

--- MAY 13, 1943. ---

REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO HELD AT 10:00 A.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE CITY HALL AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS ON MAY 13th, 1943.

PRESENT: Mayor Gus B. Mauermann, presiding, and Commissioners Hein, Steffler and Anderson.

ABSENT: Commissioner C. Ray Davis.

On motion duly seconded and carried, the minutes of the previous meeting were ordered approved as read.

Urgent matters called Commissioner P. L. Anderson from the Session and he was excused.

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 696.

AN ORDINANCE (3018)

APPROPRIATING \$125,069.45 OUT OF 1942 GENERAL FUND TO PAY NOTES NOS. 69 TO 73 INCLUSIVE OF THE 1942 GENERAL FUND SERIES AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$125,000.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1942 General Fund - Taxes, Licenses, Fines, etc. account, payable to Frost National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, to pay five (5) Notes Nos. 69 to 73 incl. of the 1942 General Fund Series, \$25,000.00 each, maturing on or before July 1, 1943; AND, the sum of \$69.45, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1942 General Fund - Interest Department to pay accrued interest on 1942 General Fund Notes Nos. 69 to 73 incl.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,

City Clerk.

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 697.

AN ORDINANCE (3019)

AUTHORIZING TRANSFER OF \$1,200.00 TO CIVILIAN DEFENSE AND \$50.00 TO TEXAS DEFENSE GUARDS FROM VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS OF THE 1942 GENERAL FUND.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that,

1. The sum of \$1,250.00, be and the same is hereby ordered to be transferred out of various Departments of the 1942 General Fund, as follows:

Transfers from: Mayor's Department .....	\$ 200.00
Back Tax Collector .....	100.00
La Villita .....	300.00
Street Maintenance .....	200.00
Fire Dept.....	400.00
Mayor's W.P.A. Projects .....	50.00
Transfers to: Civilian Defense .....	1,200.00
Texas Defense Guards.....	50.00

2. The City Auditor is directed to make the transfers above authorized.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

Commissioner Anderson, before being excused, introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein, Steffler and Anderson. Nays, None. Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 698. AN ORDINANCE (3020)

APPROPRIATING \$224.76 OUT OF 1942 GENERAL FUND TO DEFRAY EXPENSES OF CAPTAIN FRED P. LITTLEPAGE ON ASSIGNMENT TO POLICE ACADEMY AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$224.76, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1942 General Fund - Police Department, payable to Captain Fred P. Littlepage, of the Police Department of the City of San Antonio, Texas, to reimburse amount expended by him for necessary expenses on assignment to Police Academy at Washington, D.C. as per itemized sworn statement of expenses on file with the City Auditor.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 699 AN ORDINANCE (3021)

APPROPRIATING \$82,723.11 OUT OF THE 1942 GENERAL FUND, FOR PAYROLLS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$82,723.11 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1942 General Fund, for payrolls for the period ending May 15, 1943, as follows:

Public Affairs in General	12,691.34
Taxation Department	3,718.00
Sanitation, Parks & Public Property	9,598.50
Streets & Public Improvements	7,842.16
Fire & Police Departments	48,535.61
Civilian Defense	337.50
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	82,723.11

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 700. AN ORDINANCE (3022)

APPROPRIATING \$19,350.00 OUT OF THE 1942 GENERAL FUND, FOR PER DIEM PAYROLLS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$19,350.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1942 General Fund, for per diem payrolls for

the period ending May 15, 1943, in the estimated amt. of \$19,350.00

Estimated as follows:	
Public Affairs in General (Witte Museum)	850.00
Sanitation, Parks & Public Property	14,000.00
Streets & Public Improvements	<u>4,500.00</u>
	19,350.00

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann,

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, towit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Davis and Anderson, Absent.

APPRO. NO. 701.

AN ORDINANCE (3023)

APPROPRIATING \$609.75 OUT OF THE SAN ANTONIO AIRPORT FUND, FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$609.75, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the San Antonio Airport Fund, for payroll for the period ending May 15, 1943, in the amount of ..... \$609.75.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 702.

AN ORDINANCE (3024)

APPROPRIATING \$600.00 OUT OF THE AIRPORT FUND OF 1941, for per diem PAYROLLS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$600.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Airport Fund of 1941, for per diem payroll for the period ending May 15, 1943, in the amt. of ...\$600.00

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 703.

AN ORDINANCE (3025)

APPROPRIATING \$430.00 OUT OF THE AIRPORT FUND OF 1941, FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$430.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Airport Fund of 1941, for payroll for the period

ending May 15, 1943, in the amount of \$430.00

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 704. AN ORDINANCE (3026)

APPROPRIATING \$50.00 OUT OF THE ADVERTISING FUND, FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$50.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Advertising Fund, for payroll for the period ending May 15, 1943, in the amount of ..... \$ 50.00

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 705 AN ORDINANCE (3027)

APPROPRIATING \$75.00 OUT OF SAN ANTONIO AIRPORT FUND TO PAY FOR POSTAGE STAMPS AND TELEPHONE SERVICES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$75.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of San Antonio Airport Fund to pay for postage stamps and telephone services, as per approved invoices on file in the City Auditor's Office.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk

Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 706 AN ORDINANCE (3028)

APPROPRIATING \$1,853.02 OUT OF 1942 GENERAL FUND TO PAY FOR SUPPLIES, TELEPHONE SERVICES AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$1,853.02, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1942 General Fund - Various Departments- to pay for supplies, telephone services and miscellaneous expenditures as per approved invoices on file in the City Auditor's Office, payable out of the following departments:

Public Affairs in General	\$ 375.43
Taxation	84.40

Sanitation, Parks & Public Property	141.07
Streets & Public Improvements	56.34
Fire & Police	988.73
Civil Air Patrol	8.50
Civilian Defense	87.50
Texas Defense Guard	11.05
U.S. Employment Service	100.00
	<u>\$ 1,853.02</u>

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

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Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nayes, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

APPRO. NO. 707

AN ORDINANCE (3029)

APPROPRIATING \$250.00 OUT OF THE COMMERCE BUILDING FUND FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$250.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Commerce Building Fund, for payroll for the period ending May 15, 1943, in the estimated amount of ..... \$250.00

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

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Mayor Mauermann introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nayes, none. Davis and Anderson, absent.

APPRO. NO. 708

AN ORDINANCE (3030)

APPROPRIATING \$10.60 IN PAYMENT TO DOBBINS METAL PRODUCTS, FOR MATERIALS AND LABOR FURNISHED IN CONSTRUCTION OF HANGARS AT NEW MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$10.60, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Airport Fund of 1941, in payment to Dobbins Metal Products, 1209 Santa Anna Street San Antonio, Texas, for materials and labor furnished in construction of hangars at New Municipal Airport, as per itemized statement on file in the office of the City Auditor.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 13th day of May, 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

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Commissioner Hein introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein, and Steffler. Nayes, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

AN ORDINANCE (3031)

DIRECTING THE CITY PURCHASING AGENT TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS TO FURNISH THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO WITH ONE OR MORE CARLOADS OF ALFALFA, FOR FEEDING ANIMALS AT ZOO.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:-

1. That the City Purchasing Agent be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids, in the manner provided by law, for bids to furnish the City of San Antonio with one or more carloads of Pea Green Alfalfa, extra leafy (Rabbit Alfalfa), to be used for feeding animals at the Zoo, specifications for said alfalfa to be furnished by the Park Department.
2. Sealed proposals will be received until 10:00 o'clock A.M., Thursday, May 20th, 1943, at which time same will be opened in the Council Chamber of the City Hall, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas.
3. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
4. PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of May, A.D. 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

Commissioner Hein introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

AN ORDINANCE (3032)

ACCEPTING BID OF TROTTNER IRON & METAL CO. TO PURCHASE TWO STEEL DUMP RAILROAD CARS FROM THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:-

1. That the proposal of Trottner Iron & Metal Co., of 1109 South Medina Street, San Antonio, Texas, dated April 29, 1943, attached hereto and made a part hereof, to purchase from the City of San Antonio two (2) steel dump railroad cars, at \$300.00 each, f.o.b present site be and the same is hereby accepted.
2. Upon payment of \$600.00, the Commissioner of Sanitation, Parks and Public Property is directed to deliver possession of the said dump cars to Trottner Iron & Metal Co., at the present site of said cars.
3. All other bids are hereby rejected.
4. PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of May, A.D. 1943.

Gus B. Mauermann

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

J. M. Woods,  
City Clerk.

Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance which was passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein and Steffler. Nays, none. Davis and Anderson, absent.

AN ORDINANCE (3033)

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO TO EXECUTE DEED TO GUARDIAN TRUST COMPANY AND RICE INSTITUTE, IN EXCHANGE FOR PROPERTY, FOR RE-LOCATION OF CERTAIN STREETS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:-

(For full text of this ordinance see Ordinance Book, "K", page 529)

Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, none. Anderson and Davis, absent.

AN ORDINANCE (3034)

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO TO EXECUTE DEED OF CONVEYANCE TO J. D. VASBINDER COVERING LOT 14, NEW CITY BLOCK 2595, IN EXCHANGE FOR LOT 9, NEW CITY BLOCK. 2595.

(For full text of this ordinance see ordinance Book "K", page 530 )

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Petition of N. V. Prassel to move some horses from 815 Layton Ave. to 1102 Vance Jackson Road was granted on recommendation of W. A. King, City Health Officer.

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Petition of Gulf Oil Corporation to replace one (1) ten barrel underground storage tank at the service station located at 1825 Broadway, San Antonio, Texas, was granted on recommendation of P. L. Anderson, Commissioner of Fire and Police.

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Petition of Golden West Lubricating Company to install two 1,000 gallon underground gasoline storage tanks and two secondhand electric computing pumps on the vacant lot in the rear of 1109 W. Houston Street was granted on recommendation of P. L. Anderson, Commissioner of Fire and Police.

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At the conclusion of the business of the meeting Mayor Mauermann invited anyone present who had anything he wanted to say to speak. Whereupon Commissioner Steffler, Commissioner Hein and Mayor Mauermann expressed their united desire for peace and harmony in the administration of the affairs of the City and the united effort of all Citizens for the development of San Antonio.

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On motion duly seconded and carried the meeting adjourned May 13, 1943.

APPROVED Geo. B. Mauermann  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Leola Murray  
City Clerk

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