

OCTOBER 28, 1943

REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO
HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE CITY HALL, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS,
AT 10:00 O'CLOCK, A. M. ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1943.

PRESENT: Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein, Steffler and Anderson; Mayor Mauermann presiding.

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The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read by the Clerk, and on motion by Commissioner Hein, seconded by Commissioner Callaghan and unanimously carried, were approved as read.

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Commissioner Callaghan introduced the following Ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein, Steffler and Anderson. Nay, none.

APPRO. NO. 275

AN ORDINANCE (399)

APPROPRIATING \$1,560.00 OUT OF SINKING FUND - WATER IMPROVEMENT
DISTRICT NO. 3 TO PAY NOVEMBER 1, 1943 INTEREST MATURITIES.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 193)

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Commissioner Hein introduced the following Ordinances, which were read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein, Steffler and Anderson. Nay, none.

AN ORDINANCE (400)

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE LEASE BETWEEN THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO
AND THE SAN ANTONIO JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND SOL WEST, JR.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 194)

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APPRO. NO. 276

AN ORDINANCE (401)

APPROPRIATING \$125.00 OUT OF THE 1943 GENERAL FUND FOR ROCK.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 194)

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APPRO. NO. 277

AN ORDINANCE (402)

CANCELLING APPROPRIATION NO. 174, IN ORDINANCE NO. 259, IN
THE AMOUNT OF \$1669.04, TO MOTOR EQUIPMENT CORPORATION FOR
TRUCK.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 194)

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APPRO. NO. 278

AN ORDINANCE (403)

APPROPRIATING \$5,323.66 IN PAYMENT TO RODGERS & STEWART, INC.,
FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR REPAIRS TO SAN PEDRO SWIMMING
POOL, LAYING DRAIN AND LOWERING CREEK BED.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 195)

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Commissioner Anderson introduced the following Ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein, Steffler and Anderson. Nay, none.

APPRO. NO. 279

AN ORDINANCE (404)

TRANSFERRING \$1,953.58 FROM PARKING METER ACCOUNT TO 1943
GENERAL FUND - FOR OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PARKING
METERS.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 195)

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Mayor Mauermann introduced the following Ordinances, which were read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein, Steffler and Anderson. Nay, none.

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APPRO. NO. 280

AN ORDINANCE (405)

APPROPRIATING \$265.95 OUT OF 1943 GENERAL FUND - AUDITORIUM DEPARTMENT - FOR PAINTING AND HANGING A 3 PIECE SCENIC CEILING ON STAGE.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 195)

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APPRO. NO. 281

AN ORDINANCE (406)

APPROPRIATING \$25.80 OUT OF THE ADVERTISING FUND - TO PAY WM. B. H. MAGRUDER, AT LA VILLITA, FOR ENTERTAINMENT.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 196)

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APPRO. NO. 282

AN ORDINANCE (407)

MAKING A CONTRACT WITH F. G. RODGERS & COMPANY FOR A GENERAL AUDIT OF THE CITY ACCOUNTS, AND MAKING APPROPRIATION.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 196)

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AN ORDINANCE (408)

DEMISING A TRACT OF LAND OUT OF THE SEWER FARM TO THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 199)

After the third reading by the City Clerk, the following Ordinance was unanimously passed:
AN ORDINANCE (409)

REGULATING THE USE OF LOCOMOTIVE WHISTLES.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 200)

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Bids to furnish the City with its requirements of Carbon Paper were opened and referred to the Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

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Bids for lease of the Parking Lot on East Martin Street were opened and referred to the Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

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The matter of the appeal by Jaclyn-Jac Company from the decision of the Inspector of Boats, denying the application of the Company for a permit to operate 13 canoes, 2 electric powered wooden boats, 3 poling boats, and 2 flat-bottomed pulling boats, on the San Antonio River and within the corporate limits of the City of San Antonio, was presented for hearing.

The applicant, Jaclyn-Jac Company, by its President, Jack White, and its attorneys, A. V. Knight and James R. Davis, presented evidence to the Board of Commissioners in support of the application by oral and written testimony and by exhibits, as to the public convenience and necessity and as to the applicant's financial responsibility, the number, kind and ownership of equipment, as to traffic congestion, and other relevant facts. Mr. Travis Moursund, as attorney for San Antonio River Company and Gordon Gasaway, President of such Company, appeared and argued for a denial of the application. After all interested parties and the evidence introduced by such parties had been heard and considered, Commissioner Anderson moved that the application of Jaclyn-Jac Company for a permit to operate the boats described in its application on the San Antonio River, within the corporate limits of the City of San Antonio, be granted, and the order of the Inspector of Boats be vacated. Commissioner Steffler seconded the motion. The City Clerk called for a vote on the motion, the same resulting as follows: Ayes, Mauermann, Anderson, Steffler. Noes: Callaghan, Hein.

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On motion by Commissioner Anderson, seconded by Commissioner Lein and unanimously carried, the following Resolutions were adopted:

"WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Commissioners have learned of the death within the past twenty-four hours of Mr. Julius H. Holmgreen, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Holmgreen throughout his life in San Antonio has been an outstanding business leader of the city, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Holmgreen has been largely responsible for building and maintaining at peak success one of the city's most important business establishments, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Holmgreen, by his example as a hard-working, energetic, and progressive business leader, has given inspiration to many other businessmen of our city, an inspiration which has resulted in additional business progress leading to the growth and improvement of the City of San Antonio;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: THAT the Commission of the City of San Antonio take due notice of the passing of Mr. Julius H. Holmgreen, extend condolences to his bereaved family, and set aside a page in the minutes of this Meeting of the City Commission that a permanent record may be made of this official resolution -- to direct the attention of all to the inspiring achievements of Mr. Holmgreen and duly record the sorrow of the City of San Antonio upon losing so outstanding a citizen."

"WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Commissioners have learned of the death within the past twenty-four hours of Mr. Ernest J. Altgelt, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Altgelt has throughout his life been an outstanding citizen and civic leader of San Antonio, being identified with numerous constructive movements for the betterment and upbuilding of San Antonio, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Altgelt for several years held public office and while incumbent in such office dispatched his duties with credit and achieved a highly successful administration of his office, and

WHEREAS, Mr. Altgelt served with outstanding success on a number of important civic committees, being especially noted for his work and leadership on the committee which was responsible for the development of and location near San Antonio of one of this city's greatest assets, namely, Randolph Field, "West Point of the Air" for the United States Army Air Forces;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the Commission of the City of San Antonio take due notice of the passing of Mr. Ernest J. Altgelt, outstanding civic leader, extend condolences to his bereaved family, and set aside a page in the minutes of this Meeting of the City Commission for this Resolution to be duly recorded -- that all may know of the achievements of Mr. Altgelt and the sorrow of the City of San Antonio at his passing."

On motion by Commissioner Anderson, seconded by Commissioner Steffler and unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned October 28, 1943.

APPROVED: Gust B. Mauerman

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ATTEST:

Sam Bennett

City Clerk

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