

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

MONDAY JANUARY 31ST, A. D. 1916. 4 P.M.

Present: Honorable Clinton G. Brown, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Lambert and Kearny. Absent, Garland, Steves.

Minutes of the previous meeting were ordered approved.

-----MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS-----

Petition of Steneragel and Pipes for permit to lay private sewer on Tampico Street, was read and granted.

On motion of Commissioner Lambert, duly seconded and carried, the petition of Sloan and Hagy for permit to erect building on North side of Pecan Street was granted, and that petitioners be permitted to use same as an undertaking establishment and morgue.

Petition of Cornelius O'Neill et al, for quit claim deed was read and referred to City Attorney.

Petition for the paving of Essex Street, from Cherry Street to Gevers Street, was read and referred to Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvements.

Petition of Martin Carle and Henry Koehler, requesting that sewers and water mains be laid in Hoefgen Avenue prior to paving of said street, was read and referred to Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvements.

Petition of F. R. Pancoast et al., for refund of taxes; also petition of Geo. Tschishart for correction of assessment, were read and referred to Commissioner of Taxation.

The following petitions were read and referred to Police and Fire Commissioner: Dahroge Post Card Company, for permit to erect an electric sign, 327 Alamo Plaza. M. Milgrum, for permit to build stable-en-line of old San Pedro ditch.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

THE STATE OF TEXAS |
COUNTY OF BEXAR |
CITY OF SAN ANTONIO|

A RESOLUTION

ORDERING A PUBLIC HEARING of property owners and others interested in Street Improvements ordered to be constructed on Sycamore Street, approving plat and statement of City Engineer and ordering that special assessments be made and levied and for other purposes. (Commerce Street to North Street)

For full text of this resolution see Record Book No. ✓ page 416

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted.

THE STATE OF TEXAS |
 COUNTY OF BEXAR |
 CITY OF SAN ANTONIO |

MA-627 AN ORDINANCE

ACCEPTING BID AND AUTHORIZING CONTRACT with Rushmore and Gowdy for Street Improvements on Sycamore Street (Commerce Street to North Street) and appropriating money therefor.

For full text of this ordinance see Record Book No. *page 417*

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted.

MA-628 AN ORDINANCE

Granting permission to D. Steuernagel and R. F. Pipes to construct a sewer on Tampico Street from Brazos to San Marcos Streets, according to certain conditions therein named.

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

Section One: That D. Steuernagle and R. F. Pipes are hereby given permission to construct a ten inch sewer according to certain plans and specifications now on file in the City Engineers Office, said sewer to be built along Tampico Street from Brazos to S. San Marcos Streets, according to said plat now on file in the City Engineers office of said City., and according to all ordinances of said City of San Antonio now or that may hereafter be in force and under supervision of the City Engineer.

Section Two: Said sewer shall be constructed at the cost of the said D. Steuernagle & R. F. Pipes, and when completed shall become the property of the City of San Antonio, and a part of its public sewer system.

Section Three: Said D. Steuernagel and R. F. Pipes shall file with the City Engineer immediately upon the passage and approval of said ordinance a certified and itemized statement showing the cost of said sewer.

Section Four: For every connection to be made with said sewer the City Engineer shall collect the sum of thirty five (\$35.00) Dollars per lot not exceeding fifty feet in width (in addition to any fee prescribed by the City ordinances for connection with the City's Public Sewer System elsewhere in the City) and such fee of thirty five (\$35.00) Dollars shall be kept in a special fund until the amount collected on the basis of thirty five (\$35.00) Dollars for each connection shall equal one half of the cost of said sewer as provided in the preceding section of this ordinance, when no further connection fee of thirty five (\$35.00) Dollars shall be charged or collected, provided that not later than the 10th day of each and every month the City Engineer shall turn over to said D. Steuernagel and R. F. Pipes the amounts collected during the preceding month and which shall be credited on said one half cost.

Commissioner Kearny submitted the following:

January 25, 1916.

Mr. Hans Helland, City Engineer,
 City Hall, San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Sir:

We beg to advise you that we have this day completed our contract for the paving of Peace Street, from Goliad to Victoria.

There are no leaveouts or omissions on this Street.

Trusting that you will give us an early acceptance of this work, we are,

Yours very truly,

THE WESTERN PAVING COMPANY
R.D. Farmer, Gen'l Mgr.

January 30th, 1916.

Honorable Mayor and Board of Commissioners,
San Antonio, Texas.

Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the paving constructed by the Western Paving Company, on Peach Street, between Goliad and Victoria Streets, has been completed, and is this day accepted by me, for account of the City of San Antonio, there being no homestead omissions or other irregularities.

Yours truly,

Hans Helland,
City Engineer.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

Accepting the pavement constructed on Peach Street, between Goliad and Victoria Streets, by the Western Paving Company.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City of San Antonio does hereby accept the pavement constructed by the Western Paving Company on Peach Street between Goliad and Victoria Streets, there being no homestead omissions; the date of acceptance being hereby fixed on January 30th, in accordance with the certificate of the City Engineer, filed on January 30th, 1916.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted.

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertize for bids for constructing a Sanitary Sewer in Nogalitos Street, between S. Flores Street and San Pedro Creek, in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the City Engineer and to require 10 per cent deposit with each bid, same to be received until February 7, 1916 at 4 o'clock, P.M.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following ordinance which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Lambert and Kearny. Nays, none. Absent, Garland and Steves.

MA-630

AN ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Two Hundred and Ten Dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1915 General Fund to pay Ferd Staffel, Trustee for sewer connections made with private sewer main on Starr Street, in accordance with an ordinance providing for the payment by the City for connections made with private sewers in Streets to be paved, passed and approved Dec. 12th 1914.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Lambert and Kearny. Nays, none. Absent, Garland and Steves.

MA-631 AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$2201.30 to pay the San Antonio Portland Cement Company.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Twenty Two Hundred and One and 30/100 (\$2201.30) Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Street Paving Fund to pay the San Antonio Portland Cement Company for cement used on Nolan and Nacogdoches Streets, by the Texas Granitoid Company.

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 Kearny introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Lambert and Kearny. Nays, none. Absent, Garland and Steves.

MA-632 AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$1000.00 to pay J. F. McGill Company for constructing sidewalks on South Laredo Street.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of One Thousand (\$1000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1915 General Fund, to pay J.F.McGill Company for construction of sidewalks on South Laredo Street.

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 introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Lambert and Kearny; Nays, none. Absent, Garland and Steves.

MA-633 AN ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Twenty Eight and 25/100 (\$28.25) Dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1915 General Fund to pay John Illg for one horse sold from the City Pound, said horse being the property of said John Illg, and having been impounded on July 5th, 1915, and sold by the City Marshall on July 17th for \$34.00 less amount charged for feed and advertising \$5.75, balance remaining to be refunded to owner \$28.25

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 introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Lambert and Kearny. Nays, none. Absent, Garland and Steves.

MA-634 AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the payment of wages to City Laborers for the week ending January 27th 1916. and making an appropriation therefor.

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 January 27th, 1916, and that the following sums be and are hereby appropriated out of the several special funds for

that purpose, to-wit:

General Fund of 1915	\$ 896.60
Street Paving Fund	944.85
	<u>\$1841.45</u>

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes: Brown, Lambert, Kearny. Nays, none. Absent: Garland, Steves..

MA-635

AN ORDINANCE

Providing for the payment of Salaries and Wages for the month of January, 1916.

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

SECTION 1: That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized, to have warrants issued for the payment of Salaries and Wages of City officials and employes for the month of January 1916, chargeable to the following accounts, to-wit:

City Hall Expenditures	\$ 7708.30
Police Department	15656.29
Health Department	2960.10
Hospital Department	812.50
Fire Department	10761.70
Fire Alarm Department	545.00
Engineers Department	2378.35
Parks and Plazas	2152.70
Street Commissioners Department	505.00
Street C & S Department	9989.50
Rivers & Ditches	619.85
Market and Market House	350.00
Plumbing & Sewer Inspection Dep't	795.00
Contingencies	97.50
Street Paving Fund	2588.85
	<u>\$ 57920.64</u>

SECTION 2: That to meet the provisions of Section 1. hereof, there are hereby appropriated the following sumssout of the following funds, to-wit:

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 submitted a report of the Health Department on inspection of Fruit and Vegetable stands, which was adopted and ordered filed.

Commissioner Lambert submitted a report of the Health Department on milk inspection for the month of January, 1916. which was adopted and ordered filed.

Commissioner Lambert submitted a report of the Health Department on inspection of restarrants for the month of January 1916, which was adopted and ordered filed.

Commissioner Lambert recommended that the petitions of L. L. Winters and W. G. Driscoll for change in Jitney routes be granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Lambert recommended that the petition of Campbell and Beattie for permit to erect tent be not granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Lambert recommended that the petition of Richey Auto Livery Company for permit to erect electric sign at 207 N. St Mary Street be granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Lambert recommended that the petition of John Weidert for permit to install gasoline equipment at 118 Blum Street be granted. Adopted.

