

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, APRIL 15TH, A. D. 1937, 10:00 A. M.

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PRESENT: Honorable Phil Wright, Acting Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Bushick, I. Steffler. ABSENT: Mayor, C. K. Quin., Commissioner Rubiola.

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On motion of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the Minutes of the meeting of April 8th, was dispensed with and ordered approved.

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MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS

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On motion, duly seconded and carried, the following petitions were read and referred to the Commissioner of Police & Fire:

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 602 N. Presa.
 General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 1311 N. Zarzamora.
 General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 101 E. Houston.
 General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 1814 Fredericksburg Rd.
 General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 618½ Dolorosa.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at Houston & St. Mary's.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 709 S. Alamo.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 2217 San Pedro.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 422 Carolina.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at Woodlawn & Fredericksburg.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 206 E. Market.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at Cauthorn's Cafeteria.
 Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 3906 Broadway.
 National Outdoor Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 106 W. Houston.
 Texas Neon Sign Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 404 Soledad.
 Texas Neon Sign Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 201 N. New Braunfels.
 Texas Neon Sign Co. for permit to erect neon sign at Hackberry & Commerce.
 Marvin Charlton for approval of filling station at 200 block Fredericksburg Rd.
 Marvin Charlton for permit to install gas equipment at 200 blk. Fredericksburg Rd.
 Gulf Oil Corp. for permit to install gas equipment at 412 Fredericksburg Rd.
 J. M. Harris for permit to install gas equipment at 212-214 College St.
 Southwest Pump Co. for permit to install 6 pumps at 2822 Broadway.
 Arthur Taylor for permit to install gas equipment at 1212 Roosevelt.
 Alberto Ballesteroz for permit to install boiler in pressing shop, 718½ W. Commerce.
 Louis M. Carle for permit to install gas equipment at 2102 W. Commerce.
 Louis M. Carle for approval of filling station at 2102 W. Commerce.

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On motion, duly seconded and carried, bids to supply the City with one carload of coal were read and referred to the City Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

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Commissioner Bushick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler. Nays: Mayor Quin, Rubiola, absent.

MO-72

TRANSFERRING \$8,000.00 FROM BACK TAX GENERAL FUND TO THE 1936 GENERAL FUND.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, that,

the Commissioner of Taxation as ex-officio City Treasurer and the City Auditor, be and they are hereby directed to transfer or cause to be transferred the sum of \$8,000.00 out of Back Tax General Fund to the 1936 General Fund.

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 15 day of April, 1937.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil. Wright
Acting Mayor.

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Commissioner Bushick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bushick, Steffler, Wright. Nays, Mayor Quin, Commissioner Rubiola, absent.

No. 422

AN ORDINANCE - 73

APPROPRIATING \$75,000.00 OUT OF THE 1936 GENERAL FUND TO PAY THREE (3) NOTES NOS. 35 to 37 INCLUSIVE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO: that,

the sum of \$75,000.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1936 General Fund (Various Departments) to pay three (3) Notes Nos. 35 to 37 inclusive, of the 1936 General Fund Series, maturing on or before July 1, 1937, payable to the Frost National Bank and the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, as follows:

<u>Frost National Bank</u>		<u>Alamo National Bank</u>	
Note No. 35	\$ 25,000.00	Note No. 36	\$ 25,000.00
Note No. 37	25,000.00		
	<u>\$ 50,000.00</u>		<u>\$ 25,000.00</u>

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 15 day of April, 1937.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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No. 423

AN ORDINANCE - 74

APPROPRIATING \$2,100.00 OUT OF VARIOUS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT SINKING FUNDS TO PAY INTEREST COUPONS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO: that,

the sum of \$2,100.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the hereinafter named Improvement District Sinking Funds, for the purpose of paying matured interest coupons to the Sinking Fund holding the bonds as investment, as per record in Auditor's Office:

Sinking Fund - Improvement District No. 4	- - - - -	\$ 1,975.00
Sinking Fund - Improvement District No. 14	- - - - -	125.00
		<u>\$ 2,100.00</u>

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

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ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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No. 424

AN ORDINANCE *MO-75*

APPROPRIATING MONEY OUT OF VARIOUS FUNDS FOR PAYROLLS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, that,

the following amounts or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same are hereby appropriated out of the following named funds for payrolls.

Park Improv. Fund of 1936	- - - - -	\$ 100.00
River Improv. Fund of 1936	- - - - -	300.00
		<u>\$ 400.00</u>

It is ordered by a two thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 15 day of April, 1937.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler.

No. 425.

AN ORDINANCE *-76*

APPROPRIATING \$35.00 OUT OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO EXCAVATION TRUST ACCOUNT FOR REFUNDS AND REPAIRS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, that,

the sum of \$35.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Excavation Trust Account for Refunds and Repairs, as per City Engineer's letter of April 14, 1937, as follows:

Edgar Kleck	refund	\$ 15.00
E. H. Jordan	"	20.00
		<u>\$ 35.00</u>

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

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ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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No. 426.

AN ORDINANCE *-77*

REFUNDING ELECTRICAL PERMIT FEE.

BE IR ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO: that, the herein-after named party be refunded the amount set opposite his name as refund of Electrical permit fee, (Permit No. 2035), all as more fully set out in his petition for refund which bears the favorable recommendation of the Commissioner of Taxation, to-wit:

Edward G. Olivarri, Jr. - - - - - \$ 3.45

and the sum of Three Dollars and Forty Five Cents, (\$3.45), be and the same is hereby appro-

Priated out of the 1936 General Fund, Refunds Department for the purpose of making said refund.

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 15 day of April, 1937.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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AN ORDINANCE

(FOR PERMISSION TO USE THE CITY SANITARY SEWERS), GRANTING THE PETITION OF
M. C. VANDER VETER.

(For full text of this ordinance, see Ordinance Book "I", page 45)

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Acting Mayor Wright made the following recommendations, which were adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler. Nays, Quin, Rubiola, absent.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 208 S. Alamo. Granted.
General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 225 E. Travis. Granted.
Graham & Collins Elec. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 106 Highland. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 1518 S. Olive. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at Zarzamora & W. Commerce. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 821 E. Commerce. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 504 Highland. Granted,
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 425 McCullough. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 239 Potomac. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at S. Alamo & Market. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 121 W. Military Plaza. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 709 S. Alamo. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 2923 S. Flores. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 115 Jones. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 1704 Broadway. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 110 S. Concho. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 2006 Broadway. Granted.
Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 1704 Broadway. Granted.
National Outdoor Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 108 W. Houston. Granted.
National Outdoor Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 227 W. Commerce. Granted.
National Outdoor Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 615 Navarro. Granted.
Neon Signs & Service for permit to erect neon sign at 624 Water. Granted.
Neon Signs & Service for permit to erect neon sign at 1312 S. Hackberry. Granted.
Neon Signs & Service for permit to erect neon sign at 402 E. Travis. Granted.
Neon Signs & Service for permit to erect neon sign at 804 E. Houston. Granted.
Neon Signs & Service for permit to erect neon sign at 404 E. Commerce. Granted.
Neon Signs & Service for permit to erect neon sign at 1940 Fredericksburg. Granted.
Reich Sign Co. for permit to erect electric sign at Houston & Navarro. Granted.
Reich Sign Co. for permit to erect electric sign at 2415 Broadway. Granted.

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The petition of Angela Parma for approval of plat of subdivision, part of County Block 4086, Woodlawn Hills, was granted by unanimous vote.

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Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler. Nays, Mayor Quin and Commissioner Rubiola, absent.

No. 427.

AN ORDINANCE *MO-79*

APPROPRIATING \$20.00 TO PAY MRS. MARGARET KARGER, 1423 AVENUE B, FOR ALLEGED DAMAGES TO HER PROPERTY ACCOUNT OF STEAM ROLLER.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, that

the sum of Twenty and no/100 (\$20.00) Dollars, be paid Mrs. Margaret Karger for alleged damages caused to her property account of steam roller, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1936 General Fund - Judgements & Suits Department, to be paid Mrs. Margaret Karger.

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 15 day of April, 1937.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler. Nays, Mayor Quin and Commissioner Rubiola, absent.

No. 428

AN ORDINANCE *-80*

APPROPRIATING \$55.70 TO PAY W. D. SICKEL FOR DAMAGES TO BUICK AUTOMOBILE IN COLLISION WITH CITY GARBAGE TRUCK.

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

1. That \$55.70 be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1936 General Fund - Judgements & Suits Department, to pay W. D. Sickel damages to Buick automobile in collision with City Garbage Truck, in the 2500 block of So. Presa Street, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, on April 9, 1937.

2. Upon execution of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver to W. D. Sickel city warrant in the amount of \$55.70.

3. It is ordered by two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

4. PASSED AND APPROVED this 15 day of April, A. D. 1937.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler. Nays, Mayor Quin and Commissioner Rubiola, absent.

No. 429

AN ORDINANCE *-81*

APPROPRIATING \$18.00 TO PAY D. F. MULLHOLLAND FOR DAMAGES TO CHRYSLER AUTOMOBILE IN COLLISION WITH CITY GARBAGE TRUCK.

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

1. That \$18.00 be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1936 General Fund - Judgements & Suits Department, to pay D. F. Mullholland damages to Chrysler automobile in collision with City Garbage Truck, in the 2500 block of So. Presa Street, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, on April 9, 1937.

2. Upon execution of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver to D. F. Mullholland city warrant in the amount of \$18.00.

3. It is ordered by two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

4. PASSED AND APPROVED this 15 day of April, A. D. 1937.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson
City Clerk.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler. Nays, Mayor Quin and Commissioner Rubiola, absent.

No. 430.

AN ORDINANCE *MO-82*

APPROPRIATING \$7.50 TO PAY JACK CHERRY FOR DAMAGES TO OLDSMOBILE AUTOMOBILE IN COLLISION WITH CITY GARBAGE TRUCK.

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

1. That \$7.50 be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1936 General Fund - Judgements & Suits Department, to pay Jack Cherry damages to Oldsmobile automobile in collision with City Garbage Truck, in the 2500 block of So. Presa Street, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, on April 9th, 1937.

2. Upon execution of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver to Jack Cherry city warrant in the amount of \$7.50.

3. It is ordered by two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

4. PASSED AND APPROVED this 15 day of April, A. D. 1937.

Phil Wright
Acting Mayor.

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Commissioner Bushick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler. Nays, Mayor Quin and Commissioner Rubiola, absent.

No. 431.

AN ORDINANCE - *83*

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING INTER-DEPARTMENTAL BUDGET TRANSFER.

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

WHEREAS, an Ordinance, passed and approved March 4, 1937, being Council Appropriation No. 374, in the sum of \$2,430,000.00, covering operating expenses of the various Departments, out of the 1936 General Fund, for the fiscal year beginning June 1, 1936 and ending May 31, 1937, therefore.

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

that the City Auditor, be and he is hereby directed to cause the following entries to be made on the records of the Auditing Department as follows:

REDUCING THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS:

Mayor from \$20,500.00 to \$20,089.13
 City Clerk \$19,100.00 to \$18,100.00
 Auditorium from \$22,500.00 to \$22,300.00
 Exchange from \$1,800.00 to \$1,608.19
 Library from \$3,550.00 to \$3,525.53
 Utility Appraisal from \$15,000.00 to \$13,427.15

INCREASING THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS:

Recreation from \$34,200.00 to \$36,000.00
 Stinson Field from \$19,800.00 to \$20,500.00
 General Sanitation from \$11,000.00 to \$11,900.00

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1937.

ATTEST:

Phi. Wright
 Acting Mayor.

Jas. Simpson
 City Clerk.

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On motion, duly seconded and carried, the meeting adjourned.

APPROVED

Phil Wright
 ACTING MAYOR.

ATTEST:

Jas Simpson
 CITY CLERK.