

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25th, A. D. 1923, 4 P. M.

Prusuant to adjurment of the meeting of October 22nd, 1923, this meeting was held with the following present.

PRESENT: Honorable John W. Tobin, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners, Bushick, Lambert, Steffler, Wright.

The following petitions were read and rerederred to the Commissioner of Fire and Police.
 Merchants Transfer Co., for permit to install gasoline tank, 218 N. Flores St.
 A. Jarero, for refund of Jitney License.
 City Cafe, for permit to erect an electric sign.
 Mrs. John Finerty, proposing to lease part of approach to Houston St. Brifge.

The following petitions were read and referred to the Commissioner of Streets and Public Imp.
 Elliott Jones and Co., for permit to connect premises with City Sanitary Sewers.
 Petition for grading and macadamizing McComb Avenue.
 Petition for grading and macadamizing Letitia Ave.

The following petitions were read and referred to the Commissioner of Taxation.

A. J. Gonzales, for refund on Jitney License.
 Crowther Electric Company, for refund of inspection fees paid by them.
 A. Jarero, for refund of Jitney License.
 Petition of Trustees of St. John's Lutheran Church for cancellation of assessment on Lots 1 and 2, City Block 6293 for the years 1923, and that the property be places on the exempt list for future years.

D. H. Mahler, proposes to lease to the City of San Antonio a track of land on Salado Creek, for gravel. read and referred to the Commissioner of Streets and Public Imps.

MF-122 Commissioner Steffler made the following recommendation, which wase read and adopted.
 Property owners on Parker Street, for Street Imp. granted.

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

AN ORDINANCE

-123 Fixing the Salary of the City Engineer.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio:
 That from and after the first day of November, A. D. 1923, the salary of the City Engineer is fixed at the sum of THREE THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED (\$3,600.00) DOLLARS per annum, payable in equal monthly installments.

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AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating the sum of Forty-Four Dollars and 9¢ (\$44.09) to pay Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co. for paving Austin St. from Josephine Street to Grayson St.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that,
 the sum of Forty-Four Dpllars and 9¢ (\$44.09) is hereby appropriated from 1922 Gen. Fund

(St. Com. Dept.) to pay Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co. for paving Austin St. from Josephine St. to Grayson Street.

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AN ORDINANCE.

No. 184.

Authorizing the purchase of trap rock for building approaches to Incinerator Plant, and appropriating funds to pay for same.

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

Section 1: The Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to purchase three cars of trap rock for the purpose of building approaches and roadway to the Incinerator Plant located on City Property near Rock Quarries.

Section 2: That the sum of \$401.26 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Incinerator Building Fund of 1919 to pay The Trap Rock Company for three cars of trap rock referred to in Section 1. hereof.

Commissioner Wright, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Tobin, Bushick, Lambert, Steffler, Wright.

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AN ORDINANCE

No. 185

Appropriating \$86.76 out of Police & Fire Building Fund of 1919 to meet Pay-Roll for period ending Sept. 30th, 1923.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$86.76 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Police & Fire Building Fund of 1919 to pay for labor during month of September 1923, in connection with the building of Dog Pound House.

Commissioner Lambert, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes; Tobin; Bushick; Lambert; Steffler, Wright.

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AN ORDINANCE

No. 186.

Appropriating \$150.00 to pay for furnishings in New Golf Club House.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$150.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1922 General Fund, Contingencies, to pay S. Rabe for furnishings for Municipal Golf Club House.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following resolutions, which were read and adopted.

RESOLUTION

Calling for bids for topping bridges with asphalt.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the topping with 2" cold asphalt, bridges as follows:

Mitchell Street, over the San Pedro Creek

Fourth St, over the S. A. River.

Ruiz Street over the Alazan Creek

S. Presa Street at School Street.

Martin St. over San Antonio River.

bids to be received until 4:00 P. M. November 5th, 1923. Certified check of % must accompany each bid. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

RESOLUTION

Calling for bids for construction of concrete culvert on Coffman Street.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City Clerk be and is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the construction of a concrete slab on Coffman Street, bids to be received until 4:00 P. M. November 5th, 1923, Certified check of ___% must accompany each bid. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Commissioner Steffler,

Announcing that he had received the resignation of City Engineer D. D. Harrigan, and accepted same with regret. and that he would appoint an Acting Engineer until such time as another Engineer would be necessary.

Mayor Tobin, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call; to-wit: Ayes, Tobin, Bushick, Lambert, Staffler, Wright.

AN ORDINANCE.

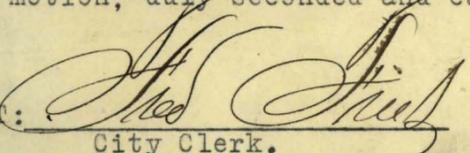
Ordering an election to be held in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified taxpaying electors of said City nine certain separate propositions to borrow money on the credit of said City, and to issue bonds of said City therefor, the proceeds from the sale of which shall be used in effecting and constructing the following permanent public improvements in and for said City, viz; (1) Bonds in the sum of \$2,800,000.00 for the purpose of permanently improving the San Antonio River, San Pedro and Alazan Creeks, by widening, deepening, altering, changing and damming the channels thereof and by building dams, dykes and reservoirs at and near the head waters and water sheds and tributaries thereof, so as to prevent or ameliorate flood conditions and protect the public health and safety, (2) Bonds in the sum of \$200,000.00 for the purpose of construction and completing a public auditorium building and acquiring a site therefor; (3) Bonds in the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of constructing suitable buildings for the fire departments, and acquiring necessary sites therefor; (4) Bonds in the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of constructing permanent improvements in the public parks and places of said City, (5) Bonds in the sum of \$250,000.00 for the purpose of opening, widening and straightening public streets and places; (6) Bonds in the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of constructing bridges; (7) Bonds in the sum of \$450,000.00 for the purpose of paving and grading the public streets and public places of the City, and permanently making the same; (8) Bonds in the sum of \$250,000.00 for the purpose of constructing storm sewers and acquiring any lands necessary therefor; (9) Bonds in the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of constructing sanitary sewers.

WHEREAS, the City Commissioners of the City of San Antonio deem it necessary and advisable to issue bonds of said City for the respective purposes and the respective amounts hereinafter specified, and desire to submit said propositions to the taxpaying voters as required by law; Therefore.

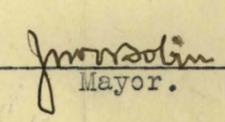
(For full text of the ordinance see Ordinance Book G. page 85.)

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

ATTEST:


City Clerk.

APPROVED


Mayor.