Ordinance No. 60

An ordinance specifying the mode of procedure in establishing, closing and other similar grounds, and in the levy and collection of special local taxes to pay for such improvements.

Be it ordained by the Council of the Town

Section I

Before any improvements shall be made upon any street, alley or other public place or grounds, a petition therefor signed by at least five residents and holding a parcel to be improved shall be presented to the council, which petition shall state the character and extent of the improvements desired and the name, description or other designation of the street, alley or other public place, or portion thereof to be improved.

Section II

Upon the presentation of such petition, the Council shall fix a time for the hearing thereof and shall give a notice of such hearing to be published in the newspaper during the town meeting, and a copy of such notice shall be posted by the Clerk of the Town in three public...
places in the City limits for at least one day prior to the date of such hearing. The proof of publication and service of said notice shall be by affidavit of the Council.

Section 5

At the time set for the hearing on said petition, the Council, at its own and determining all objections to the improvement prayed for, and may in their discretion order the improvement as prayed for, or modify the same or refuse to make the improvement altogether as to there may upon careful examination of the facts and premises thereof so require.

Section 6

Whenever the Council shall decide to make any improvements of any street, alley or public place or public utility, they shall provide for the same by resolution setting forth the character and extent of the proposed improvement and particularly describing the street, alley or other public place or utility for which the resolution is to be made. Upon the passage of said resolution by the full committee and a survey of the property to be improved
to be made and the grade thereby to be established, and plans and specifications of the proposed improvement to be made and filed with the Clerk. On receiving such plans and specifications, the Clerk shall cause a notice to be published in the newspaper during the meeting of the town, asking for sealed bids for making the improvement as shown in the plans and specifications filed, which notice shall be published at least ten days prior to the day upon which the bids will be opened. The Clerk shall receive and file all bids and keep them secure and unopened until the time fixed by the Council for opening and considering the same. Upon opening the bids, the Council shall at once proceed to fix the contract for making the proposed improvement to the lowest responsible bidder. Provided that they may in their discretion reject any and all bids.

Section 5.

Within five days after the completion and acceptance of any contract for improvements provided for in this ordinance, the Clerk of the town shall...
upon an assessment roll and
shall proceed to assess and collect
the gross cost of such improvements
of the real property being done,
according to the several plans or
however of said improvements having
been made, and as much or as
may of them or all, the benefits
shall be determined by and considered
as proportional to the frontage
present upon the improvements
of the property to be assessed.

Section 6th.
As soon as the assessment roll
shall have been made out, the council
shall fix a time to hear and determine
all objections thereto and to equalize the
assessments thereon; and at the time
fixed shall hear and determine
all objections and shall examine
and equalize the assessment roll
and for such purposes may adjourn
from time to time until a period
Notice of the meeting for

Section 6. The assessed roll shall be published at least one day prior to the date of

Section 7. The taxes for improvements provided for in this ordinance shall be due on the date of the publication of notice

If not paid within sixty days from that date, when said taxes become

delinquent the marshals shall examine the list to the clerk who shall within

four days thereafter make out a
delinquent list adding to each
The town attorney shall upon receipt of the said delinquent list immediately proceed to collect the same and interest lienson at the rate of ten per cent for annum from date of delinquency in the manner prescribed by the ordinance of the town for the collection of the general taxes of the municipality.

Section 9

All ordinances or parts of ordinances not in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 10

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Passed: Jan 14, 1892

Approved: July 11, 1892

Alvis J. V. Ely

Acting Mayor

J. C. H. [Signature]
Osu-souted road and laid out under the rules of June 6th 1842. J. B. Ely T.C. No. 60.
Mode of Improving Streets & Method of Collecting Money for Payment of Same

Repealed by Ord. 1979