

REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 1941.

10:00 A.M.

PRESENT: Honorable C. K. Quin, Presiding, and Commissioners Steffler, Hein, Davis, and Anderson.

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On motion of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, were dispensed with and ordered approved.

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 277

MS-445

AN ORDINANCE (390)

TRANSFERRING \$8,000.00 FROM 1941 GENERAL FUND - PARKING METER ACCOUNT
TO POLICE & FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the Commissioner of Taxation, as ex-officio City Treasurer, and the City Auditor, be and they are hereby directed to transfer or cause to be transferred the sum of \$8,000.00 from 1941 General Fund - Parking Meter Account to the Police and Firemen's Pension Fund.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 278

MS-446

AN ORDINANCE (391)

APPROPRIATING \$10,014.79 OUT OF 1940 GENERAL FUND TO PAY ONE (1)
NOTE NO. 6 AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$10,014.79, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1940 General Fund payable to Frost National Bank, San Antonio, Texas, to pay one (1) Note No. 6, of the 1940 General Fund Series, \$10,000.00, maturing on or before July 1, 1942, and accrued interest of \$14.79.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28th day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

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Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 279

MS-447

AN ORDINANCE (392)

APPROPRIATING \$1,004.60 OUT OF POLICE & FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND TO PAY
ONE (1) NOTE NO. 39 AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$1,004.60, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Police & Firemen's Pension Fund payable to National

Bank of Commerce, San Antonio, Texas, to pay one (1) Note No. 39 of the Police & Firemen's Pension Fund Series, maturing on or before June 30, 1941, and accrued interest amounting to \$4.60.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 280

AN ORDINANCE (393)

APPROPRIATING \$81,361.16 OUT OF 1941 GENERAL FUND FOR PAY ROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$81,361.16, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1941 General Fund, for pay rolls for the period ending August 31, 1941, as follows:

Mayor's Department	\$ 878.33	
City Attorney,	895.00	
Back Tax Attorney,	362.50	
Auditor	1,227.50	
City Clerk	275.00	
Purchasing Agent	485.00	
Corporation Court	1,162.50	
Health Department	5,944.55	
Weights & Measures	612.50	
Auditorium	962.00	
Witte Museum	432.25	
Pioneer Hall	25.00	\$13,262.13
Tax Commissioner	462.50	
Tax Assessor, Regular	1,347.50	
Tax Assessor, Extra	412.50	
Tax Collector, Regular	530.00	
Back Tax Regular	488.75	
License & Dues	295.00	
Treasurer	205.00	3,741.25
Commissioner Parks & Plazas	550.00	
Parks & Plazas	1,330.00	
St. Cleaning & Garbage	2,320.14	
Rivers & Ditches	175.00	
City Hall Building	319.00	
Old City Cemeteries	37.50	
San Jose Burial Park	75.00	
Brackenridge Golf Course	320.00	
Riverside Golf Course	192.50	
Market House	492.10	
Zoo	985.00	
Recreation Department	2,090.25	
Olmos Basin & Dam	190.00	
Sewage Plant	1,482.50	
Governor's Palace	97.50	
La Villita - Parks	216.75	\$10,873.24
Comm. of Streets & Public Improvements	432.50	
Street Maintenance	3,468.25	
Street Maintenance-Shop	731.17	
Engineering	1,831.66	
Sewer Maintenance	510.00	
Pumping Station	160.00	7,133.58
Comm. of Fire & Police	487.50	
Pol. Dept. Group A	15,864.75	
Pol. Dept. " B	552.50	
Pol. Dept. " C	2,853.69	
Fire Group A	21,106.47	
Fire " B	1,390.00	
Fire " C	150.00	
Fire Alarm Group A	517.50	
" " B	210.00	
Fire Dept. Apprentice	1,203.55	
Civil Service Board	180.00	
Inspection Department	1,815.00	
Zoning Board of Adjustment	20.00	46,350.96
Total		\$81,361.16

"And that Warrant therefor shall be numbered No. 83 and dated to correspond with pay roll accounts."

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 281

MS-449

AN ORDINANCE (394)

APPROPRIATING \$100.00 OUT OF 1941 GENERAL FUND TO PAY FOR STATE
FRANCHISE TAX REPORTS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$100.00, be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1941 General Fund - Assessor's Department - to pay Chas. L. Cunningham, 1404½ West Avenue, Austin, Texas, for state franchise tax reports, as per approved invoice on file in the City Auditor's Office.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

Commissioner Hein introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 282

MS-450

AN ORDINANCE (395)

APPROPRIATING \$276.20 OUT OF 1940 GENERAL FUND TO PAY FOR TRUCK HIRE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$276.20, be and the same is appropriated hereby out of 1940 General Fund - Parks & Plazas Department - to pay for truck hire used in hauling fill from Baptist Temple, Alamo Stadium and Police Station to Pittman Sullivan Park, as per approved estimates on file in the City Auditor's Office, payable to E. L. Transport Company.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

Commissioner Anderson introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 283

MS-451

AN ORDINANCE (396)

APPROPRIATING \$11,915.00, OUT OF THE FIREMEN, POLICEMEN AND FIRE
ALARM OPERATORS' PENSION FUND, FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$11,915.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Firemen, Policemen and Fire Alarm Operators' Pension Fund, for payroll for the period ending August, 31, 1941, in the amount of \$11,915.00.

"And that Warrant therefor shall be numbered #680 and dated to correspond with payroll accounts."

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 284

MS-452 AN ORDINANCE (397)

APPROPRIATING \$30.00 OUT OF 1941 GENERAL FUND TO PAY MEMBERSHIP

DUES IN MUNICIPAL FINANCE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$30.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1941 General Fund (Auditing Department) payable to Municipal Finance Officers Association for membership dues from June 30, 1941, to June 30, 1942.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 285

MS-453 AN ORDINANCE (398)

APPROPRIATING \$825.48 OUT OF THE STINSON FIELD FUND FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$825.48, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Stinson Field Fund, for payroll for the period ending August 31, 1941, in the amount of \$825.48.

"And that Warrant therefor shall be numbered #105 and dated to correspond with payroll accounts."

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 286

MS-454 AN ORDINANCE (399)

APPROPRIATING \$40.00 OUT OF THE ADVERTISING FUND, FOR PAYROLL.

BE IR ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$40.00, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Advertising Fuhd, for payroll for the period ending August 31, 1941, in the amount of \$40.00.

"And that warrant therefor shall be numbered #377 and dated to correspond with payroll accounts."

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 287

MS-455

AN ORDINANCE (400)

APPROPRIATING \$37.50 OUT OF 1941 GENERAL FUND TO PAY FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED AT PNEUMO-THORAX CLINIC, ROBERT B. GREEN HOSPITAL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$37.50, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1941 General Fund - Health Department - to pay for professional services rendered at Pneu-Thorax clinic-Robert B. Green Hospital, as per approved invoice on file in the City Auditor's Office, payable to Dr. Ballard E. Galloway.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28 day of August, A.D. 1941.

C.K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 288

MS-456

AN ORDINANCE (401)

APPROPRIATING \$494.11 OUT OF THE AIRPORT FUND OF 1941, FOR PAYROLL.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$494.11, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Airport Fund of 1941, for payroll for the period ending August 31, 1941, in the amount of \$494.11.

"And that Warrant therefor shall be numbered #84 and dated to correspond with payroll accounts."

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 28th day of August, 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 289

MS-457

AN ORDINANCE (402)

APPROPRIATING \$14.00 TO REIMBURSE BEN S. MORRIS, ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY, FOR EXPENSES ON TRIP TO ALICE AND KINGSVILLE, TEXAS, IN CONNECTION WITH GOETH CASE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio:-

1. That \$14.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1941 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, to reimburse Ben S. Morris, Assistant City Attorney, for expenditures

made on Trip to Alice and Kingsville, Texas, in connection with investigation in case of Dr. R. A. Goeth vs City of San Antonio, as per itemized statement on file in the office of the City Auditor.

2. PASSED AND APPROVED this 28th day of August, A.D. 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

Attest:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

AN ORDINANCE (403)

CONVEYING IN FEE SIMPLE A PORTION OF KERR (OR SAN LUIS) STREET WHICH HAS HERETOFORE BEEN VACATED TO THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

(For full text of this ordinance, see Ordinance book "J", page 432)

Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

AN ORDINANCE (404)

CANCELLING CERTAIN TAXES ON PROPERTY ACQUIRED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, AND EXEMPTING THE SAME FROM FURTHER TAXATION.

(For full text of this ordinance, see ordinance book "J" page 433)

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

AN ORDINANCE (405)

MAKING A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE GOLDEN WEST LUBRICATING COMPANY AND THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO CONCERNING STORAGE AND DELIVERY OF GASOLINE.

(For full text of this ordinance, see Ordinance Book "J", page 433)

Commissioner Steffler introduced the following ordinance, which was, read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

AN ORDINANCE (406)

AMENDING PARAGRAPH (b), SECTION 3, AND AMENDING SECTION 6 OF AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE MAKING OF CUTS, OPENINGS OR EXCAVATIONS, ETC., IN PUBLIC PLACES, STREETS, ALLEYS OR HIGHWAYS; REQUIRING BOND OF INDEMNITY AND CERTAIN DEPOSITS, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES."

(For full text of this ordinance, see Ordinance Book "J", page 436)

Commissioner Davis introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

AN ORDINANCE (407)

REPEALING AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE PROVISIONS OF ART. 7345d, OF VERNON'S CIVIL STATUTES OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, ANNOTATED", PASSED AND APPROVED ON THE 19TH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 1941.

(For full text of this ordinance, see Ordinance Book "J", page 437)

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Davis and Anderson.

MS-458 AN ORDINANCE (408) 458

ACCEPTING PROPOSAL OF GOLDEN WEST LUBRICATING COMPANY TO STORE AND DELIVER GASOLINE FOR THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio:-

1. That the proposal of the Golden West Lubricating Company, of 516 North San Marcos Streets, San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas, dated August 14, 1941, to store and deliver gasoline for the City of San Antonio, for the period beginning September 1st, 1941 to midnight November 30th, 1941, for the consideration of \$.0024 per gallon for storage of gasoline and \$.0024 per gallon for delivery of gasoline, be and the same is hereby accepted.

2. PASSED AND APPROVED this 28th day of August, A.D. 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

Commissioner Anderson recommended that the following petitions be GRANTED; Adopted

MS-459

Humble Oil & Refining Company to replace one 280 gallon tank with one new 280 gallon tank (old tank leaking), at 702 Roosevelt Avenue.

MS-460

Humble Oil & Refining Company to install three new electric pumps replacing three 10 gallon visible pumps at 702 Roosevelt Avenue.

MS-461

Whittridge Machine Shop to install gasoline tank for Mrs. T. C. Frost, 320 Army Blvd.

MS-462

Bear Oil & Distributing Co. to install 1 electric pump and two 560 gallon underground tanks at 110 Ralph Street.

MS-463

Petition Bear Oil & Distributing Co. for (1) electric Meter Pump at 1631 S. Laredo Street.

Commissioner Anderson recommended that the following petitions be NOT GRANTED; Adopted.

Bear Oil & Distributing Company to install (1) 1,000 gallon underground tank and (1) Electric Meter Pump at 1631 South Laredo Street.

Jack Neal Inc. to install an electric computing curb pump on location where a pump was previously located, on the northwest corner Third and N. Alamo Street, for use of Nevelow Bros. for their new driverless car business.

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

Gulf Oil Corporation for the approval of a location for Drive-In gasoline filling station at Northwest corner of San Pedro and W. Magnolia Avenues.

Cameron Construction Company to install (2) 550 gallon and (1) 1,000 gallon underground tanks at N.E. corner W. Commerce and San Jacinto Street, also four (4) gasoline pumps electric type.

The following petitions, on motion of Commissioner Davis, duly seconded and carried, were denied.

W. K. Ewing Co., Inc. requesting the Commissioners of the City to reopen and reconsider original

assessments on certain property situated in N.C.B. 156; C.B. 413; and N.C.B. 106.

Frank Wolff to reopen and reconsider original assessment on property situated in C.B. 110.

The request of Forrest Bennett appealing from the decision of the Inspector of Taxicabs in denying applicant permit to operate taxicabs and requesting hearing, was read and set for Friday, September 5, 1941.

The following bids were received, opened and read and referred to the City Purchasing Agent for tabulation:

Proposals to bind assessment sheets for office of City Assessor.

Proposals to furnish Tax Receipts and Inventory sheets.

Proposals to furnish fuel oil for the City.

Petition of U.N. Bryant, taking an appeal from the action of the Taxicab Inspector in denying him a chauffeurs license, was read, before the Commissioners. There being no one present to represent Mr. Bryant, the case was continued.

On motion of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the Meeting was recessed until Friday, August 29th, A.D. 1941, 10:00 A.M.

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29TH, A.D. 1941 10:00 A.M.

Pursuant to recess of Regular Meeting of August 28, A.D. 1941.

PRESENT: Honorable C. K. Quin, Mayor, Presiding, and Commissioners Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 290

MS-464 AN ORDINANCE (409)

APPROPRIATING \$500.00 IN PAYMENT TO BLANCHE HAYNES OF JUDGMENT IN CAUSE NO. F-269, ENTITLED BLANCHE HAYNES VS. CITY OF SAN ANTONIO.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio:-

1. That \$500.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1940 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, in payment to Blanche Haynes, of San Antonio, Texas, of judgment rendered on March 14, 1941, in Cause No. F-269, entitled Blanche Haynes vs City of San Antonio.

2. PASSED AND APPROVED this 29th day of August, A.D. 1941.

C. K. QUIN

M A Y O R

ATTEST:

Jas. Simpson

City Clerk

Mayor Quin introduced the following ordinance, which was read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call to-wit: Ayes, Quin, Hein, Steffler, Anderson and Davis.

Appro. No. 291

MS-465 AN ORDINANCE (410)

APPROPRIATING \$2.15 IN PAYMENT TO NORFLEET HILL, SHERIFF, HARRIS COUNTY, FOR SERVICE OF CITATIONS IN TAX SUITS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio:-

1. That \$2.15 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1941 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, in payment to Norfleet Hill, Sheriff, Harris County, Texas, of fees for service of Out-County citations in the following tax suits:

No. C-11,453 - City of San Antonio, et al.
vs
S. H. Kress Co. \$1.15

No. C-11,455, - City of San Antonio, et al.
vs
The Varner Company 1.00

2. PASSED AND APPROVED this 29th day of August, A.D. 1941.

C. K. QUIN
MAYOR

Attest:

Jas. Simpson
City Clerk

MS-466

The recommendation of Commissioner Anderson that the petition of Gulf Oil Corporation for the approval of a location for Drive-In Gasoline Filling Station at N.W. corner of San Pedro Avenue and W. Magnolia Avenue be granted, was, upon motion, duly seconded and carried, adopted.

The petition of U. N. Bryant taking an appeal from the action of the Taxicab Inspector in denying him a chauffeurs license was, after a hearing, denied, upon motion duly seconded and carried.

On motion of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the Meeting adjourned.

APPROVED: C. K. Quin

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson