

July 19, 1956

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO HELD IN THE
COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, ON THURSDAY
JULY 19, 1956 AT 9:30 A.M.

PRESENT: FRIEDRICH, BAINES, PASSUR, CRUMRINE, WINTON, KUYKENDALL, OLIVARES, DANIELS,
SAN MARTIN

Kuykendall
Mayor J. Edwin, presiding.

Invocation by Rev. Lawrence K. Brown, Highland Terrace Methodist Church.

On motion of Mr. Baines, seconded by Mr. Daniels, the reading of the minutes
of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Zoning Case #527 to rezone Lots 31 to 34, New City Block 6483, on Mistletoe
Avenue at Fredericksburg Road, from "B" RESIDENCE DISTRICT to "D" APARTMENT DISTRICT
was called up for hearing. The Planning Director briefed the council members on the
proposed change. No one appeared to be heard. Mr. Crumrine, seconded by Mr. Friedrich,
moved to approve the recommendation of the Planning Commission by adoption of the following
ordinance. AYES, FRIEDRICH, BAINES, PASSUR, CRUMRINE, WINTON, KUYKENDALL, OLIVARES,
DANIELS, SAN MARTIN; NAYS, NONE.

AN ORDINANCE 23,237

AMENDING SECTION 2 OF AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN
ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ZONING REGULATIONS AND
DISTRICTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN,
ETC.," PASSED AND APPROVED ON NOVEMBER 3, 1938, BY
CHANGING THE CLASSIFICATION AND RE-ZONING OF CERTAIN
PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN: CASE NO. 527, THE RE-
CLASSIFICATION AND RE-ZONING OF PROPERTY FROM "B"
RESIDENCE DISTRICT TO "D" APARTMENT DISTRICT, AS
FOLLOWS: LOTS 31 TO 34, INCLUSIVE, N.C.B. 6483

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 554)

The following ordinances were passed as follows: AYES, FRIEDRICH, BAINES,
PASSUR, CRUMRINE, WINTON, KUYKENDALL, OLIVARES, DANIELS, SAN MARTIN; NAYS, NONE.

AN ORDINANCE 23,238

ACCEPTING THE ATTACHED LOW BID OF SAN ANTONIO
MACHINE & SUPPLY COMPANY TO FURNISH THE CITY OF
SAN ANTONIO DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
WITH CERTAIN ITEMS OF PLASTIC PIPE AND FITTINGS
FOR SPRINKLER SYSTEM FOR A TOTAL OF \$6,625.93

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 554)

AN ORDINANCE 23,239

ACCEPTING THE ATTACHED LOW BID OF SAN ANTONIO
MACHINE AND SUPPLY COMPANY TO FURNISH THE CITY OF
SAN ANTONIO DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION WITH
CERTAIN SPRINKLER SYSTEM MATERIALS FOR A TOTAL OF
\$3,483.50

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 555)

The following ordinance was passed as follows: AYES, FRIEDRICH, BAINES, PASSUR,
CRUMRINE, ~~WINTON~~, KUYKENDALL, OLIVARES, DANIELS, SAN MARTIN; NAYS, NONE; DISQUALIFIED,
WINTON.

AN ORDINANCE 23,240

ACCEPTING THE ATTACHED LOW BID OF AUSTIN HEMPHILL,
INC. TO FURNISH THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS WITH ONE TRUCK FOR DISTRIBUTOR MOUNTING
FOR A TOTAL OF \$3,974.92

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 555)

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The following ordinances and resolutions were passed and approved as follows:
 AYES, FRIEDRICH, BAINES, PASSUR, CRUMRINE, WINTON, KUYKENDALL, OLIVARES, DANIELS,
 SAN MARTIN; NAYS, NONE.

AN ORDINANCE 23,241

ACCEPTING THE ATTACHED LOW BID OF STRAUS FRANK COMPANY TO FURNISH THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH WITH CERTAIN ELECTRICAL MATERIALS FOR A TOTAL OF \$8,495.50

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 556)

AN ORDINANCE 23,242

ACCEPTING THE ATTACHED LOW BIDS OF VARIOUS VENDORS TO FURNISH THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS WITH CERTAIN STREET MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT FOR A TOTAL OF \$98,017.08

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 556)

AN ORDINANCE 23,243

ACCEPTING THE ATTACHED LOW BID OF COKESBURY BOOK STORE TO FURNISH THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO PUBLIC LIBRARY WITH CERTAIN BOOKS AS PER LIST ATTACHED FOR A TOTAL OF \$3,314.78

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 557)

AN ORDINANCE 23,244

MANIFESTING A BILL OF SALE TO THE ALAMO JUNK COMPANY P. O. BOX 1182, SAN ANTONIO 6, TEXAS, FOR 1,000 POUNDS OF YELLOW SCRAP BRASS FOR THE SUM OF 20 1/4¢ PER POUND

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 557)

AN ORDINANCE 23,245

ACCEPTING THE LOW BID OF E. C. HALL IN THE AMOUNT OF \$35,049.68 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SANITARY SEWER EXTENSIONS IN AREA 8-1; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT THEREFOR; AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO PAY FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 557)

AN ORDINANCE 23,246

ACCEPTING THE LOW BID OF G. W. DICKERSON & SONS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$30,814.24, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SANITARY SEWER EXTENSIONS IN AREA 12-2; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT THEREFOR; AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO PAY FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 558)

A RESOLUTION

CONFIRMING FINAL ACCEPTANCE OF THE RESURFACING OF SOUTH ZARZAMORA STREET FROM FRIO CITY ROAD TO NOGALITOS STREET

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page

AN ORDINANCE 23,247

ACCEPTING AN EASEMENT FOR SANITARY SEWER EXTENSION IN LOTS 4, 5, AND 6, BLOCK 33, NEW CITY BLOCK 3744 TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO FROM EMIL EDWARDS PETERS AND WIFE, MARY PETERS, AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF THE SUM OF \$1.00 FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 558)

AN ORDINANCE 23,248

ACCEPTING AN EASEMENT FOR SANITARY SEWER EXTENSION IN LOTS 7, 8, 9 AND 10, BLOCK 33, NEW CITY BLOCK 3744, TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO FROM STANLEY VICTOR JUNCAL AND WIFE, DAPHINE JUNCAL, AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF THE SUM OF \$1.00 FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 559)

AN ORDINANCE 23,249

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING PERMISSION TO RAYMOND J. NEUMANN AND WIFE TO USE THE CITY SANITARY SEWERS BY A CONNECTION OUTSIDE OF THE CITY LIMITS AT 1130 WILTSHIRE

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 559)

AN ORDINANCE 23,250

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING PERMISSION TO MRS. JUANITA STARCKE TO USE THE CITY SANITARY SEWERS BY A CONNECTION OUTSIDE OF THE CITY LIMITS AT 609 MORNINGSIDE DRIVE

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 560)

AN ORDINANCE 23,251

APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$4,397.19 OUT OF THE 1954 SEWER REVENUE BOND FUND NO. 205, FINAL PAYMENT TO IRVING S. SELIGMANN, CONSULTING ENGINEER, FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED IN CONNECTION WITH SEWAGE PLANT IMPROVEMENTS, SECTIONS IV AND V, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONTRACT

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 560)

AN ORDINANCE 23,252

APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$51,211.95 OUT OF THE 1954 SEWER REVENUE BOND FUND NO. 205, TO PAY H. B. ZACHRY CO., FINAL PAYMENT FOR WORKS DONE IN CONNECTION WITH SEWAGE PLANT IMPROVEMENTS, SECTION V, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONTRACT

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 561)

A RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF FIRE STATION NUMBER 30

AN ORDINANCE 23,253

AMENDING CHAPTER 14 OF THE SAN ANTONIO CITY CODE, WHICH REQUIRES THAT CERTAIN DISEASES BE REPORTED TO THE CITY HEALTH OFFICER, BY INCLUDING CASES OF ACCIDENTAL POISONING AS DISEASES WHICH MUST BE REPORTED

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 561)

AN ORDINANCE 23,254

CONSENTING TO THE SUBLEASE BY CONTINENTAL AIR LINES, INC., TO AIRNEWS, INC., OF HANGAR SPACE IN HANGAR NO. 2, AT SAN ANTONIO MUNICIPAL AIRPORT, LEASED BY CONTINENTAL AIR LINES, INC., FROM THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 561)

AN ORDINANCE 23,255

ESTABLISHING GROUND RULES FOR THE SAN ANTONIO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 562)

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A RESOLUTION

APPOINTING JIM DANCER TO THE ADVISORY
COMMITTEE OF TEXAS PIONEERS, TRAIL DRIVERS AND
RANGERS MEMORIAL BUILDING

AN ORDINANCE 23,256

AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A
DIVISION ORDER ON OIL PRODUCED ON PROPERTY HELD
IN TRUST BY THE CITY FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 563)

The following ordinance was then read by the City Clerk:

AN ORDINANCE 23,257

PROVIDING FOR THE SALE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH
RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY PUBLIC SERVICE
BOARD, OF THE BUILDING AT 201-203 NORTH ST. MARY'S
STREET, ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE SALE THEREOF
TO EARL MARCUS AND MORRIS KALLISON, AND PROVIDING FOR
THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY A A DEED CONVEYING THE SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 563)

Before a vote was taken Mr. Winton questioned the City Manager as to the possibility of the City using this property to better advantage than what would be gained by its sale. The Manager reviewed the entire matter from the aspect of City's use of the property and gave illustrations of the inadvisability of City's use in certain cases such as health clinic and police and jail. He believed it not a good purchase for the City. Mr. Winton then questioned the City Attorney as to the necessity for the City to make the sale instead of having the City Public Service Board acting independently. The City Attorney explained that the property is in the name of the City of San Antonio; the indenture covering the bonds owed by the City Public Service Board is in the name of the City and the bonds are the obligation of the City of San Antonio. In answer to another question as to who will get the money paid for the building, the City Attorney said it will go to the City Public Service Board for use agreed on in the indenture or for purchase of other property to be covered by the indenture.

Mr. Winton then asked what would become of the \$27,500.00 which the City had heretofore forfeited in earnest money as a proposal to purchase this building. The City Attorney replied that it would have to be handled according to the contract made at the time and with which he was not entirely familiar.

Mr. Winton then moved that action be deferred on this ordinance until such time as the fate of the \$27,500 could be determined. The motion received no second.

Mr. Harper Macfarlane, one of the attorneys for the City Public Service Board, was present and answered a few questions made by City Council members after which a vote was taken on approval of the ordinance. The vote on the approval was: AYES, FRIEDRICH, BAINES, PASSUR, CRUMRINE, KUYKENDALL, OLIVARES, DANIELS, SAN MARTIN; NAYS, WINTON.

The following ordinances and resolutions were passed as follows: AYES, FRIEDRICH, BAINES, PASSUR, CRUMRINE, WINTON, KUYKENDALL, OLIVARES, DANIELS, SAN MARTIN; NAYS, NONE.

AN ORDINANCE 23,258

GRANTING THE PETITIONS OF BETHEL TEMPLE CHURCH AND ST. ANDREWS METHODIST CHURCH FOR EXEMPTION FROM CITY TAXES ON PROPERTIES LOCATED IN NCB 726 AND NCB 10438

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 565)

AN ORDINANCE 23,259

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF CERTAIN INSURANCE CONTRACTS BY THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO WITH THE MARYLAND CASUALTY COMPANY, FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY, AND THE GLOBE INDEMNITY COMPANY, AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF INSURANCE PREMIUMS IN THE TOTAL SUM OF \$110.43

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 565)

AN ORDINANCE 23,260

CHANGING THE NAMES OF CERTAIN STREETS LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 566)

AN ORDINANCE 23,261

AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO MAKE A REFUND OF THE FEES CHARGED FOR UNUSED BUILDING PERMITS (J.G. COOK AND FEDERAL LUMBER COMPANY)

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 566)

A RESOLUTION

GIVING NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING OF A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ZONING REGULATIONS AND DISTRICTS, ETC., PASSED AND APPROVED ON NOVEMBER 3, 1938, BY CHANGING THE CLASSIFICATION DESCRIBED HEREIN: CASE NO. 644, NCB 6176; CASE NO. 695, NCB 12517, NCB 12512, NCB 12513, NCB 12514, NCB 12515; CASE NO. 700, NCB 12171; CASE NO. 698, NCB 12085; HEARING TO BE AUGUST 9, 1956

AN ORDINANCE 23,262

CONTRACTING WITH CLAUDE ANIOL AND ASSOCIATES FOR THE ERECTION OF TEN OUTDOOR BULLETINS AT STRATEGIC POINTS ENTERING THE CITY, AT A COST OF \$8,785.00 AND AUTHORIZING PAYMENT THEREFOR

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 566)

AN ORDINANCE 23,263

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A DEED BY THE CITY MANAGER TO J. E. MYLIUS AND WIFE, MINNIE LEE MYLIUS, CONVEYING A PORTION OF LOT 30, BLOCK 3, NEW CITY BLOCK 8060 IN EXCHANGE FOR A PORTION OF LOT 29, BLOCK 3, NEW CITY BLOCK 8060, REQUIRED FOR SOUTH NEW BRAUNFELS STREET RIGHT OF WAY

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 567)

AN ORDINANCE 23,264

ACCEPTING A DEED FROM J. E. MYLIUS AND WIFE, MINNIE LEE MYLIUS CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, A PORTION OF LOT 29, BLOCK 3, NEW CITY BLOCK 8060, AND AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF THE SUM OF \$1.00 THEREFOR

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 567)

AN ORDINANCE 23,265

ACCEPTING A DEED FROM SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO A TRACT OF LAND CONTAINING 20,525.9 SQUARE FEET, MORE OR LESS, IN NEW CITY BLOCK 7646 AND NEW CITY BLOCK 7647, AND AUTHORIZING THE PAYMENT OF THE SUM OF \$10.00 FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 568)

AN ORDINANCE 23,266

ACCEPTING A DEED FROM ELSIE ALLEN, JOINED BY HER HUSBAND, A. T. ALLEN, CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO LOT 15, BLOCK 2, NEW CITY BLOCK 7584, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$8808.50 TO PAY FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 568)

AN ORDINANCE 23,267

ACCEPTING A DEED FROM ROBERTO MONTEZ AND WIFE, ELIDA MEDRANO MONTEZ, CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO A PORTION OF LOT 438, NEW CITY BLOCK 7850, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$1.00 TO PAY FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 569)

AN ORDINANCE 23,268

APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$300.00 FOR DEPOSIT WITH THE COUNTY CLERK OF BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS, AS THE AWARD IN CONDEMNATION CAUSE NO. 47,475 (JOE VELA ET UX, REBECCA G. VELA, ET AL)

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 569)

AN ORDINANCE 23,269

ACCEPTING A DEED FROM ARTHUR HYNES, ET AL, CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO LOT 6, NEW CITY BLOCK 1283, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$7350.00 TO PAY FOR SAME

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 569)

AN ORDINANCE 23,270

ACCEPTING A DEED FROM FIDEL SEGURA AND WIFE, MARIA D. SEGURA, CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO LOT 13, BLOCK 1, NEW CITY BLOCK 1280, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$10,000.00 TO PAY FOR SAME

(Fulltext in Ordinance Book CC page 570)

AN ORDINANCE 23,271

AMENDING CERTAIN ORDINANCES APPROPRIATING FUNDS OUT OF THE 1955 EXPRESSWAY BOND FUND FOR U. S. HIGHWAY 81 SOUTH EXPRESSWAY (MCLEARY STREET EXTENSION) AND CANCELLING THE SAID APPROPRIATIONS

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 570)

AN ORDINANCE 23,272

ACCEPTING A DEED FROM W. W. MCALLISTER, JR., CONVEYING TO THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO A PORTION OF LOT 449, NEW CITY BLOCK 7850, MAKING AND MANIFESTING A DEED TO W. W. MCALLISTER, JR., CONVEYING A PORTION OF LOT 438, NEW CITY BLOCK 7850, AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$2,150.00 TO PAY THE DIFFERENCE IN EXCHANGE OF PROPERTIES

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 571)

AN ORDINANCE 23,273

APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$420.00 PAYABLE \$140.00 TO BERT C. FRY, \$140.00 TO WALTER A. GOODWIN AND \$140.00 TO R. ROBERT LOZANO FOR SERVICES RENDERED IN CONDEMNATION CAUSES NUMBERS 47248, 47381, 47475, 47130, 47458, 47455 AND 47454

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 572)

AN ORDINANCE 23,274

APPROVING AND ADOPTING A CONTRACT FOR APPRAISAL REVIEW SERVICES; APPROPRIATING \$200.00 TO PAY FOR SUCH SERVICES

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 572)

AN ORDINANCE 23,275

APPROVING AND ADOPTING A CONTRACT FOR APPRAISAL SERVICE; APPROPRIATING \$1,225.00 TO PAY FOR SUCH SERVICES (WILLIS A. PORTER)

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 572)

AN ORDINANCE 23,276

ACCEPTING CERTAIN BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF BUILDINGS LOCATED ON CITY-OWNED PROPERTY, AND MAKING AND MANIFESTING A BILL OF SALE TO SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS (K. BREEN, PARCELS 277,78,79; 290,91,92; J.A. SKOBLIK, PARCEL 304, 2514; RICA BOHMFALK, PARCEL 554 thru 564; IGNACIO RAMIREZ, PARCEL 580)

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 573)

AN ORDINANCE 23,277

AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 11549, PASSED AND APPROVED MARCH 16, 1950, ESTABLISHING THE LOCATION OF INTER-STATE HIGHWAY U. S. 81 ACROSS THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO TO INCLUDE THEREIN ADDITIONAL RIGHT OF WAY BETWEEN BROADWAY AND CALHOUN STREET IN ACCORDANCE WITH A MAP PREPARED BY THE TEXAS STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

(Full text in Ordinance Book CC page 573)

The following letter from the City Clerk was read:

Honorable Mayor and Members of Council
City of San Antonio, Texas

Gentlemen:

The following petition was received by this office and forwarded to Mr. Winston Martin, the Planning Director, for his recommendation.

7-11-56 Petition of Felix Krisch regarding the purchase of portion of property in New City Block 6472.

Yours very truly,

J. FRANK GALLAGHER
City Clerk

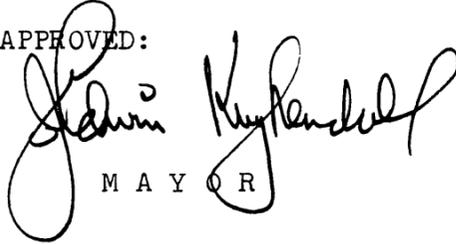
Mr. Krystjen Bredvad then addressed the council on the control of pool halls and on the subject of juvenile control.

Capt. Bruce Eyttinge appeared before the council to complain of the difficulty of getting water lines installed in the Mission Garden Area. After discussion with the Mayor, the City Manager and Councilmen, he agreed to see the City Water Board.

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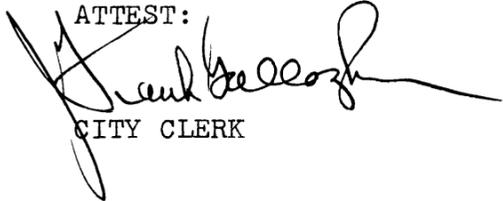
There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

APPROVED:



MAYOR

ATTEST:



CITY CLERK

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PRE-COUNCIL

At an informal meeting of the Council members in the office of the City Manager, before the regular meeting convened, matters on the agenda for the day were discussed and department manager's were called on for details of many items due to come up.

The City Clerk presented to the council the following letters which had been filed with him for record.

July 18, 1956

To the Honorable Mayor and
Members of the City Council
City Hall
San Antonio, Texas

Gentlemen:

At a luncheon meeting of the Taxpayers' League of San Antonio on July 18, the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the directors:

Be it resolved that the Taxpayers League of San Antonio strongly and definitely recommends that the indenture for the new water revenue bonds contain clear provisions that the City Council shall have and retain full control over rates and services of the City Water System, and that the City Council shall retain at least as much control as it would have if the City Water system were operated by a private corporation or owner.

Respectfully submitted by,

/s/ HAROLD W. KELLER, President

To the Honorable Mayor and
Members of the City Council
City Hall
San Antonio, Texas

Gentlemen:

At a luncheon meeting of the Taxpayers' League of San Antonio on June 20, the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the directors:

Be it resolved that the Taxpayers' League of San Antonio request a public hearing on the water bond indenture, and that the regulation of rates, water extensions, purchasing, plus fiscal control, plus board appointees be discussed at that time.

Respectfully submitted by,

/s/ HAROLD W. KELLER, President

The Mayor read the following resolution, which he had received, to the Council.

A "RESOLUTION" AUTHORIZED AND ADOPTED BY
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE SAN ANTONIO
RIVER AUTHORITY AT THEIR SPECIAL MEETING HELD
JULY 13, 1956

BE IT RESOLVED, that

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of San Antonio River Authority have expended their energies over a period of twelve years in an attempt to secure the assistance of the Federal Government in the construction of a flood prevention project on the San Antonio River in Bexar County, Texas; and

WHEREAS, the directors and the staff have over this period of time presented to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers; to the Bureau of the Budget; and to representatives in the Congress of the United States information and petitions soliciting their assistance in securing funds for this flood prevention project; and

WHEREAS, the assistance of The Honorable Mayor and City Commissioners of San Antonio has been freely and sincerely given and has at long last led to a successful conclusion in that the funds have been provided by the Congress of the United States to permit the flood prevention project on the San Antonio River in Bexar County to proceed;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of the San Antonio River Authority in meeting assembled wish to express their sincere appreciation for the interest and support that they have received from The Honorable Mayor and City Commissioners of San Antonio in making this project a reality; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that recognition of this support be spread on the minutes of this meeting to record for posterity the gratitude of the people of this community to The Honorable Mayor and City Commissioners of San Antonio.

Adopted this 13th day of July, 1956, by the Board of Directors of San Antonio River Authority.

F. T. Drought
Chairman

APPROVED:
Martin C. Giesecke
Secretary

Mr. Daniels made the following motion:

"Resolved that the City Manager be asked to place approximately \$58,000 in the 1956-57 Budget for Public Assistance or Welfare and that an ordinance or resolution be drawn combining Surplus Commodities activities with the Welfare or Public Assistance activities under one operation, the total for the combined activities not to exceed \$90,000, and that the resolution or ordinance contain a clause that these combined activities should not receive over 2¢ of any future tax assessment rate." The resolution carried with only Mr. Baines voting against it.