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AN ORDINANCE 57453

REGULATING PAINTING OF STREET NUMBERS ON CURBS AND PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY OF NOT MORE THAN A \$200.00 FINE FOR VIOLATION HEREOF.

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

SECTION 1. From and after the effective date hereof, it shall be unlawful for any person to maintain, own, or operate a business which engages in painting house or street numbers on curbs or driveway approaches for pay, or to paint house or street numbers on curbs or driveway approaches for pay, unless said person has been issued a license for such business from the City, or is an employee of such a person.

SECTION 2. Application for such a license shall be made to the Director of Public Works or his designated representative, and such application must contain the correct name and address of the applicant, including the office address and telephone number where the business may be contacted. The fee for the initial license shall be \$25.00. Such a license shall be good for one year. A fee of \$12.50 shall be charged for each annual renewal. No such license shall be assignable or transferrable.

SECTION 3. All such numbers painted on curbs or driveway approaches shall be black, on a white rectangular background, or white, on a black rectangular background, of a durable and waterproof finish. The numbers on curbs shall be a minimum of three inches in height, with the background at least one inch higher than the digits, and extending at least one and one half inches beyond the digits on both ends. The width of the digits shall be in proportion to the height. A one inch distance shall be maintained between figures.

The rectangular background shall be no more than 20 inches in length.

The house or street numbers may be on the driveway approach or curb. If on the curb, they shall be placed not more than two feet from the driveway at the nearest point. If the lot has no front driveway, the numbers shall be centered on the lot.

SECTION 4. It shall be unlawful for any person to paint or have an employee paint such numbers on curbs or driveway approaches without a license, or other than in accordance with this ordinance. Upon conviction for violation hereof, a licensee shall be punished by fine of not less than \$1.00 nor more than \$200.00.

SECTION 5. Several businesses have been stopped from continuing this service on behalf of homeowners, pending passage of a licensing ordinance. Because of the wish to allow them to continue as quickly as possible, and the beneficial effects of having house numbers on curbs for emergency vehicles to locate scenes of need, an emergency is hereby declared so that upon receipt of eight affirmative votes, this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage, otherwise on the eleventh day from date of passage hereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1983.

*Henry Cisneros*  
M A Y O R

ATTEST: *Norma S. Rodriguez*  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: *Tom Finlay*  
for City Attorney

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ITEM NO. 28

DATE: AUG 18 1983

MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

DATE:

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ORD. NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ZONING CASE \_\_\_\_\_

RESOL. \_\_\_\_\_

PETITION \_\_\_\_\_

	ROLL CALL	AYES	NAYS
MARIA A. BERRIOZABAL PLACE 1		✓	
JOE WEBB PLACE 2	<b>ABSENT</b>		
HELEN DUTMER PLACE 3		✓	
FRANK D. WING PLACE 4		<i>absent</i>	
BERNARDO EURESTE PLACE 5		✓	
BOB THOMPSON PLACE 6		✓	
JOE ALDERETE, JR. PLACE 7		✓	
G.E. "ED" HARRINGTON PLACE 8		✓	
VAN ARCHER PLACE 9		<i>absent</i>	
JAMES C. HASSLOCHER PLACE 10		<i>absent</i>	
HENRY G. CISNEROS PLACE 11 (MAYOR)		✓	

*\* (Amended Sept 26)*

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CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

Interdepartment Correspondence Sheet

AGENDA ITEM NO. 28

TO: City Council

FROM: Jane Macon, City Attorney

COPIES TO: Building Inspections; File

SUBJECT: BUILDING ADDRESS NUMBERS ON CURBS

Date August 16, 1983

Summary & Recommendation

The purpose of this ordinance is to allow painting of building address numbers on curbs within the city's right-of-way. The ordinance also sets standards relating to size, color, design, and location for the numbers to be painted and establishes a fee to licensed contractors authorized to perform this work. No inspections or maintaining of work will occur; because of lack of inspection personnel in the Public Works Department. Approval of this ordinance is recommended.

Policy Analysis

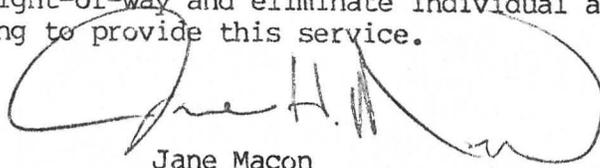
The current City Code does not authorize painting of curbs or sidewalks on city property. Therefore, City Council approval is required to allow painting of building numbers on curbs. City Council has instructed that an ordinance be developed allowing for this service to be provided on city property.

Financial Impact

The proposed initial license fee of \$25 with an annual renewal fee of \$12.50 will be charged to cover administrative cost of licensing individuals authorized to perform this service.

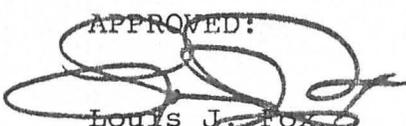
Supplementary Comments

Approval of this ordinance will establish standards for painting of building numbers on curbs within city right-of-way and eliminate individual approvals by City Council to persons desiring to provide this service.



Jane Macon  
City Attorney

APPROVED!



Louis J. Fox  
City Manager



# CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

P. O. BOX 9066

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78285

August 19, 1983

Mr. Robert L. Laslie  
Municipal Code Corporation  
Post Office Box 2235  
Tallahassee, Florida 32304

Dear Mr. Laslie:

Attached are copies of Ordinance Numbers 57,452 and 57,453 which were passed by the City Council at their August 18, 1983 meeting.

Please include these Ordinances in your next supplement.

Sincerely,

Norma S. Rodriguez  
City Clerk

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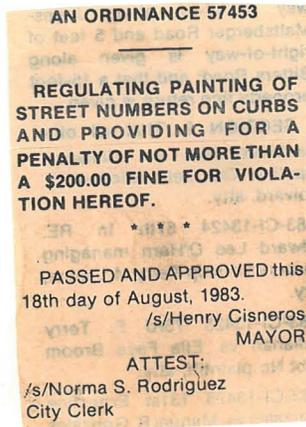
Attachments

# Affidavit of Publisher

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

COUNTY OF BEXAR  
CITY OF SAN ANTONIO }

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Irene Palencia, who being by me duly sworn, says on oath that <sup>s</sup>he is Office Supervisor of the Commercial Recorder, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of San Antonio, in the State and County aforesaid, and that the Ordinance #57453 hereto attached has been published in every issue of said newspaper on the following days, to-wit: August 22, 1983.



Irene Palencia

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd Day of August, 1983.

Kay Finley

Notary Public in and for Bexar County,  
Texas