

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY COMMISSIONERS.

FRIDAY, APRIL 1st, A. D. 1927, 10:00 A. M.

PRUSUANT to the order of the meeting of March, 31st, 1927, the Commissioners met, with Honorable Phil Wright, Acting Mayor, presiding and Commissioners Bushick, Steffler, Absent Honorable Mayor Jno. W. Tobin, and Commissioners Lambert.

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Petition of Soledad Street Realty Corp. for permit to construct a Driveway, Read and granted on the recommendation of Commissioner of Fire and Police.

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Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinances, which were read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Steffler.

AN ORDINANCE

MG-1378

PERMITTING THE SAN ANTONIO BELT AND TERMINAL RAILWAY COMPANY TO EXTEND SPUR TRACT ACROSS CAMP STREET.

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

1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the San Antonio Belt & Terminal Railway Company, to construct, extend and maintain the following described railroad track, and to operate engines and cars thereupon, on and along the street hereinafter described, to-wit:

2. An industrial spur track across Camp Street, between South Laredo Street and the San Pedro Creek, to serve City Block No. 90.

3. Said track being indicated by a solid red line on the map hereinabove referred to, and which is attached to the petition of the San Antonio Belt & Terminal Railway Company, for this permit.

4. That said spur track along, over and across said street shall be laid under the direction of the City Engineer of the City of San Antonio, and shall be constructed in accordance with such plans and specifications as may or shall be approved by him, and the construction and maintenance of said crossing shall conform to the regulations imposed, or hereafter to be imposed, by the City of San Antonio as to grades, drainage, etc., and subject to all ordinances and regulations now in force or that may hereafter be enacted regulating such character of street crossings.

5. In consideration of the granting of this permit, said Railway Company agrees to have constructed said tract across said street in the manner and form ordered and directed by the Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvements and in accordance with the lines, grades and system of drainage approved by the City Engineer, and to have constructed such culverts, and make such additional provision for drainage from time to time as may be deemed necessary by the City, and further binds and obligates itself, its successors and assigns, to hold said City of San Antonio free and harmless from all damages to persons or property that may result by reason of the granting of this permit or the exercise of any right thereunder; and provided further, that said Railway Company will have constructed proper and suitable crossings under the supervision of said City Engineer and Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvements, so that vehicles can cross over readily, Said track shall be laid in concrete as provided in the specifications in the City Engineer's Office.

6. Inlets shall be constructed and storm sewers shall be extended to take care of the drainage at this point, at the expense of said Railway Company, according to the plans and specifica-

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tions in the City Engineer's Office.

7. That the license and privilege hereby granted is subject to revocation at the will of the Commissioners or other governing body of the City of San Antonio, and said Railway Company agrees to remove, or have removed, its said track from across said street on demand, upon the revocation of the license hereby granted.

8. The acceptance and exercise of any privilege under this ordinance shall be an acceptance of all its terms and conditions by said Railway Company, its successors and assigns.

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AN ORDINANCE

MC-1379

Ordering Street Widening and Straightening.

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

1. That a public necessity exists for the improvement of Main Avenue, in the City of San Antonio, by widening and straightening the same between its intersection with South line of West Travis Street and South line of Romana Plaza and that special assessments and taxes shall be made and levied, as provided by law and ordinance on account of the cost of such improvements.

11. The improvement shall in general consist of the widening and straightening of said street between the points aforementioned by setting back the street and sidewalk lines, removing such improvements as may be necessary, and acquiring such property as may be required, and the City Engineer is hereby directed to prepare plans, and specifications covering the proposed improvement and to report same to this Commission forthwith, together with a statement of the estimated cost of such improvement, the name of the property owners abutting thereon, the discription of said property and the amount, if any, to be assessed against such owners and said property, as their or its proportion of the cost of making such improvement.

111. That the cost of said improvements shall be discharged as follows:

(a) An amount not exceeding three-fourths of the whole cost thereof shall be paid by the owners of property abutting thereon and assessed against them and their property, as provided for in the Improvement Ordinance, provided that no such assessment shall be made against any owner of property in excess of benefits thereto in enhanced value thereof by reason of the making of said improvements, nor until after the legal notice and hearing of such property owners.

(b) The remainder of the cost of said improvements to be paid by the City of San Antonio.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 1st, day of April, 1927.

Phil Wright.  
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Fred Fries.  
City Clerk.

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AN ORDINANCE

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No. 289

PROVIDING FOR SETTLEMENT OF SUIT NO. B-45251, DISTRICT COURT OF BEXAR COUNTY, 45th JUDICIAL DISTRICT, CRESENCIO DE LA GARZA VS. CITY OF SAN ANTONIO BY REASON OF DEATH OF ALEJANDRO DE LA GARZA.

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

That the sum of \$400.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1926 General Fund, for the purpose of settling all claims to Cresencio de la Garza, and any other parties entitled thereto, because of the death of Alejandro de la Garza, claimed to have been negligently run over by a loaded gravel truck owned by the City, on Water Street near Victoria Street, on or about August 12, 1926, and in full settlement of Cause No. B-45,251, entitled Cresencio de la

Garza vs City of San Antonio, in the District Court of Bexar County, 45th Judicial District; and,

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that the sum of \$50,00. or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the same fund to pay costs of said suit.

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No.290

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AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$2500 out of the Street Opening & Widening fund of 1927 for the purpose of opening up Walters Street.

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

The sum of Two Thousand five hundred & no/100 (\$2500.00) Dollars, as much thereof as is necessary be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1927 Street Opening & Widening fund for the purpose of acquiring property for the opening of Walters St.

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AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$2500 out of the Storm & Sanitary Sewer fund, 1927 for Sewer right-of-way on Walters Street.

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

The sum of Two Thousand five hundred and no/100 (\$2500.00) Dollars, or as much thereof as is necessary for the purpose of securing right-of-ways for sanitary sewer on property known as Walters Street.

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AN ORDINANCE

ACCEPTING PROPOSAL OF Smith Bros. Construction Co., for Apache & Lakeview Main & Laterals, Contract Sec. No. 89. and authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor.

(For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol. 16, page 711.)

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AN ORDINANCE

ACCEPTING PROPOSAL OF GEO. E. BROMBAUGH, Jr. for construction of Center St. Storm Sewer Contract Section No. 141 and authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor.

(For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol. 16, page 713.)

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

ATTEST:

  
CITY CLERK.

APPROVED

  
MAYOR.