

City of Cambridge.

~~In Board of Aldermen~~

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Common Council. J. 22^o
Dec. 11. 1869

The Committee on Ordinances to whom was referred an
order of the City Council of the 1st inst, directing that
an ordinance be reported, establishing the office of City
Forester, and defining its duties, herewith submit an
Ordinance, in obedience to instructions

In behalf of the Committee

Seymour B. Brown

City of Cambridge.

In Common Council, Dec. 1st 1868.

Ordered,

That the Committee on Ordinances be instructed to report an Ordinance creating the office of City Forester, and defining his duties.

In Common Council Dec. 1st 1869
Adopted and sent up for concurrence -
Attest J. W. Cotton Clerk

In Board of Aldermen. Dec. 1. 1868.

Concurred -

Attest: Justin A. Jacobs, City Clerk.

Approved - Char. H. Saunders Mayor

Dec 1st 1869

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Dec. 1, 1849.

City of Cambridge

In the Year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine

An Ordinance
to establish the office of City Forester, and to define its duties

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Cambridge, as follows:

Section One

There shall be appointed annually, in the month of January, a joint Standing Committee of the City Council, to consist of two Aldermen and three members of the Common Council — to be called the "Committee on the Public Grounds." Said Committee shall have charge of the Common, and enclosures belonging to the City — not otherwise provided for — and of the trees standing in the public streets, or other public ways.

Section Two

There shall be chosen annually, in the month of January, by concurrent vote of the two branches of the City Council — the Mayor and Aldermen first acting — an officer who shall be called the City Forester. He shall hold office till a successor be appointed, or until a vacancy occurs, by death, resignation, or otherwise. The City Council may remove such officer, and fill the vacancy at any time.

Section Three

The City Forester shall have the care and supervision — under the direction of the Committee above named — of the Common, and public enclosures, and of the trees in the streets, or other public ways. It shall be his duty to keep the trees and grounds entrusted to him, in proper order, at all seasons, and to do whatever the Committee may deem necessary to preserve them in a thriving condition, and ornamental to the city. He shall attend, personally to the setting out or planting of trees in the streets and other public places; and to the removal of the same, when ordered by competent authority. All moneys received by him from the sale of any of the products of the

public grounds, shall be paid into the City Treasury, and a receipt taken therefor

Section Four

The salary of the City Forester shall be one thousand dollars per annum. The same shall be paid in equal quarterly payments, and shall be in full for all official services

Section Five

This Ordinance shall take effect on the first day of January next; and all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this, are hereby repealed

In Common Council Dec. 29th 1869
Passed to be enrolled and sent up for Concurrence
Attest J. W. Cotton
Clerk

In Common Council Dec. 22/69

Correctly drawn

Chas. C. Clapp

Samuel P. Adams Committee

Correctly enrolled

Geo. W. Haines Com. on

Jas. W. Hall Enroll

Samuel P. Adams Bills

In Common Council Dec. 29, 1869

~~Passed to be ordained~~

Attest Henry W. May

President