

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

MONDAY, JUNE 10TH, A.D. 1918, 4 P.M.

PRESENT: Honorable Sam C. Bell, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

Minutes of previous meeting were ordered approved.

---MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS---

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Taxation:

- F.E. Miller, for reduction of assessment.
- John H. Wharton, Jr. for refund of taxes.
- J.C. Mangham, for refund of taxes.

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Fire and Police

- S.W. Tel & Tel Co. for permit to erect certain poles.
- S.A. Public Service Co. " " " " "
- Creamery Dairy Co. for permit to install gasoline tank.

Commissioner Heuermann introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

No. 9
The State of Texas,
County of Bexar.
City of San Antonio.

AN ORDINANCE

MC-344

Accepting proposal of Jacob Wagner for building a concrete loading platform at Walnut and Morales Sts. and authorizing contract and appropriating money therefor.

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

Section 1. (Acceptance) That the City does hereby accept the attached proposal of said party named in the caption hereof, dated May 27, 1918, and offering to build a reinforced concrete loading station for the collection of garbage at the intersection of Walnut and Nevada Streets. in and for said City in accordance with the written specifications and description and drawings prepared and submitted by the City Engineer.

Section 2. (Appropriation) That to defray the costs and expenses to be paid by the City by reason of the premises, the sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1918 General Fund and said funds so appropriated shall be kept in a separate account to be designated as "Special Fund for Garbage Loading Stations.

Commissioner Coy recommended that petition of J.T. Blanks for correction of assessment be granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Coy introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

No. 10

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AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$384.60 out of 1918 General Fund to pay Chas Simmang Jr. for metal license tags furnished City Clerk and license and dues collector.

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

That the sum of Three Hundred, eighty four and 60/100 dollars (\$384.60) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is, hereby appropriated out of the 1918 General Fund to pay Chas Simmang, Jr. for metal license tags for the fiscal year 1918 for use in offices of the City Clerk and License and Dues Collector per itemized bills on file in office of City Auditor.

Commissioner Coy introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

No. 11 **MC-346** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$1406.00 for pay rolls for week ending June 8, 1918.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to issue warrants for the payment of wages to City Day Laborers for the week ending June 8, 1918, and that the following sums be and they are hereby appropriated out of the several general and special funds for that purpose, to-wit:

1918 General Fund	\$1406.00
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Commissioner Coy introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

No. 12 **-347** AN ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Three Hundred and Four Dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1918 General Fund to be paid in monthly installments of fifty dollars, beginning June 1, 1918, as one half of the rental of the premises occupied by the United States Government employment bureau located in the Prudential Building, warrants for which shall be issued in advance on the first of each month to the agents authorized to receive same.

Commissioner Coy introduced the following ordinance which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

No. 13 **-348** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$5079.40 for the redemption of certain notes.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, that, the sum of Five Thousand seventy nine and 40/100 dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the Special Emergency and Contingency fund, for the redemption of certain notes of the City during due June 15, 1918 as follows, to-wit:

Note No. 56 due Alamo National Bank	\$2500.00
Interest on same	39.70
Note No. 57 due State National Bank	2500.00
Interest on same	39.70
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	5979.40

Commissioner Coy introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

No. 14 **-349** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating 1,255,395.68 out of the 1917 General Fund to pay certain notes due by the City of San Antonio.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of One Million two hundred and fifty five thousand, three hundred and ninety five and 68/100 Dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1917 General Fund to pay certain notes due by the City, with interest thereon as follows, to-wit:

Notes 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 49, 50, 54, 58 and 61, due June 15, 1918	
held by Alamo Natl Bank	\$610,000.00
Interest thereon	17,697.84
Notes Nos. 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 48, 51, 55, 59, and 60 due June 15, 1918 held by State Natl Bank	610,000.00
	<u>17,697.84</u>
	\$1,255,395.68

This ordinance is hereby declared to be of urgent importance for reasons of public welfare apparent herefrom, and the same shall take effect at once.

Commissioner Lambert recommended that the petition of citizens for water mains in 700 block on Ruiz Street be granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Wright submitted the following appointments which were confirmed by the following votes on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann and Wright.

Herman Wise, Secretary to Fire and Police Commissioner.

Firemen: H.Kuhlman, N.Valeria, A.M.Cadena, C.D.Vann, W.Cornelius, M.Saenz, G.St John, A.Carnot, H.Carver, F.E.Saucier, J.W.Weber, G.C.Thomas, J.Puenta, H.C.Lewis. C.F. Standard, P.Pereida, L.Luna, L.Moglia.

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following ordinance which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

No. 15 **MC-350** AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating money to defray expenses for band.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Sixty (60) Dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of concert given by the band under the leadership of Prof. Wm Smith at Koehler Park on June 9, 1918. Money to be taken from Zoo Fund.

Commissioner Lambert submitted monthly report of the Health Department on Milk Inspection, which was read and adopted.

The following resolution was read and adopted:

To the People of San Antonio:

Whereas the President of the United States of America has by proclamation designated June 28th as War Savings Day, on which day every adult person over the age of sixteen years will be asked to subscribe for war savings stamps; and

Whereas in order that every person so designated may be reached by a representative, a census of all adult population has been ordered to be made on Saturday, June 15th, throughout the City of San Antonio and Bexar County.

Therefore be it resolved by the City Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that every aid and assistance be rendered by the civic government of the City of San

Antonio towards the taking of this census and all officials of the City of San Antonio are hereby commanded to lend every assistance in this work; and all citizens of San Antonio are hereby asked to co-operate in every way with the representative of the United States Government in their duty of registering the population of this City.

Be it further resolved a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the heads of all departments and that the same shall be posted up conspicuously in every place in this city where the people gather.

Citizens requesting the establishment of a Plaza at the Junction of Soledad, Romana St., Main Ave. and San Pedro Ave. and other streets was read and referred to Commissioners of Streets and Public Improvements, and Fire and Police for investigation and report.

Commissioner Heuermann introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Lambert, Heuermann, Wright.

MC-351

AN ORDINANCE

Ordering the laying of curb, etc, on various streets, under the penalties to comply with said order.

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

Whereas the City Commissioners in the exercise of the Police Power, finds and hereby declares a public necessity for the laying of curb etc. as hereinafter ordered; and

Whereas by an ordinance heretofore on the 10th day of August, A.D.1914, passed and approved this City Commissioners provided for such cases; said ordinance being entitled "An ordinance prescribing specifications for sidewalks and curbing for public streets and places, and providing measures to compel the laying, construction and repair of the same by owners of abutting property and declaring such cost a personal liability of such owners, and a first and prior lien and charge against such property, and prescribing the manner of ordering and compelling the construction of such work, and the punishment for failure to comply with such orders", and proceeding hereupon in accordance with said previous ordinance, which is made a part hereof;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED,

Section One. That the construction of cement sidewalks be and the same is hereby ordered along or in front of the entire extent of each parcel of the property and premises hereinafter described, and that the owners of such premises proceed immediately to construct said improvements, or to cause same to be constructed at their cost and expense, on the streets and public places hereinafter named; the respective premises herein referred to, the owner or owners thereof to whom this order is addressed and

OWNER	LOT NO.	NEW CITY BLOCK NO.	LOCATED ON.
Clementina Huppertz	2	761	Marshall St.
Lucie J. Newton	4	761	Do.
R. Maurier	16-28	3124	Houston St.
R. Maurer	3-13	3126	Do.
H. W. Rohlf	1-2	3126	Do.
Heusinger W. W.	15	3123	Do.
R. Maurer	18-17	3123	Do.
C. C. Hill	18	3123	Do.
Alex Ward	19-20	3123	Do.
Annie Wiesenberger	21	3123	Do.
R. Maurer	22	3123	Do.
Thomas Hope	23	3123	Do.
R. Maurer	27-28	3123	Do.

OWNER	LOT NO.	NEW CITY BLOCK NO.	LOCATED ON
W.H.Miller	13-14	3125	E.Houston St.
E.F.Maurer	2-3-7-12	3125	Do.
Louis Lehr	4-5-6	3125	Do.
John Robinson	37-38	1371	Do.
S.A.School Board	20-28	1371	Do.
N.B.Henderson	9-10	1370	Do.
Marie L.Kurtz	37-38	1370	Do.
B.Denison	28	1370	Do.
C.Blackwood	26-27	1370	Do.
F.E.Lewis	25	1370	Do.
Chas E.Hummel	23-27	1370	Do.
Louis Haas	22	1370	Do.
E.A.Baily	21	1370	Do.
T.Eleanor Fritze	20	1370	Do.
A.Harrison	9-10	1370	Do.
L.Abraham	1-2	1373	Do.
Pearl Jordan	11	1373	Do.
M.E.Blanks	12	1373	Do.
H.C.grace	13-14	1373	Do.
W.A.Lowe	1/2 14-15	1373	Do.
Dan Sullivan	16-17	1373	Do.
W.A.lowe	18-19-129	1373	Do.
Mrs. H.E;mendorf	1-14 17-18-19-29-16	1372	Do.
Martin Biclel	11	1372	Do.
Ella Salliway	12	1372	Do.
J.H. & M.Owens	13	1372	Do.
A.J & P.E.Goolsby	15	1372	Do.
B.Gerth	1	3125	Do.

Section Two. That said improvements shall be constructed promptly in accordance with the specifications and other provisions contained in said ordinance of August 10th, 1914, and that said work shall be commenced within thirty days after the service of notice on this order, and that said notices shall be given and all other things shall be done as therein provided; and that for failure to comply with or violation of this order, any person, association of persons, or corporation found guilty of such offense shall be fined not less than Five (\$5.00) Dollars nor more than Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars, all under and as in said ordinance of August 10th, 1914 provided.

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

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK.

APPROVED:


MAYOR