

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

THURSDAY, JULY 1ST, A. D. 1937 10:00 A. M.

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PRESENT: HONORABLE C. K. Quin, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Bushick, Steffler, Wright.

ABSENT: Commissioner Rubiola.

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On motion of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the minutes of the meeting of June 24th, 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 Commissioner Wright.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 1501 N Zarzamora St.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 215 S. Pecos St

Gulf Oil Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 315 N. Flores.

Gulf Oil Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 231 S. Main.

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 2602 Main Ave.

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at Woodlawn and No. Flores.

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 1011 Broadway

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 2201 Roosevelt

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 601 Bandera.

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 205 E. Fredericksburg

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 1721 Guadalupe

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 1102 S Brazos

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 1933 N New Braunfels

Modern Neon Corporation for permit to erect neon sign at 217 Broadway

Neon Signs & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at N. St. Mary's & Dallas St.

Neon Sign & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at Blanco Road & Fulton Sts.

Neon Sign & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at 1919 N New Braunfels

Neon Sign & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at 2512 Main Ave.

Neon Sign & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at 106 7th St.

Neon Sign & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at Main & Martin St.

Neon Sign & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at 724 Lexington Ave.

Straus-Frank Co. for permit to install fuel oil tank at 200 Aransas

Straus-Frank Co. for permit to install fuel oil tank at 223 4th St.

Mrs. C. Kelly for permit to erect shed at 300 Block E Theo.

National Pictures for permit to erect building at 221 Brackenridge

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The petition of General Neon Adv. Co. for refund of electrical fee was read, and referred to Commissioner Bushick.

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A petition from Property Owners requesting the widening of Salinas Street between Cameron and N. Flores Street was read and referred to Commissioner Steffler.

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Bids to supply the Fire Department with trucks were opened, read and referred to the City Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

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A Resolution of the San Antonio Automobile League recommending that additional street lights be provided on various streets was read and ordered filed.

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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, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright.

Nays, Rubiola absent.

No. 54

AN ORDINANCE *MO-258*

TRANSFERRING \$30,000.00 FROM BACK TAX GENERAL FUND TO THE 1937 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 \$30,000.00 out of Back Tax General Fund to the 1937 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 1st day of July, 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
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, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright.

Nays, Commissioner Rubiola Absent.

No. 55

AN ORDINANCE *-259*

APPROPRIATING \$25,000.00 OUT OF 1937 GENERAL FUND TO PAY ONE (1) NOTE NO. 5

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$25,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1937 General Fund (Various Departments), payable to Frost National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, to pay one (1) Note No. 5 of the 1937 General Fund Series, maturing on or before July 1, 1938.

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 1st day of July, 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
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, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright.

Nays, Rubiola, Absent.

No. 56

AN ORDINANCE *-260*

APPROPRIATING \$4,000.76 OUT OF POLICE AND FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND TO

PAY FOUR (4) NOTES NOS. 1 TO 4 INCLUSIVE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$4,000.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Police & Firemen's Pension Fund to pay four (4) Notes Nos. 1 to 4, inclusive, of the Police & Firemen's Pension Fund Series, maturing on or before July 1, 1938, payable to the Frost National Bank and the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, as follows:

FROST NATIONAL BANK

Note No. 1	\$	1,000.00
Note No. 3		1,000.00
	\$	2,000.00

ALAMO NATIONAL BANK

Note No. 2	\$	1,000.00
Note No. 4		1,000.00
	\$	2,000.00

and, the sum of \$0.76, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Police

& Firemen's Pension Fund to pay interest on the foregoing notes.

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 1st day of July, 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
MAYOR

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No. 57

AN ORDINANCE *MO-261*

APPROPRIATING \$1,417.50 TO PAY PAUL WILLIAMS ESTIMATE NO. 3 ON CONTRACT

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

1. That \$1, 417.50 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Back Tax Collection Department - 1937 General Fund, to pay Paul Williams No. 3 according to the contract on file in the office of the City Clerk.

2. 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.

3. PASSED AND APPROVED this 1st day of July A. D. 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
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, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright. Nays, Rubiola, Absent.

No. 58

AN ORDINANCE *-262*

APPROPRIATING \$57.26 OUT OF 1937 GENERAL FUND TO PAY J. P. BOATRIGHT,^W
INVESTIGATOR, FOR EXPENSES INCURRED ON OFFICIAL CITY BUSINESS

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$57.26 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1937 General Fund - Investigator's Department, to pay J. P. Boatright, Investigator, for expenses incurred on official City Business.

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 1st day of July, 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
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, quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright. Nays, Rubiola, Absent.

No. 59

AN ORDINANCE *-263*

APPROPRIATING \$8.35 OUT OF THE 1937 GENERAL FUND TO PAY PHIL C. SHOOK,
JUDGE OF THE CORPORATION COURT FOR EXPENSES INCURRED ON TRIP TO DALLAS, TEXAS

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$8.35 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1937 General Fund - Corporation Court Department, to pay Phil C. Shook, Judge of the Corporation Court, for necessary expenses incurred on trip to Dallas, Texas and return on official business in connection with Corporation Court Depart-

ment matters.

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 1st day of July, 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
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, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright. Nays, Rubiola, Absent.

No. 50

AN ORDINANCE *MO-264*

APPROPRIATING \$8.10 TO PAY THE SHARE OF COSTS, CHARGEABLE TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, IN CAUSE NO. B-54,717, J. W. MADDOX, ET AL. VS CLAY TALIMAN, ET AL.

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

1. That \$8.10 be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1937 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Department, to pay to the Clerk of the District Court of Bexar County, Texas, 73rd Judicial District, the share of the costs chargeable to the City of San Antonio in Cause No. B-54,717, J. W. Maddox, et al. vs Clay Tallmas, et al.

2. 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.

3. PASSED AND APPROVED this 1st day of July, A. D. 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
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, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright. Nays, Rubiola, Absent

No. 51.

AN ORDINANCE *-265*

APPROPRIATING \$3250.00 TO PAY DAMAGES TO OLIVE M. NORTON, ET AL

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

1. That \$3250.00 be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1937 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Department, to pay Olive M. Norton, Arthur W. Norton II, Marshall H. Norton, James B. Norton, Mary Jane Norton Cornelius, Huard H. Norton, Ethel Virginia Norton, Athur E. Norton, Jr. and Stewart R. Norton, damages for the death of Arthur E. Norton at the Olmos Creek crossing on the Devine Road on the 14 March 1931, the claim for damages having been liquidated by a final judgment; and, the City Auditor is directed to make this warrant payable to the Clerk of the District Court of Bexar County for the 37th Judicial District of Texas, and said warrant shall be deposited into the registry of said Court in Cause No. B-64,188, styled Olive N. Norton, et al. vs city of San Antonio.

2. 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 first been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

3. PASSED AND APPROVED this 1 day of July, A. D. 1937

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
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, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright. Nays, Rubiola, Absent.

No. 62.

AN ORDINANCE *MO-266*

APPROPRIATING \$200.00 TO PAY F. H. RUSH, ORA D. RUSH AND SAM G. NEWTON,
IN SETTLEMENT OF CAUSE NO. B-67,265, IN THE 45TH DISTRICT COURT, STYLED
F. H. RUSH VS CITY OF SAN ANTONIO.

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

1. That the sum of \$200.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1937 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, to pay F. H. Rush, Ora D. Rush and Sam G. Newton, in settlement of Cause No. B-67,265, filed in the District Court, 45th Judicial District, Bexar County, Texas, styled F. H. Rush vs City of San Antonio, for alleged personal injuries to Ora D. Rush sustained by her in a fall on a public sidewalk at the intersection of North Flores Street and Romana Street, in the City of San Antonio, County of Bexar and State of Texas, on the 6th day of February, 1932.

2. Upon the execution of a release, approved by the City Attorney, the City Auditor shall deliver a city warrant in the above amount to the persons named.

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 first been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

4. PASSED AND APPROVED this 1st day of July, A. D. 1937.

ATTEST: JAS. SIMPSON
CITY CLERK

C. K. QUIN
MAYOR

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

No. 63

AN ORDINANCE *-267*

REFUNDING VARIOUS LICENSE FEES PAID IN ERROR

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the hereinafter named parties be refunded the amounts set opposite their names as refund of license fees paid in error, all as more fully set out in their petitions for refund which bear the favorable recommendation of the Commissioner of Taxation, to-wit:

A. R. Franklin, (Plumbing Permit A No 2086	\$ 11.25
Able Plumbing Co, (Plumbing Permit No B 97	6.10
A. R. Franklin, (Plumbing Permits A No. 2095	
and A No 3188	<u>2.00</u>
	\$ 19.35

and the sum of Nineteen Dollars and Thirty-Five Cents (\$19.35), be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1937 General Fund, Refunds Department for the purpose of making the above refunds.

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 1st day of July, 1937.

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A petition signed by citizens in the vicinity of Hildebrandt and Shook Avenues for protesting against a proposed filling station at said location was read. Upon motion of Commissioner Wright, duly seconded and carried, it was agreed that no permit for a filling station or community center would be granted at this location.

Proposals to act as City Depositories for the Fiscal Year beginning June 1, 1937 were submitted jointly by The Frost National Bank and The Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, and also by the National Bank of Commerce, San Antonio, Texas, and upon motion, duly seconded and carried, the proposals were referred to the Commissioners as a Committee of the Whole for consideration.

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

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 2206 Broadway. Granted.

General Neon Adv, Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 1110 S Presa St. Granted.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 103 N Park Blvd. Granted.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 209¹/₂ Soledad St. Granted.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 4005 S Flores. Granted.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 101 S Flores. Granted

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 2806 Broadway. Granted.

General Neon Adv. Co. for permit to erect neon sign at 728 S St, Mary's. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 400 Water St. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 118 E Houston. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 118 E Houston. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 805 W Commerce. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 700 S Laredo. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp, for permit to erect neon sign at 3617 Broadway. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at S Alamo & South Sts. Granted.

Modern Neon Corp. for permit to erect neon sign at 231 W Jones. Granted.

Neon Signs & Service Inc. for permit to erect neon sign at 509 E Houston. Granted.

Reich Sign Company for permit to erect neon sign at 505 El Paso. Granted.

Reich Sign Company for permit to erect neon sign at Frio City Road & Cumberland. Granted.

H. V. Jaycox for permit to re-locate two pumps at Nogalitos and Theo. Granted.

Straus-Frank Co for permit to install fuel tank at 1708 Broadway. Granted.

Miguel Hurtado for approval of a filling station at 2511 S Brazos. Granted.

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The bond of Frank H. Bushick, Commissioner of Taxation in and for the City of San Antonio, in the sum of \$100,000.00, the Aetna Casualty and Surety Company of Hartford Conn. Sureties, dated the 1st day of June, 1937, was ordered approved.

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Petition of Nevelow Brothers for permit to install pumps and tanks at the corner of Main and Rodriguez Street was read and referred to Commissioner Wright.

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The request of Commissioner Rubiola for leave of absence from the City for two weeks beginning July 1st, was granted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Bushick, Steffler, Wright.

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The petition of Frank Manley to re-locate a gasoline pump at 411 W. Travis St. was read and referred to Commissioner Wright.

