						
Clayton B. Angell, Rep.	291	387	475	624	683	2460
James T. Cruikshank, Rep.	273	345	435	537	582	2172
Thomas A. Murphy, Dem.	234	381	391	368	443	1817
Carter White, Rep.	278	356	469	577	632	2312
Blanks	571	898	945	909	1101	4424

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## COMMON COUNCILMEN—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
<b>Ward 9</b>						
Robert F. Davidson, Rep.	385	574	540	906	929	3334
Arthur D. Hatch, Rep.	362	537	516	844	903	3162
Henry O. Tilton, Rep.	350	527	475	805	914	3071
Blanks	952	966	1037	1189	1010	5154
<b>Ward 10</b>						
Frank Clarkson, Rep.	659	692	805	863	624	3643
John H. Grant, Rep.	630	652	753	823	596	3454
Douglas Whitcomb, Rep.	680	688	792	843	582	3585
Blanks	854	1310	1331	1020	454	4969

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Detailed Vote at Municipal Election  
Nov. 8, 1927 for

School Committee at Large				
Ward	Prec.	Wilbur A. Charron Dem.	Walter J. Cookson Rep.	Blanks
1	1	179	514	36
	2	219	638	48
	2	215	897	46
	4	146	601	58
	5	234	679	66
2	1	297	411	57
	2	386	629	115
	3	247	620	52
	4	181	814	53
	5	240	709	72
3	1	550	93	83
	2	504	329	65
	3	502	192	124
	4	651	294	120
	5	629	507	94
4	1	682	196	121
	2	809	266	117
	3	556	345	68
	4	787	353	117
	5	497	342	62
5	1	484	119	62
	2	616	251	91
	3	428	493	45
	4	695	238	71
	5	527	272	54

Vote for School Committee  
at Large—Continued

Ward	Prec.	Wilbur A. Charron Dem.	Walter J. Cookson Rep.	Blanks
6	1	174	237	35
	2	420	553	105
	3	636	618	90
	4	168	963	74
	5	166	411	15
7	1	558	595	59
	2	563	915	54
	3	320	641	32
	4	370	409	42
	5	309	404	45
8	1	246	270	33
	2	371	378	40
	2	373	487	45
	4	346	602	57
	5	420	671	56
9	1	298	343	42
	2	299	525	44
	3	355	447	54
	4	297	915	36
	5	229	954	69
10	1	238	668	35
	2	385	673	56
	3	389	790	48
	4	235	878	70
	5	102	621	29
		19,528	25,770	3,162



## By Wards

Ward	Wilbur A. Charron Dem.	Walter J. Cookson Rep.	Blanks
1	993	3329	254
2	1351	3183	349
3	2836	1415	486
4	3331	1502	485
5	2750	1373	323
6	1564	2782	319
7	2120	2964	232
8	1756	2408	231
9	1478	3184	245
10	1349	3630	238
	<u>19,528</u>	<u>25,770</u>	<u>3,162</u>

## SCHOOL COMMITTEE

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
Ward 1						
Harold W. Eaton, Rep.	552	701	949	692	798	3692
Blanks	177	204	209	113	181	884
Ward 2						
Walter H. Richardson, Rep.	509	698	732	892	774	3605
Blanks	256	432	187	156	247	1278
Ward 3						
Enas W. Reidy, Dem.	573	490	564	716	719	3062
Ethel Tolson, Rep.	78	315	134	252	418	1197
Blanks	75	93	120	97	93	478
Ward 4						
Albert J. Fortin, Rep.	115	265	507	436	403	1726
Joseph F. Leahy, Dem.	769	821	399	735	448	3172
Blanks	115	106	63	86	50	420
Ward 5						
John P. Dyer, Dem.	535	780	578	722	593	3208
Blanks	130	178	388	282	260	1238

SCHOOL COMMITTEE—Continued

	Pc. 1	Pc. 2	Pc. 3	Pc. 4	Pc. 5	Total
Ward 6						
Richard Mooney, Dem.	215	449	814	131	164	1773
George E. Nelson, Rep.	192	526	446	1047	396	2607
Blanks	39	103	84	27	32	285
Ward 7						
Edward J. Fitzgerald Jr. Dem.	497	524	318	359	326	2024
Wiley H. Marble, Rep.	659	943	644	437	392	3075
Blanks	56	65	31	25	40	217
Ward 8						
Margaret X. O'Brien, Dem.	233	382	384	382	427	1808
Alice H. Pridhard, Rep.	285	341	465	575	654	2320
Blanks	31	66	56	48	66	267
Ward 9						
John A. Clough, Rep.	414	649	607	996	1021	3687
Blanks	269	219	249	252	231	1220
Ward 10						
Albert Farnsworth, Rep.	742	783	913	978	652	4068
Blanks	199	331	314	205	100	1149

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MUNICIPAL ELECTION, NOVEMBER 8, 1927

Assessed Polls	Registered Voters		Number of Names Checked on Voting List	
	Males	Females	Males	Females
Ward 1	4836	2859	2530	2046
" 2	5363	3026	2626	2257
" 3	9777	2442	2909	1828
" 4	7389	2784	3110	2208
" 5	6638	2342	2603	1843
" 6	5513	2571	2684	1981
" 7	4942	3185	2801	2516
" 8	4678	2936	2186	2208
" 9	5226	3223	2559	2348
" 10	4358	3594	2489	2727
	<b>58,720</b>	<b>28,962</b>	<b>26,497</b>	<b>21,962</b>

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## RULES AND ORDERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Section 1. At the beginning of each municipal year there shall be elected by a viva voce vote in each branch of the City Council, a Joint Standing Committee on Finance, consisting of two on the part of the Board of Aldermen and three on the part of the Common Council. The President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Common Council shall be members of said Committee, *ex-officiis*.

Section 2. At the beginning of each municipal year there shall be appointed by the presiding officers of their respective Boards, Joint Standing Committees as follows:

- A Committee on Charities.
- A Committee on Claims.
- A Committee on Education.
- A Committee on Fire Department.
- A Committee on Legislative Matters.
- A Committee on Lighting Streets.
- A Committee on Military Affairs.
- A Committee on Ordinances.
- A Committee on Police Department.
- A Committee on Public Buildings.
- A Committee on Printing.

A Committee on Sewers.

A Committee on Streets.

A Committee on Water.

A Committee on Public Health.

A Committee on Resolutions.

A Committee to assign the Mayor's Inaugural Address and all unfinished business of the previous year.

Each of the aforesaid appointed committees shall consist of three Aldermen and four Common Councilmen, except that the Committee on Streets shall consist of two Aldermen and three Common Councilmen, and that the President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Common Council, respectively, shall be members of the Committee on Streets, *ex-officiis*.

Section 3. The President of the Board of Aldermen, shall be, *ex-officio*, Chairman of any Joint Committee of which he is a member, and in case of his inability, the Alderman first named shall be Chairman, and in case of his inability, the member of the same Board next in order, and after him the President of the Common Council shall be Chairman; of other Joint Committees the Alderman first named shall be Chairman, and in case of his inability, the member of the same Board next in order, and in case of his in-

ability the member of the same board next in order and after him the member of the Common Council first in order shall be Chairman. The Chairman shall call meetings of the committees at his discretion, or at the written request of a majority of the members.

Section 4. Any vacancy occurring in any committee shall be filled in the same manner as provided for the creation of the committee.

Section 5. Joint Standing Committees shall cause records to be kept of their proceedings, in books provided by the city for that purpose.

Section 6. All reports and other papers submitted to the City Council, except ordinances, the passage of which is recommended by the Committee on Ordinances, shall be typewritten or written in a fair hand, all orders shall be without interlineation or erasure, and all ordinances, the passage of which is recommended by the Committee on Ordinances shall be neatly printed with the lines of each section numbered in consecutive order, beginning with number one. The clerks of the Boards, respectively, shall make copies of any papers to be reported by committees at the request of the respective chairman thereof.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of every Joint Committee to whom any subject shall be referred, unless otherwise ordered, to report thereon, within four weeks, or ask for further time.

Section 8. No committee shall act by separate consultation, and no reports, except minority reports, shall be received, unless they shall have been agreed to in committee actually assembled, and no report shall be received recommending the expenditure of money unless it shall contain a careful estimate of the amount required.

Section 9. When any matter is referred to a joint committee, the City Clerk shall furnish the clerk of such committee with a copy of the original of all votes or papers pertaining to the subject matter referred, within forty-eight hours. The reports of all committees, except in case of committees of conference, may be made to either board and shall be signed by the Clerk of Committees unless there is a minority report.

Section 10. When either board shall non-concur with the other in action upon any ordinance, order or resolution requiring concurrent action, notice of such non-concurrence shall forthwith be given.

Section 11. In every case of disagreement on any matter requiring the joint action of the two boards, if either board shall request a conference and appoint a committee for that purpose, the other board shall appoint a committee to confer with them; each committee shall consist of three members on the part of each board representing its vote. Said committee shall meet at a time appointed by the chairman of the committee on the part of the board requesting the conference, and state to each other the reasons of their respective boards, for or against the proposed action, and report at the same or at the next regular meeting; and their report, if agreed to by a majority of each committee, shall be first acted on by the board asking the conference, and may be either accepted or rejected.

Section 12. Each board shall transmit to the other all papers on which any ordinance, joint order or resolution shall be founded, and all papers on their passage between the two boards shall be under the signatures of their respective clerks or presiding officers.

Section 13. Every joint resolution shall have as many readings in each board as the rules of that board require, after which the question shall be on passing

the same, and upon being passed in each board, shall be signed by the President thereof.

Section 14. Every ordinance shall have as many readings in each board as the rules of that board require, after which the question shall be on passing the same to be enrolled, and when the same shall have been so passed, it shall be sent to the other board for concurrence; and when such ordinance shall have so passed, in each board, the same shall be enrolled by the Clerk of the Common Council and examined by a committee of that board, and on being found by said committee to be correctly enrolled, the same shall be reported to the Council when the question shall be on passing the same to be ordained, and when said ordinance shall have so passed to be ordained it shall be signed by the President of the Common Council and sent to the other board, where a like examination shall be made by a committee of that board, and, if found correctly enrolled, the same shall be reported to the board, and the question shall be on passing the same to be ordained; and when the same shall have so passed to be ordained, it shall be signed by the President of the Board of Aldermen.

Section 15. After the annual appropriations have been made no subsequent expenditure shall be authorized, for any object, unless by appropriation from any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, or by expressly creating therefor a city debt; but no such debt shall be created unless the order authorizing the same pass by the affirmative votes of two-thirds of the whole number of each branch of the City Council present and voting by yeas and nays.

Section 16. No expenditure shall be made for the celebration of holidays, and for other purposes of a public nature, unless the order authorizing such expenditure shall be adopted by a vote of two-thirds of the members of each branch of the City Council present and voting by yeas and nays.

Section 17. The City Clerk shall be clerk of the City Council in convention.

Section 18. All city officers shall be elected by a viva voce vote in the manner provided by Sec. 3, Chap. 39, of the General Laws, or any acts in amendment thereof.

Section 19. Either board may hold its meeting at such time as it may determine without concurrent action on the part of

both boards, but at the request of either board a concurrent meeting may be held at such time as both branches may appoint.

Section 20. When there occurs any difference of opinion as regarding modes of proceeding not otherwise provided for, the City Council shall be governed by parliamentary practice as set forth in Cushing's "Manual of the Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies."

Section 21. Reports, orders, ordinances, and resolutions requiring concurrent action must be in possession of the City Clerk on or before two o'clock in the afternoon of the Friday preceeding the day of a Meeting of either board, or be postponed until the next meeting.

Section 22. The clerk of each board shall prepare for each meeting a calendar of matters in order for consideration, a list of matters lying on the table, and such other matter or memoranda as he may deem necessary, and as either board or its President may direct, and furnish the same to the City Clerk, who shall cause the same to be printed and distributed among the members of the City Council.

Section 23. Every order, resolve or other paper requiring concurrent action offered in either board by a member thereof shall be endorsed by him and if the subject matter is referred to a committee, and if he so requests he shall be notified by the clerk of committees, of the time and place when said subject matter is to be considered.

## RULES AND ORDERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Section 1. The order of business shall be as follows:—

First. The President shall call the board to order; and if a quorum be present, shall cause the roll to be called and the names of the absentees recorded.

Second. The journal of the previous meeting shall be read.

Third. Petitions, reports and other papers requiring the action of the Common Council shall be called for and be disposed of by reference or otherwise.

Fourth. The orders of the day shall be taken up—meaning by the orders of the day, the business remaining unfinished at the previous meeting, and such communications as may have been subsequently sent up from the Common Council.

Fifth. New business may be introduced by any member of the board.

Sixth. Such nominations, appointments and elections as may be in order, shall be considered and disposed of.

Section 2. Every ordinance shall pass through the following stages before it shall be considered as having received the final action of this board, viz: first reading, second reading, passage to be enrolled, passage to be ordained; and every joint resolution shall have two several readings before the question shall be taken on its final passage.

Section 3. A resolve, an order for appropriating money, or an ordinance, may be rejected at either stage in its progress, but may not pass through all its stages in one day except by general consent.

Section 4. Standing committees shall be appointed on assessments for sewers; on assessments for streets betterments; on enrollment; on bills in the second reading; on street railways; and on elections and returns.

Section 5. No member shall be interrupted while speaking but by a call to order or for a correction of a mistake, nor shall there be any conversation among the members while a paper is being read, or a question stated from the chair.

Section 6. On all questions and motions whatsoever the President shall take the sense of the board by yeas and nays

provided one-fourth of the members present shall so require.

Section 7. The foregoing rules and order of business shall be observed in all cases, unless suspended for a specific purpose by a vote of two-thirds of the members present.

Section 8. All committees shall be appointed and announced by the President unless the board shall determine otherwise.



## RULES AND ORDERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

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### Rights and Duties of the President

Section 1. The president shall take the chair at the hour appointed for the meeting, call the members to order, and, if a quorum be present, cause the roll to be called and the names of the absentees recorded. He shall then call for the reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting, and proceed to business.

Section 2. He shall preserve order and decorum, may speak to points of order in preference to other members and shall decide all such questions, subject to an appeal to the council by motion regularly seconded; and no other business shall be in order until the question on the appeal shall have been decided. He shall also nominate all committees not elected, unless the council shall determine otherwise.

Section 3. He shall arise to address the council, to state facts or to put a question; but may read sitting.

Section 4. When a question is under debate, the president shall receive no mo-

tion but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone to a certain day, to commit, to amend or to postpone indefinitely; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged. He shall declare all votes, but if a vote be doubted he shall order a return of the number voting in the affirmative and in the negative without any further debate.

Section 5. He may call any member to the chair for a period of time not extending beyond an adjournment; and when out of the chair the president may participate in any debate; but shall not resume the chair while the same question is pending; and on going into committee of the whole he shall appoint the chairman..

Section 6. Questions shall be propounded in the order in which they are moved, unless the subsequent motion be previous in its nature; except that in naming sums and fixing times, the largest sum and the longest time shall be first put.

Section 7. After a motion is stated by the president, it shall be disposed of by a vote of the council, unless withdrawn by the mover before an amendment or decision.

Section 8. A motion to adjourn and the motion to lay on the table shall be decided without debate.

Section 9. The previous question shall be put in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" It shall only be admitted when demanded by a majority of the members present and until it is decided, shall preclude all amendment and debate of the main question, and after the adoption of the previous question, the sense of the council shall forthwith be taken upon amendments reported by a committee, upon all pending amendments and then upon the main question.

Section 10. On all questions and motions whatsoever, the president shall take the sense of the council by yeas and nays provided one-fifth of the members present shall so require.

Section 11. When two or more members rise at the same time, the president shall name the member who is to speak first.

#### Rights and Duties of Members

Section 12. In case of a vacancy in the office of President the Council shall proceed forthwith to elect a President, the

oldest senior member present presiding, and no other business, except a motion to adjourn to a time specified or to take a recess, shall be in order until an election by vote of a majority of those present and voting is effected. In the absence of the president the member present whose election is of the earliest date shall call the council to order, and preside until a president *pro tempore* shall be chosen; if it shall appear that there are two or more members whose election is of equal early date, seniority in years shall determine who shall call the council to order; and if an election is not effected on the first trial, on the second trial a plurality of votes shall elect. When any member is about to speak in the council, he shall rise in his place and respectfully address the presiding officer, confining himself to the question under debate, and avoiding personalities.

Section 13. No member shall be mentioned in the debate by his name, but may be described by the place he occupies or such other designation as may be intelligible and respectful.

Section 14. No member speaking shall be interrupted by another but by a call to order or to correct a mistake.

Sec. 15. No member shall speak more than once on a question to the prevention of any other who has not spoken and desires to speak; nor more than twice without the consent of the board; and all questions relating to the priority of business shall be taken without debate.

Sec. 16. When the president or any other member is speaking, no one shall stand up or pass unnecessarily before the person speaking.

Sec. 17. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the president or any member require it.

Sec. 18. A motion to reconsider a vote shall only be in order at the same or the meeting next succeeding that at which the vote was passed. If a motion is made to reconsider a vote at the same meeting at which it is passed, and it is moved to postpone its consideration until the next meeting, such motion to postpone shall require for its adoption the affirmative vote of but one-third of the members voting; and, provided further, that no action of the council upon a motion to reconsider a vote, upon an incidental or subsidiary question, shall remove the main subject under consideration from before it. When a motion for reconsideration is de-

ecided, that decision shall not be reconsidered. The motion to "postpone until the next meeting" the consideration of a motion to reconsider a vote shall not be debatable, and shall not be in order on and after the last Monday in December.

Sec. 19. Every member who shall be in the council when a question is put, shall give his vote, unless the council for special reasons excuse him, or unless his private interest is involved therein.

Pairs may be arranged between members and when announced in open session shall be made a matter of record.

Sec. 20. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration, shall be admitted under color of an amendment.

Sec. 21. All reports may be committed or recommended at the pleasure of the council. And when a motion is made to refer a subject, and different committees are proposed the question shall be taken in the order following:

- A standing committee of the Council.
- A select committee of the Council.
- A joint standing committee.
- A joint select committee.

Sec. 22. All questions shall be divided when the sense will admit of it, if called for by any member of the council.

Sec. 23. No rule or standing order of the council shall be suspended unless three-fourths of the members present consent thereto, nor shall any rule or order be repealed or amended without at least one day's notice being given of the motion therefor, nor unless a majority of the whole council concur therein.

Sec. 24. No member shall be obliged to serve on more than two committees at the same time, nor be chairman of more than one, nor on any committee having in charge matter touching his individual interest.

Sec. 25. All differences of opinion in regard to points of order or modes of proceeding not otherwise provided for shall be governed by parliamentary practice as set forth in Cushing's "Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies."

#### Communications, Committees, Reports, Resolutions, etc.

Sec. 26. All papers addressed to the council shall be presented by the president or by a member in his place, and shall be

read by the president, clerk, or such other persons as the president may request, and shall be taken up in the order in which they were presented unless when the council shall otherwise direct.

Sec. 27. Standing committees shall be appointed on bills in the second reading, on enrollment, and on street railways. The committee on street railways shall consist of four members.

Sec. 28. No committee shall sit during the sitting of the council without special leave, except committees of conference, the committee on the second reading of bills and ordinances, and the committee on enrollment; and such special leave shall not be granted without the consent of three-fourths of the members present and voting.

Sec. 29. The rules of proceeding in the council shall be observed in the committee of the whole, so far as they may be applicable except the rule limiting the times of speaking.

Sec. 30. When a committee is nominated by the president, the first person named shall be the chairman, unless the president himself is a member of that committee, in which case he shall be the

chairman. In elections of committees when the chairman is not specially chosen, the person having the highest number of votes shall act as chairman, and in case of an equality of votes between two or more members of a committee, the members thereof shall choose a chairman.

Sec. 31. All ordinances, orders and resolutions shall have two several readings before they shall be finally passed by the council.

Sec. 32. All ordinances, before being read the second time, shall be referred to the committee on the second reading of bills and ordinances; and after being reported upon by said committee, shall be again read, after which second reading the question shall be on passing the same to be enrolled. An ordinance shall not pass through all its stages in one day.

Sec. 33. All ordinances, orders or resolutions, imposing penalties or authorizing the expenditure of money whether the same may have been appropriated or not, and all orders or resolutions authorizing loans, shall have but one reading on the same day, in case an objection to the second reading is made and sustained by the affirmative votes of one-fourth of the members present and voting; provided,

however, that nothing herein contained shall prevent the passage of an order at any meeting of the council to authorize the printing of any documents relating to the affairs of the city.

Sec. 34. The seats of the common council shall be numbered, and determined by lot, and no member shall change his seat but by permission of the president.

Sec. 35. All committees of the council shall consist of three members, unless a different number be specially ordered. And no report shall be received from any committee unless actually assembled; and all reports shall be in writing.

Sec. 36. It shall be the duty of every committee of the council to whom any subject may be specially referred, to report thereon within four weeks, or ask further time.

### Elections

Sec. 37. All officers not appointed shall be elected by a viva voce vote each member who is present answering to his name when it is called by the clerk or other proper officer, and stating the name of the person for whom he votes, or declining to vote, as the case may be; and the clerk or other proper officer shall record every such vote.

## Duties of Clerk, etc.

Sec. 38. The clerk shall keep brief minutes of the votes and proceedings of the council, entering thereon all accepted resolutions; he shall notice reports and memorials, and other papers submitted to the board, only by their titles, or a brief description of their purport. When the yeas and nays are taken, the clerk shall call the names of all the members except the president in alphabetical order.

Sec. 39. The clerk of the common council shall keep the record of committees who may require that service; and on the appointment of every standing committee, a book of record shall be provided by its chairman or by said clerk; and the clerk shall have the custody of all the minutes by him kept, and the records of the several committees shall be open to the inspection of the members of the city council.

Sec. 40. The clerk shall notify in writing the chairman of all committees of the council of the appointment of such committees.

NUMBER AND LOCATION OF  
FIRE ALARM BOXES

- 12 Main and Chandler
- 13 Webster Sq.
- 14 Thomas and Union
- 15 Amer. Steel & Wire Co. North Works
- 16 Southbridge St. and Quinsigamond Ave.
- 17 Main and Foster
- 18 Lincoln and Catharine
- 19 North and Grove
- 116 Southbridge and Sargent
- 121 Piedmont and Davis
- 122 Murray Ave. and Preston
- 123 City Hospital, Jaques Ave.
- 124 Piedmont and Chandler
- 125 Queen St. and Jaques Ave.
- 126 Austin and Oxford
- 131 Main and Montague
- 132 Webster and Fremont
- 133 Stafford and James
- 134 Jamesville
- 135 Main and Apricot
- 136 Baker and Wayne
- 137 Mill and Lakewood
- 138 Main St. and Blaine Ave.
- 139 Stafford and Ludlow
- 1321 Hope Ave. and Webster
- 1322 Spencer Wire Co., Webster St.
- 1323 Lyman St.
- 1324 Knox and Clover
- 1341 Clover and Heard
- 1342 Ludlow and Genesee
- 1371 June and Glendale
- 141 Union St. and Bangs Ct.
- 142 St. Ry. Car House, Market St.
- 151 Morgan Con. Co., Crescent St.
- 152 El. Light Station, Faraday St.
- 153 Logan, Swift & Brigham
- 161 Ellsworth and Bigelow
- 162 Jackson and Beacon
- 163 Bowler Bros. Brewery
- 164 Gold near Hermon

- 165 Gas Works, Quinsigamond Ave.  
 166 Lamartine and Sargent  
 171 Exchange and Waldo  
 172 Public Library, Elm St.  
 173 Barnard, Sumner & Putnam Co.  
 181 Kendall and Oak Ave.  
 182 Perkins and Westminster  
 183 Perkins and Lincoln  
 191 Edgeworth and Dryden  
 192 Grove and Holden  
 193 North Worcester R. R. Station  
 194 Tower St. and Hastings Ave.  
 195 Chester and Holden  
  
 21 Main and Hammond  
 23 Union and Foster  
 24 Southbridge St. and Southgate Pl.  
 25 Grove and Concord.  
 26 Portland and Madison  
 27 Pleasant and West  
 28 Millbury and Worth  
 29 Pleasant and Mill  
 212 Main and Kilby  
 213 Main and Wyman  
 214 Main and Oread  
 215 Ripley St. and Ripley Pl.  
 216 Hammond Organ Shop, May St.  
 217 Kingsbury and Shepard  
 218 King and Shepard  
 231 Foster and Bridge  
 232 Mechanic and Commercial  
 241 Hammond and Canterbury  
 242 Southgate and Gardner  
 243 Wright Wire Co., Hammond St.  
 244 Washburn and Clapp  
 245 Princeton and Lewis  
 251 Institute Rd. and Wachusett  
 261 City Stables, Salem St.  
 262 Franklin and Portland  
 263 N. Y. N. H. & H. Freight House  
 271 Pleasant and Chestnut  
 272 Piedmont and Pleasant  
 273 Russell and Blossom  
 274 Merrick and Larch

- 275 Chatham and Crown  
 281 Ward and Taylor  
 282 Ward and South Ward  
 283 Millbury and Maxwell  
 284 Esther and Vernon  
 285 Lund and Esther  
 291 Chandler and June  
 292 Pleasant and Beeching  
 293 Pleasant St. and Moore Ave.  
 294 Richmond Ave. and Cornell  
 295 June and Berkman  
 296 Pleasant and Jenkins  
 297 Olean St. and Juniper Rd.  
  
 31 Main and Richards  
 32 Exchange and Union  
 34 Green and Bradley  
 35 Winthrop and Vernon  
 36 Front opp. Spring  
 37 Highland and North Ashland  
 38 Salisbury St. and Whitman Rd.  
 39 Main and Gould Hill Rd.  
 312 Maywood and Florence  
 313 Cambridge St. and Duncan Ave.  
 314 Crystal and Illinois  
 315 Freeland and Lowell  
 316 Main and Tirrell  
 317 No. 30 Stoneland Rd.  
 321 Insane Asylum, Summer St.  
 322 Ford and Gage  
 324 Summer and Charles  
 333 No School  
 341 Fox and Blake  
 342 Columbia and Arlington  
 343 Green and Gold  
 344 Harrison and Water  
 345 Wyman & Gordon, Bradley St.  
 346 Washington and Lafayette  
 347 Vernon and Pattison  
 348 Millbury and Lamartine  
 351 Dorchester and Arlington  
 352 Vernon and Upsala  
 353 Perry Ave. and Sufield  
 354 St. Vincent Hospital

- 355 Vernon and Stockton Terrace
- 356 Hillside and Sterling
- 357 Harlem St. and Strathmore Rd.
- 361 Front and Mercantile
- 362 Front and Bridge
- 371 West St. near W. P. Institute
- 372 Dayton and Fruit
- 373 Highland St. and Einhorn Rd.
- 374 William and Roxbury
- 381 Salisbury and Beechmont
- 382 Salisbury and Flagg
- 383 Forest St. and Wheeler Ave.
- 391 Con. Car House, Gates Lane
- 392 Stafford and Heard
- 393 Brookline St. and Talawanda Drive
- 394 Old Ladies' Home, Main St.
- 395 Main and Stafford
- 396 Clegg and Apricot
  
- 4 City Hall
- 41 Thomas and Summer
- 42 Cambridge and Southbridge
- 43 Amer. Steel & Wire Co., South Works
- 44 Boston Store
- 45 Shrewsbury Sq.
- 46 Hose 2 House, Grafton St.
- 47 Belmont St. and Oak Ave.
- 48 Southgate and Grand
- 49 Park Ave. and May
- 412 Belmont and Fountain
- 413 Summer and Arch
- 414 Mulberry and Shelby
- 415 Elliott and Merrifield
- 416 Clayton and Arch
- 421 Southbridge St. and Hope Ave.
- 422 Malvern Rd. and Warwick
- 423 Holy Cross College
- 424 Stearns Sq.
- 425 College and Dutton
- 426 Wach. Thread Co., Middle River Rd.
- 427 Boyden and Caro
- 428 Davenport and Electric
- 431 Millbury and Greenwood
- 432 Standard Oil Works, Quinsig.

- 433 Whipple and Stockholm
- 434 Millbury and Middle River Rd.
- 435 Greenwood and Upland
- 436 Millbury St., and Stevens' Grain Mill
- 437 Tatman and Jay
- 438 Stebbins and Thenius
- 439 Millbury and Cliff
- 441 J. C. MacInness, 454 Main
- 444 Police Call
- 451 Prospect St. and Eastern Ave.
- 452 East Central and Mulberry
- 453 Malleable Iron Works, Albany
- 454 Isolation Hospital, Belmont St.
- 455 Shrewsbury and Henry
- 456 Shrewsbury and Muskego
- 457 Belmont and Adams
- 461 St. John's Church, Temple St.
- 462 Coral and Waverley
- 463 Waverley and Ledge
- 464 Aetna and Mendon
- 471 Belmont St. and Eastern Ave.
- 472 Hooper and Kendall
- 473 Farwell and Elizabeth
- 481 Cambridge and Canterbury
- 483 Hopeville Mfg. Co., Sutton Lane
- 484 Wor. Bl. & Dye Works, Fremont
- 491 Park Ave. and Shirley
- 492 Lovell and Willow
- 493 Fairlawn Hospital, May St.
- 4321 Ballard and Providence
- 4351 Greenwood and Rydberg Ter.
  
- 5 Trumbull Sq.
- 51 Lincoln Sq.
- 52 Prescott and Garden
- 53 Providence and Harrison
- 54 State Hospital, Belmont St.
- 56 William and Chestnut St.
- 57 Main and Hermon
- 58 Woodland and King
- 59 Lincoln and Greenhill Pkwy.
- 512 State and Harvard
- 513 Main and School
- 514 Lincoln St. and Lincoln Pl.



- 521 Prescott St. and Moran Ct.  
 531 Heywood and Granite  
 532 Orphan Asylum, Granite St.  
 533 Aetna and Coral  
 534 Dorchester St. and Penn Ave.  
 535 Granite and South Stowell  
 541 Plantation and Northboro  
 542 Plantation St. Hospital Barn  
 543 Coburn and Wigwam Ave.  
 544 Belmont St. and Lake Ave.  
 545 Normal Inst., Plantation St.  
 546 Plantation and Aitchison  
 581 Kingsbury and Baneroff  
 591 Windsor St. and McKinley Rd.  
 592 Harlow and Paine
- 6 Laurel and Edward  
 61 Gardner and Tainter  
 62 Orange and Myrtle  
 63 Washington Sq.  
 64 Grafton and Barclay  
 65 Elm and Linden  
 67 Pleasant and Winslow  
 68 Norfolk and Suffolk  
 69 Hamilton and Orient  
 612 Rice, Barton & Fales, Tainter St.  
 613 Gates and Illinois  
 614 Canterbury and Walpole  
 615 C. & K. Loom Works  
 621 Washington and Gold  
 631 Franklin and Arctic  
 641 Houghton and Dorchester  
 642 Rice Sq.  
 643 Massasoit Rd. and Sunderland  
 644 Massasoit Rd. and Bliethewood Ave.  
 645 Houghton St., Pathie Sign Co.  
 646 Fairmont and Bedford Ave.  
 647 Grafton St. and Lamer Ave.  
 648 Plantation and Hale  
 649 Grafton St. and Marjorie Ave.  
 6491 Grafton St. and Sunderland Rd.  
 6492 Grafton and Casper  
 6493 Ideal and Sunderland Rd.  
 671 Pleasant and Highland

- 672 Hudson and Townsend  
 673 Pleasant and Elmwood  
 674 Chamberlain Pky. and Tahanto Rd.  
 681 Norfolk and Assension  
 682 Graton & Knight Mfg. Co.  
 683 Wall and Norfolk  
 691 Orient and Division  
 692 Plantation and March  
 693 Hamilton St. and Ingleside Ave.  
 694 Hamilton St. and Anderson Ave.
- 7 Lamartine and Meade  
 71 Main and Central  
 72 Austin and Newbury  
 73 Wachusett and Dix  
 74 Northampton and Channing  
 75 May and Woodland  
 76 West and William  
 78 Lake View
- 712 Central and Commercial  
 721 Wellington St. and Jaques Ave.  
 723 Austin and Bellevue  
 731 John and Wesby  
 741 Catharine and Rodney  
 742 Everard and Vinson  
 743 Belmont and Stanton  
 751 Oberlin and Hollywood  
 761 Elm and Sever  
 781 Lake Ave. and Lake View St.  
 782 Lake Ave. and Sandy Bar Drive
- 8 Chatham and Irving  
 81 Home Farm  
 82 Cambridge and Pitt  
 83 Institute Rd. and Russell  
 84 Crompton and Chelsea  
 85 Beacon and Benefit  
 86 Wall and Suffolk  
 87 Shrewsbury St. and Putnam Lane  
 812 Lincoln St. and Beverly Rd.  
 813 Beverly Rd. and Darling  
 821 Millbury and Cambridge  
 822 Millbury and Wade  
 831 Highland and Cerman

- 832 Institute Rd. and Germain
- 841 Cambridge and Douglas
- 842 Whittall's Mill, Brussels St.
- 861 Thorne and Dupont
- 871 Shrewsbury and Prentice
- 872 White, Pevey & Dexter Co.

- 9 Franklin Sq.
- 91 West Boylston and Millbrook
- 92 Chandler and Dewey
- 93 Park Ave. and Lovell
- 94 Charlotte and Clifton
- 95 Brittan Sq.
- 97 Ararat and Brooks St.
- 912 Barbers Crossing
- 913 West Boylston and Fales
- 914 Odd Fellows Ave.
- 915 Allen-Higgins Co., Barbers
- 916 West Boylston St. and Merrill Rd.
- 917 Fairhaven Rd. and Leeds Ave.
- 918 Fales and Emerson Rd.
- 921 Pleasant St. and Park Ave.
- 922 Park Ave. and Parker
- 923 Chandler and Lovell
- 931 Ferdinand St. and Circuit Ave.
- 932 Walker Ice Co., Lakeside Ave.
- 951 Burncoat St. and Belvidere Ave.
- 952 Burncoat and Clark
- 953 Burncoat and Clyde Ave.
- 954 Randolph and Barber Aves.
- 955 Burncoat and Quinapoxet Lane
- 956 Worcester Country Club
- 957 Burncoat St. and Martha Ave.
- 971 Ararat and Westinghouse Parkway
- 9121 Norton Co., Wh. Div., Greendale
- 9122 Norton Co., Mch. Div., Greendale
- 9123 Morgan Spring Co., Greendale
- 9124 New Bond St. and Gleason Ave.
- 9125 Norton Co., Power House
- 9131 Rockdale and Marshfield
- 9133 West Bolyston and Malden
- 9134 Brooks and Malden
- 9141 Odd Fellows Home