

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

TUESDAY, APRIL 18TH, A.D.1922, 4 P.M.

PRESENT: Honorable O. B. Black, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Pfeiffer, Rieden, Wright. Excused, Lambert.

Minutes of previous meeting were ordered approved.

---MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS---

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Taxation: Harry Glass, for correction of assessment. Madison Square Presbyterian Church, for exemption from taxation. R.H.Kersey, for correction of assessment. O.Mikesell, Jr. for cancellation of taxes on automobile. Sam Belden, for cancellation of taxes. Rudolph Maierhofer, for cancellation of taxes. Theosophical Society, for exemption from taxation.

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Fire and Police: For watermains and fire plugs on sundry streets. Hugo Grote, for permit to erect drive-in filling station S.Flores & Guenther Street. L.E.Zander, for permit to install gasoline pump and tank.

Petition to have Reservoir Street graded and macadamized was read and referred to Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvements.

Petition of Colored citizens relating to the establishment of Library for their use, was read and held for further consideration.

Petition of T.M.Cowan, for re-consideration of petition for building permit, was read and held over.

Commissioner Wright made the following recommendations, which were adopted: Sam Davenport, for permit to install gasoline pump and tank, S.Flores & Guenther. granted. L.C.Boyce, for permit to install gasoline pump and tank McCullough and Summit Avenues. granted. Sol Saper for permit to hang a sign at 201, W.Commerce Street, granted.

A resolution directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for constructing bridges, etc, was held over for further consideration.

An ordinance amending Rule 39 of the ordinance regulating traffic was introduced and held over for further consideration.

An ordinance authorizing the closing of an alley in N.C.B. 2982 was read and laid over.

On motion of the Mayor a vote of thanks was tendered Mrs Joe Granari for the luncheon served to the visiting City officials at Medina Dam, Monday, April 17, 1922.

Commissioner Rieden introduced the following resolutions, which were adopted:

RESOLUTION ORDERING STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Casa Blanca Street, from Austin Street to River Avenue. (For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Records, Vol 10, page 74)

RESOLUTION

Approving plans specifications, profiles, etc. filed by the City Engineer for the improvement of Casa Blanca Street, directing advertisement for bids. (For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Records, Vol 10, page 79)

Commissioner Rieden introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Black, Pfeiffer, Rieden, Wright.

AN ORDINANCE

Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of West Travis Street, from Santa Rosa Avenue to Medina Street and to provide for the issuance of assessment certificates and for other purposes. (For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol 10, page 84)

The following ordinance was introduced by the Mayor which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit:- Ayes, Black, Pfeiffer, Rieden, Wright.

AN ORDINANCE.

Authorizing the acceptance of \$16.90 in full settlement of weed cutting lien on lots Nos. 9-14 inclusive, in City Block No. 1629 in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas.

WHEREAS, there exists in favor of the City of San Antonio, a lien upon that certain real estate described as Lots Nos. 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 in City Block No. 1629, within the corporate limits of the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, which lien is for the purpose of securing the payment to the City of San Antonio of the sum of \$33.75 expended in removing weeds and brush from said property, under circumstances where such weeds and brush constituted a nuisance and a menace to public health, to such an extent that an immediate public necessity existed for their removal, and

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WHEREAS, it is contended by the owner of such property that said charge of \$33.75 is excessive, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City of San Antonio to release said lien upon payment to it of the sum of \$16.90, in full settlement of the debt claimed by it, for the purpose of compromising the matters in controversy,

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

That the sum of \$16.90 be and the same is hereby accepted by the City of San Antonio, in full settlement of the said debt and lien, and that upon payment of said amount to the City of San Antonio, the Mayor be authorized and directed to execute, acknowledge and deliver to the owner of said property a full and complete release, acknowledging satisfaction of said indebtedness, and discharging the above described property from the lien hereinabove mentioned.

ON MOTION DULY SECONDED AND CARRIED, IT WAS DECIDED THAT IF THE COMMISSIONERS SHOULD HAVE TO ATTEND A FIESTA PARADE ON THURSDAY April 20th, THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSION WOULD BE HELD AT 2 P. M. ON THAT DATE.

ON MOTION DULY SECONDED AND CARRIED THE MEETING ADJOURNED.

APPROVED

Orville
Mayor.

ATTEST:

Ben A. Corbell
City Clerk.