

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH, A.D. 1916, 4 P.M.

PRESENT: Honorable Clinton G. Brown, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Garland, Lambert, Kearny and Uhr.

Minutes of previous meeting were ordered approved.

----MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS----

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvement:

Citizens, for sewers in Pruitt Avenue.

Property owners for crosswalks at Castillo Street and Fairplay Avenue. etc.

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Fire and Police:
Petition for Arc Light and crosswalk at Erie Avenue and Quincy Street.

Wheeler Auto Supply Co., for permit to install gasoline equipment, 206 W. Travis Street.

Do. " " " " " " , Travis St. & Main Ave.

Citizens Auto Co., " " " " " " 222 W. Travis St.

Lowery & Doolin " " " " " " St Mary St. & Travis St.

Martin Wright, for permit to erect an electric sign, Navarro & Houston Sts.

J.N. Crasilnek, for permit to erect an electric sign 110 W. Houston Street.

The following communication was read and ordered spread upon the minutes:

November 8th, 1916

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners,

San Antonio, Texas.

Gentlemen:

A copy of your resolution has been received for which I thank you.

It gives me great pleasure to know from your communication that thousands of people are each day enjoying the pleasures of the park one of which is the golf links.

Yours truly,

Geo. W. Brackenridge.

A communication from the City Attorney relating to regulation of Gas and Electric Light and Power rates, was read and ordered filed.

A protest of citizens against certain changes to be made in the Highland Park Street Car Service was read and ordered filed with the Traction Companies application.

The hearing account of West Commerce Street widening, continued to this day, was again postponed until 4 o'clock P.M. Nov. 16, 1916.

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

No. 177

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the payment of wages to City Laborers for the week ending November 11, 1916, and making an appropriation therefor.

MB-215

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 h the payment of wages to City Day Laborers for the week ending November 11th, 1916, and that the following sums of money are hereby appropriated out of the several special funds for that purpose, to-wit:

General Fund 1916 \$2883.50

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

No. 178 - 216 AN ORDINANCE

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

That there be and there is hereby appropriated out of the 1915 General Fund, the following sums of money for the hereinafter designated purposes:

Three Dollars and eighty seven cents(\$3.87) (the school portion being \$1.04) warrant for which is to be made payable to Wm. Eifler, on account of erroneous assessment and collection of taxes for the fiscal year 1915, on Lots Nos. 7, 8, 15, and 16, New City Block No. 1356, situated at the corner of Walters and Dawson Streets, San Antonio, Texas, on valuation of \$260.00.

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

No. 179 - 217 An Ordinance

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

That there be and there is hereby appropriated out of the 1916 General Fund, the following sums of moneys as refund on account of erroneous assessment and collection of taxes upon the north part of Lots 7 and 8, in New City Block No. 2783, on Illg Avenue, San Antonio, Texas, for the hereinafter specified fiscal years, warrant for which sums in the total amount of Seventeen Dollars and Fifty nine Cents (\$17.59) shall be made payable to F.W.Extence:

Fiscal Year	Valuation	Amount	School Portion.
1891	\$50.00	0).95	0.05
1892	50.00	0.95	0.05
1893	40.00	0.81	0.04
1894	40.00	0.83	0.08
1895	40.00	0.83	0.08
1896	40.00	0.85	0.08
1897	40.00	0.77	0.08
1898	40.00	0.86	0.08
1899	40.00	0.85	0.08
1900	40.00	0.85	0.08
1901	40.00	0.84	0.08
1902	40.00	1.06	0.17
1903	40.00	1.12	0.17
1904	40.00	1;05	0.22
1905	40.00	1.07	0.21
1906	40.00	0.95	0.17
1907	40.00	0.83	0.21
1908	50.00	0.87	0.24
1909	50.00	0.60	0.20
1912	50.00	0.66	0.21
		<u>17.59</u>	<u>2.58</u>

Commissioner Garland introduced the following ordinances, which were read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Garland, Lambert, Kearny and Uhr. Nays, none.

MB-217.1 An ordinance granting permit to A. Botwinick to operate Car No. 7978 in Local Street Transportation.

-217.2 An ordinance granting Jos. Brown permit to operate Car No. 10980 in Local Street Transportation.

-217.3 An ordinance granting permit to T.L. Cook permit to operate Car No. 10914 in Local Street Transportation.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Garland, Lambert, Kearny and Uhr. No. 180

- 218 AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$418.34 to pay Western Paving Company.

BE IT ORBAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Four Hundred and Eighteen and 34/100 (\$418.34) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Street Paving Fund to pay Western Paving Company for extra work done on Josephine and Ninth Streets, building approaches to bridges.

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, Garland, Lambert, Kearny and Uhr. No. 181.

-219 AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$200.00 to pay Alvin Seidel and Alexander Joske.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund 1916 to pay Alvin Seidel and Alexander Joske for a strip of land taken from City Block #166 for the purpose of widening Bowie Street, said sum to be paid upon receipt by the City of San Antonio of a good and sufficient deed of conveyance to said strip of land.

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 Uhr recommended that the following petitions for change in Jitney route be granted: H. Lapidus, C.H. Fowler, Otto Brotze, and C.S. Foote. Adopted.

Commissioner of Fire and Police, Uhr, made the following recommendations:

That petition of Pruitt Com. Co. for building permit be granted.

That petition of C.N. Stark & Co. for permit to erect electric sign at 408 Houston Street be granted.

That petition of A.S. Lande, for permit to erect electric sign at 106 E. Houston St. be granted.

That petition of S. Rabe, for permit to erect electric sign at 329 Alamo Plaza be granted.

That petition of Elite Cafe, for permit to erect electric sign at Losoya and

College Street be granted.

That petition of Sam Davenport for permit to erect gasoline pump at 1417 1/8 S. Flores Street be granted.

That petition of Richey Auto Livery, for permit to remove electric sign be granted.

That petition of Stires Out Door Sign Co., for permit to erect a bill board on C.B.408 be granted.

That Stires Sign Co. petition for permit to erect a bill board at Garden and St. Mary Street be granted.

That petition of Wilson and Filner for permit to install gasoline tank at 416 S. Laredo Street be granted.

That petition of Ed Jackson for permit to install gasoline equipment at 3801 S. Flores Street be granted.

The above recommendations were adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Uhr the petition of Pruitt Commission Co. for permit to lease certain ground to Oriental Oil Co. was laid over pending report from Building Inspector, Plumbing Inspector and Fire Chief.

Commissioner Uhr asked for reconsideration of the petition of Stires Out Door Sign Co. for permit to erect a billboard on the east side of Romana Street in C.B. 180 which had been refused at the meeting of October 30th and now moved to grant the permit.

Commissioner Kearny's substitute motion to refuse the permit was carried on roll call by the following vote, Ayes, Brown, Garland, Lambert and Kearny. Nays, Uhr.

On motion of the Mayor Commissioner Uhr was authorized to have two Fire Department stations painted, one under contract and one under day labor, in order to determine in which manner the rest of the fire stations could be most economically painted. The City purchasing agent to purchase the necessary paint.

Commissioner Kearny requested permission to leave the City for a period of ten days which was granted.

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

MB-220 AN ORDINANCE

Ordering the laying of sidewalks, etc, on various streets, under the penalties for failure to comply with said order.

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

WHEREAS the City Commissioners in the exercise of the Police Power, finds and hereby declares a public necessity for the laying of sidewalks, etc, as hereinafter ordered; and

WHEREAS BY AN ORDINANCE HERETOFORE on the 10th day of August, A.D.1914, passed and approved this City Commissioners provided for such cases; said ordinance being entitled "An ordinance prescribing specifications for sidewalks and curbing for public streets and places, and providing measures to compel the laying,

construction and repair of the same by owners of abutting property, requiring the cost thereof to be paid by the owners of such property and declaring such cost a personal liability of such owners, and a first and prior lien and charge against such property; and prescribing the manner of ordering and compelling the construction of such work, and the punishment for failure to comply with such orders", and proceeding hereupon in accordance with said previous ordinance, which is made a part hereof;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED:

Section One. That the construction of cement sidewalks be and the same is hereby ordered along or in front of the entire extent of each parcel of the property and premises hereinafter described, and that the owners of such premises proceed immediately to construct said improvements, or to cause same to be constructed at their cost and expense, on the streets and public places hereinafter named; the respective premises herein referred to, the owner or owners thereof to whom this order is addressed and each respective street or public place being as follows to-wit:

OWNER	LOT NO.	N.C.B. NO.	LOCATED ON
E. Flores	7-8	2637	Rip Ford St.
Bart J. DeWitt	9-10	2637	Rip Ford St.
Miss M.E. Brackenridge	11-12	2637	Rip Ford St.
W.F. Miller	A-19	2637	Rip Ford St.
Hrs J. Hutzler	A-25	2637	Rip Ford St.
W.F. Miller	6-15-16	2654	Rip Ford St.
Felipe Terrazas	13	2654	Rip Ford St.
Julia Barrera	14	2654	Rip Ford St.
H.L. Zumberge	3-4-11-15	5164	Austin St.
Mrs Mary E.B.O'Leary	3-4-Pt 5	1724	E. French Pl.
Alexander Pape	A-29	1261	Carson St.
Jessie D. Barton	A-10	793	Lexington Ave.
Mrs. F.A. Quinn	A-20	1833	
P.W. Hameton	A-17	1751	Park Ave.
Fannie E. Griffin	A-18	180	Romana & Navarro Sts.
Mrs Mary Degen	91	167	Bowie and Blum Sts.
M. Weyel	81	153	Blum St.
Joe Gutzeit	A-88	157	Blum St.
Mrs. K.J. Taylor	84	153	Blum St.
Annie Christian	85	153	Blum St.
Sophia Wipff	7	871	Blum St.
H.Y. Bohn	12	870	Blum St.
W.C. Sullivan	A-7	586	Live Oak & Center Sts.
Anton Hutzler Hrs	1-2	586	Center St.
Est. Kiobassa	3	586	Center St.
J.E. Heitgen	A-7	168	Center St.
M. Sodowsky	8	168	Center St.
St. Pauls Benevolent Sssn	9	168	Center St.
Baptist Church	1A-2	168	Center & Chestnut St.
Est. Thos Cuff	A-1	587	Center & Chestnut Sts.
Jacob Mutzig	1-2	587	Center St.
Ike Shklar	3	587	Center St.
Simon Christi	A-2	588	Center St.
Methodist Episcopal			
Pars nage	A-5-A-6	588	Center St.
Geo Lehr	7	588	Center St.
G.H. & S.A.R'y Co.	8	588	Center St.
Ellen Miller	A-24	579	Center St.
J. Conrade	A-25-A-27	579	Center St.
Taylor Wilson	A-28	579	Center St.
Thos Tengg	A-29	579	Center St.
S.A. Machine & Supply Co	10-11-12-13	581	Center St.
E.B. Chandler	7-8-A-14	588	Center St.
Ed. Steves & Sons	9	589	Center St.
Thos Magott	10	589	Center St.
Franz X. Ewig	11	589	Center St.
R. Bernard	12	589	Center St.
L.P. Boettler	7-9-12-14	590	Cherry & Swiss St.
O.W. Kraus	A-17	590	Cherry St.
Angeline Harrison	A-16	590	Cherry St.
L. Haas	3	590	Swiss St.
A. Lawrence	12	582	Center St.
Thos Tengg	A-16	582	Swiss St.
M. Arnicke	A-15	582	Swiss St.
C. Green	A-20	582	Swiss St.
Schurtzer	7	582	Swiss St.
Methodist Church	3	582	Swiss & Crockett St.
Delia Campbell	1-2	582	Crockett St.
L. Harpole	4	582	Crockett & Swiss St.
J.B. Flannery	8	582	Swiss St.
M. Johnson	10	582	Swiss St.
K. Luckenbach	14	582	Swiss St.
School Trustees	8	591	N. Hackberry St.
Walter Schumm	9-10	591	N. Hackberry St.
A. Gentzin	20	591	Hackberry St.
P. Maurer	18	592	Hackberry St.
S. Amrein	A-20	592	
W. Schumann	A-19	A&B 592	Hackberry & Center St.
J.B. Cover	XXXXXX 4	A-592	Center St.
Sarah Miller	5	A-592	Center St.
C. & M. Rudolph	6	A-592	Center St.
J.T. Brady	7	A-592	Center St.
C.J. Adams	8	A-592	Center St.
S.A. Allen	9	A-592	Center St.
N. Brooks	9	A-584	Center St.
J.W. Williams	A-6	584	Center St.
Miss M.A. Monard	A-7	584	Center St.
Hrs. J.W. & A.F. Harris	A-2	584	Hackberry St.
J.L. Walton	A-3-4	584	Hackberry St.
M.A. Monard	16	583	Hackberry St.
Monard	15	583	Hackberry St.
J.J. Gemblar	11-13	583	Hackberry St.

OWNER	LOT NO	N.C.B.NO.	LOCATION
J.W.Harriss	A-2	584	Hackberry St
M.Melville	Pt.1	583	Hackberry St.
Iola Scott	4	583	Crockett St.
West End Lumber Co.	5&6	583	Crockett St.
G.Koch	7	583	Crockett St.
L.Meyer	8	583	Crockett St.
C.Rotter	A-8	584	Crockett St.
L.Tengg	A-9	584	Crockett St.
P.Marchison	A-10	584	Crockett St.
McKinley Lodge K of P Trustees	11	584	Crockett St.
N.L.Morris	1	584	Crockett St.
Delia Campbell	A-2i	577	Crockett St.
Max Rotter	A-19	577	Crockett St.
Inman Berry	A-20	577	Crockett St.
Clemens Herden	A-18	577	Crockett St.
Steingruber	A-16-17	577	Crockett St.
A.Schneider	A-15	577	Crockett St.
August Briam 11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18		575	Crockett St.
C.C.Hauser	9	575	Cherry St.
L.Harpole	A-17	581	Crockett St.
S.A.Machine & Supply Co.	4-5-6	581	Crockett St.
Lottie Hogan	3	581	Crockett St.
R.A. & D.Campbell	1-2	581	Crockett St.
Sisters Divine Providence	69-70	152	Blum St.
P.W.Kraus	71	152	Blum St.
Caroline Bauer	73	152	Blum St.
Mrs B.J.Robb	74	152	Blum St.
Frederick Palm	75	152	Blum St.
Hrs Christian Nuetzel	76	152	Blum St.
C.H.Donegan	77	152	Blum St.
Est Mary Buttron	80	152	Blum St.
M.Edward Rowley	102	166	Blum St.
John Laager	101	166	Blum St.
Nick Tengg	Pt.100	166	Blum St.
T.B.Johnson	98	166	Blum St.
A.Seidel	92	166	Blum St.
Est H.W.Bitter	13	1006	Burleson St.
Mrs Fannie Porter	7	1369	Burleson St.
B.Livingston	6	1369	Burleson St.
Lillie M.Muenster	4	1369	Burleson St.
Adolph Newbauer	9-2	1368-1369	Burleson St.
M.Rapp	1	1369	Burleson St.
John Darragh	6,7,8,	1368	Burleson St.
Chris Fox	5	1368	Burleson St.
E. & W.Wegman	4	1368	Burleson St.
Wm.Lutis	3	1368	Burleson St.
Adler Minors	1-2	1368	Burleson St.
F.Williams	15	1301	Burleson St.
F.E.Clements	16	1301	Burleson St.
Aug Hartmann	18	1301	Burleson St.
M.H.Bolin	23	1300	Burleson St.
Lucy Alder	22	1300	Burleson St.
Est Chas Degen	95,96,97	166	Blum St.
Mrs A.Maxey	3	166	Bonham & Crockett St.
C.M.Edwards	18	144	South St.
E.D.Henry	A-17	1751	Euclid Ave.
Mrs M.C.B.Henry	13,14,16,18	256	Commerce Medina & Frio
Lula Badger	17	1386	So. Presa St.
J.F.Hanson	27	600	Omaha & Pine
Est H.Adler	21	1300	Burleson St.
Otto Wahrmond	8	467	13, & Ave B.

Section Two. That said improvements shall be constructed promptly in accordance with the specifications and other provisions contained in said ordinance of August 10, 1914, and that said work shall be commenced within thirty days after the service of notice on this order, and that said notices shall be given and all other things shall be done as therein provided; and that for failure to comply with or violation of this order, any person, association of persons, or corporation found guilty of such offense shall be fined not less than Five (\$5.00) Dollars nor more than Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars, all under and as in said ordinance of August 10, 1914, provided.

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

ATTEST:

[Signature]
CITY CLERK

APPROVED

[Signature]
MAYOR