

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE IMPROVEMENT OF A PORTION OF SALEM AVENUE IN WARRENTON, BY LAYING AND CONSTRUCTING STANDARD PLANKING, FOR A WIDTH OF NINE FEET, ALONG THE CENTER THEREOF, THE COST OF SUCH IMPROVEMENT TO BE PAID BY ASSESSING THE PROPERTY THEREBY BENEFITTED, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, The Common Council, by a resolution duly adopted on February 1st, 1921, declared its intention to improve the following described portions of Salem Avenue in the City of Warrenton:

Beginning at a point twelve (12) feet North of the center line of said Salem Avenue where same intersects the West boundary line of the planking constituting the covering or driveway now laid along Wheeler Street in said City. Thence Westerly along said Salem Avenue twelve (12) feet north of and parallel with the center line thereof a distance of ninety (90) feet, thence continuing along said Salem Avenue at a distance of four (4) feet from and parallel with the center line thereof a further distance of one hundred and thirty six feet (136). Thence Southerly at right angles eight (8) feet; thence Easterly parallel with the center line of Salem Avenue and four (4) feet therefrom, for a distance of one hundred and thirty six (136) feet; thence Southerly eight (8) feet at right angles; thence Easterly twelve (12) feet from and parallel with said center line of Salem Avenue for a distance of ninety (90) feet to a junction with the aforesaid westerly boundary line of the planking constituting the covering or driveway on Said Wheeler Street, by laying and constructing thereon, standard planking on the usual stringers in pursuance of a petition therefor which had theretofore been duly filed with the Council praying that said improvement be so made; and

WHEREAS, The Council in said resolution directed and caused estimates of the cost of said proposed improvement, and specifications for the same, to be made, and deposited with the Auditor and Police Judge of said City, all of which has heretofore accordingly been done; Now, therefore,

THE CITY OF WARRENTON DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

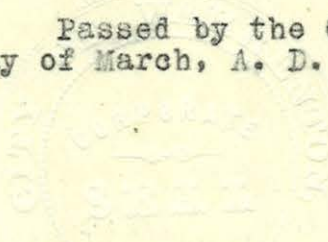
Section 1. That the portions of Salem Avenue described as follows: Beginning at a point twelve (12) feet North of the center line of said Salem Avenue where same intersects the West boundary line of the planking constituting the covering or driveway now laid along Wheeler Street in said City. Thence Westerly along said Salem Avenue twelve (12) feet North of and parallel with the center line thereof a distance of ninety (90) feet, thence continuing along said Salem Avenue at a distance of four (4) feet from and parallel with the center line thereof a further distance of one hundred and thirty six (136) feet. Thence Southerly at right angles eight (8) feet; thence Easterly parallel with the center line of Salem Avenue and four (4) feet therefrom, for a distance of one hundred and thirty six (136) feet; thence Southerly eight (8) feet at right angles; thence Easterly twelve (12) feet from and parallel with said center line of Salem Avenue for a distance of ninety (90) feet to a junction with the aforesaid Westerly boundary line of the planking constituting the covering or driveway now laid along Wheeler Street, be, and the same is hereby directed to be improved by laying and constructing standard planking, on the usual stringers, along the center thereof: such planking or roadway being more particularly described as follows:— On the twenty four foot planking or roadway; decking to be of sound red fir, 3"x12"x12' laid on 12--3"x6" stringers well nailed with 60D nails. On the eight foot planking or roadway; decking to be of sound red fir lumber, 3"x12"x8' laid on 4--3"x6" stringers well nailed together with 60D nails

Section 2. That the Auditor and Police Judge be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to call for bids for the making of said proposed improvement, in the manner aforesaid, by publishing the same in two successive issues of the Warrenton News, a weekly newspaper printed and published in the City of Warrenton.

Section 3. That upon said bids being received and opened by the Streets and Public Highways Committee at the time and place stated in said call, such Committee is hereby authorized and directed to enter into a contract, with the lowest responsible bidder therefor, in behalf of the City, for the making of said proposed improvement, if in such Committee's discretion any one of said bids should be accepted, and if all of the bids received in pursuance of said call should, in the opinion of said Committee, be rejected, or if no bids be received, then the Auditor and Police Judge is hereby authorized and directed to publish another call for bids, in the manner and for the time herein required for the first call for said bids, the same authority being given to said Committee to open the second bids and enter into a contract for said proposed improvement, in the manner hereinbefore stated.

Section 4. That the enactment of this ordinance at this time, and the taking effect of the same forthwith, is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Warrenton, and, therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage by the Council and approval by the Mayor of the City of Warrenton.

Passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor on the 15th day of March, A. D. 1921.


J. M. Warren

Mayor.

Attest:

John Evenden

Auditor and Police Judge.