

## REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12TH, A. D. 1940 2:00 P. M.

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PRESENT: Honorable Maury Maverick, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Davis, Hein, and Steffler. ABSENT: Commissioner Lipscomb.

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On motion of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were read and dispensed with and ordered approved.

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 251

MA - 496

AN ORDINANCE (2312)

APPROPRIATING \$8,000.00 OUT OF THE BACK TAX GENERAL & 1939 GENERAL FUNDS AND TRANSFERRING SAME TO 1940 GENERAL FUND.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$8,000.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the following funds:

Back Tax General Fund	\$1,900.00
1939 General Fund	6,100.00
Total	\$8,000.00

and transferring same to the 1940 General Fund.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
City Clerk

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 252.

MA - 497

AN ORDINANCE (2313)

APPROPRIATING \$20,000.00 OUT OF THE 1940 GENERAL FUND TO MAKE PAYMENTS ON 1940 GENERAL FUND SERIES NOTES NOS. 14 AND 15.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$20,000.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund to make payments on 1940 series notes maturing on or before June 30, 1941, payable to National Bank of Commerce, San Antonio, Texas, as follows:

Balance due on Note #14	\$10,000.00
Partial payment on Note #15	10,000.00
	\$20,000.00

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
City Clerk

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 253                      *777 R-498*      AN ORDINANCE (2314)  
 APPROPRIATING \$1,000.00 OUT OF THE POLICE & FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND  
 TO PAY NOTE #1 OF THE 1940 SERIES, AND ACCURED INTEREST.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$1,000.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Police & Firemen's Pension Fund to pay Note #1 of the 1940 series, maturing on or before June 30, 1941, payable to the National Bank of Commerce, San Antonio, Texas, together with accrued interest.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
 Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
 City Clerk

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Mayor Maverick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 254                      *777 R-499*      AN ORDINANCE (2315)  
 APPROPRIATING \$202.50 OUT OF THE ADVERTISING FUND, MUNICIPAL INFORMATION BUREAU, FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$202.50, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Advertising Fund, Municipal Information Bureau, for payroll for the period ending September 15, 1940, for account of:

Municipal Information Bureau      \$202.50

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
 Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
 City Clerk

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Mayor Maverick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 255                      *777 R-500*      AN ORDINANCE (2316)  
 APPROPRIATING \$812.50 OUT OF THE STINSON FIELD FUND, FOR PAYROLL

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$812.50, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Stinson Field Fund, for payroll for the period ending September 15, 1940, in the amount of . . . . \$812.50

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
 Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
 City Clerk

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Mayor Maverick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 256                      *777 R-501*      AN ORDINANCE (2317)  
 APPROPRIATING \$134.00 OUT OF THE 1940 GENERAL FUND TO PAY FOR BURIAL OF PAUPERS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$134.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund-Pauper Interment Account- to pay Martinez-Ortiz Funeral Home for burial of paupers for the month of August 1940, as per approved invoice on file in the City Auditor's Office.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
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, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 257                      *77 B-502*                      AN ORDINANCE (2318)  
APPROPRIATING \$75.00 OUT OF THE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT #15 FUND FOR  
PAYROLL.

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 the Improvement District #15 Fund, for payroll for the period ending September 15, 1940, for account of:

River Beautification Project                      \$75.00

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
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, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 258                      *77 B-503*                      AN ORDINANCE (2319)  
APPROPRIATING \$8.75 OUT OF THE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT #15 FUND TO PAY  
FOR TELEPHONE SERVICES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$8.75, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Improvement District No. 15 Fund, for telephone services used in connection with WPA Project #13085, as per approved invoice on file in the City Auditor's Office.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
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, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 259                      *77 B-504*                      AN ORDINANCE (2320)  
AUTHORIZING THE CITY PURCHASING AGENT TO ISSUE AN EMERGENCY PURCHASE  
ORDER NUMBER TO HI-WAY MACHINERY CO., FOR THE PURCHASE OF A LOT OF  
REPAIR PARTS FOR AUSTIN WESTERN STREET SWEEPER.

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BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that , the City Purchasing Agent, be, and is hereby authorized to issue an emergency Purchase Order Number to Hi-Way Machinery Company, to furnish the City of San Antonio, Street Cleaning Department with a lot of Repair Parts for a total sum of \$449.30, FOB Factory, Aurora, Illinois, as per Dallas, Texas, Branch quotation dated September 9th., 1940: list of Repair Parts to be furnished and prices of same are as follows:

4 MS 247 Rollers @ \$4.50 ea.	\$18.00
1 MSF 1181 Sprocket	9.25
2 MSF 1178 " @ \$9.25 ea.	18.50
1 MA-200 Sprocket	24.75
1 MS-200 or MSU-1154 Sprocket with brushing	27.50
2 MSF-2061 Sprocket @ \$17.60 ea.	35.20
1 MSF-3077 Sprocket	19.25
1 MSF-3078 Sprocket	19.80
1 MSF-3078 Sprocket & MSF-218-A bushing	23.10
4 X-31241 Squeege Chain, 13' 6" long @ \$4.10 per ft., or \$55.30 per ea. Chain	221.20
4 X-472-0L offset Link @ .90¢ ea.	3.60
4 MS-125 Flange @ \$5.50 each	22.00
1 MSF-1071 Sprocket	7.15
	<u>\$449.30</u>

And that the total sum of \$449.30, be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund, Street Cleaning Department, in payment of said Repair Parts.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
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, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 260                      *MR-505*                      AN ORDINANCE (2321)  
APPROPRIATING \$6.50 TO REIMBURSE FRANK R. GONZALES FOR DAMAGES TO  
AUTOMOBILE.

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

1. That \$6.50 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund-Judgments & Suits Account, to reimburse Frank R. Gonzales for damages to automobile on account of hitting hole in the 1000 block of South Brazos Street, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, on August 12th, 1940.

2. Upon execution and delivery of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver to Frank R. Gonzales city warrant in the amount of \$6.50 in full accord and satisfaction of all claims for damages.

3. PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of September, A. D. 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
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, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 261                      *MR-506*                      AN ORDINANCE (2322)  
APPROPRIATING \$22.00 TO REIMBURSE J. K. WILKINSON FOR DAMAGES TO  
AUTOMOBILE AT ENTRANCE TO BRACKENRIDGE PARK.

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

1. That \$22.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, to reimburse J. K. Wilkinson for damages to automobile at entrance to Brackenridge Park, on Hildebrand Avenue, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, on April 5th, 1940, when Parks Department truck rolled back and struck automobile owned by J. K. Wilkinson, damaging same.

2. Upon execution and delivery of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver to said J. K. Wilkinson city warrant in the amount of \$22.00.

3. PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of September, A. D. 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
City Clerk

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Mayor Maverick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 262

*MR-507*

AN ORDINANCE (2323)

APPROPRIATING \$12.75 TO REIMBURSE PAT TREVINO FOR MEDICAL EXPENSES ON ACCOUNT OF COLLISION WITH CITY SCOUT CAR.

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

1. That \$12.75 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, to reimburse Pat Trevino for medical expenses on account of injuries sustained by himself and members of his family in collision between car driven by Pat Trevino and City Scout car, at the corner of Frio and West Commerce Streets, in the City of San Antonio Bexar County, Texas, on June 24, 1940.

2. Upon execution and delivery of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver to Pat Trevino city warrant in the amount of \$12.75, in full accord and satisfaction of all claims against the City on account of said accident.

3. PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of September, A. D. 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
City Clerk

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Mayor Maverick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

No. 263

*MR-508*

AN ORDINANCE (2324)

APPROPRIATING \$27.50 TO REIMBURSE A. E. HEILBRON FOR DAMAGES TO FORD AUTOMOBILE IN COLLISION WITH CITY POUND TRUCK.

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

1. That \$27.50 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, to reimburse A. E. Heilbron for damages to Ford automobile sustained in collision with City pound truck at North Hackberry and Burnet Streets, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, on or about June 10th, 1940.

2. Upon execution and delivery of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver city warrant in the amount of \$27.50 to A. E. Heilbron.

3. PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of September, A. D. 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
City Clerk

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

*MR-509* AN ORDINANCE (2325)

AUTHORIZING RELEASE AND CANCELLATION OF TAX CLAIM ON PERSONAL PROPERTY OF A. F. BEYER COMPANY.

WHEREAS, A. F. Beyer Company paid its city taxes on personal property for the fiscal year 1933; and,

WHEREAS, said payment made on May 31st, 1934, was not properly credited to its account and said taxes (exclusive of school taxes) still appear to be unpaid on the Tax Collector's records: NOW THEREFORE:

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

That the City acknowledges payment of said taxes as of May 31st, 1934, and authorizes the release and cancellation of its tax claim for city taxes only for the fiscal year 1933 on personal property of A. F. Beyer Company, and directs that the Tax Collector's records be changed accordingly to show payment thereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of September, A. D. 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
City Clerk

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

*MR-510* AN ORDINANCE (2326)

ACCEPTING AND APPROVING THE SECURITIES PLEDGED BY THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, TO SECURE THE CITY FUNDS DEPOSITED AND TO BE DEPOSITED IN SAID BANK BY THE CITY DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1940, AND DIRECTING THE DEPOSITING OF SAID SECURITIES FOR SAFE KEEPING AND RELEASING THE SURETIES ON BONDS ON RECEIPTS NOS. 26 & 31 GIVEN BY SAID BANK AS CITY DEPOSITORY.

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

1. That the securities pledged with the Governing Body of the City of San Antonio by the National Bank of Commerce of San Antonio, Texas, as City Depository, to secure the funds of said City, deposited and to be deposited in said Bank during the Fiscal Year beginning June 1, 1940 and ending May 31, 1941, be and the same are hereby accepted and approved and that receipt signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Auditor, be given said Bank for securities pledged by it, which said securities are described as follows:

Securities pledged by the National Bank of Commerce are described in Receipts Nos. 21 and 22 attached to Ordinance dated May 21,

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1940, Receipts Nos. 24, 25 & 27 attached to Ordinance dated June 14, 1940, Receipt No. 30 attached to Ordinance dated August 8, 1940, and attached Receipt No. 32 which are made a part of this Ordinance by references as fully as if they were specified herein.

2. The receipts given to said Bank for securities pledged by it shall recite, in substance, that the said securities have been duly pledged with the Governing Body of the City of San Antonio, by the National Bank of Commerce, San Antonio, Texas, as a Depository of said City, for the purpose of securing the funds of said City, deposited and to be deposited in said Bank during the Fiscal Year beginning June 1, 1940, upon the terms and conditions prescribed and provided by law.

3. It is directed that said securities be deposited by the Mayor, for safe keeping in safe deposit box in the vaults of the National Bank of Commerce rented by the City from said Bank.

4. That all securities on all bonds on Receipts Nos. 26 & 31, given to said City by said National Bank of Commerce, as City Depository, be and are hereby released from further liability as sureties on such bonds.

5. PASSED AND APPROVED this the 12th day of September, 1940.

Maury Maverick  
Mayor

Attest: H. L. Dillashaw  
City Clerk

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Mayor Maverick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

AN ORDINANCE (2327)

MAKING A LEASE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO AND RUBIN & CHERRY EXPOSITION, INC., LEASING CERTAIN PROPERTY.

(For full text of this Ordinance see Ordinance Book "J", page 190)

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Mayor Maverick introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Maverick, Davis, Hein, and Steffler. Nays, Lipscomb, absent.

AN ORDINANCE (2328)

AN ORDINANCE MAKING A LEASE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO AND THE LIBERTY PISTOL AND RIFLE CLUB, INC.

(For full text of this ordinance, see Ordinance Book "J", page 191)

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

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APPROVED: Maury Maverick  
MAYOR

ATTEST: H. L. Dillashaw  
CITY CLERK