

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

TUESDAY, APRIL 22nd, A. D. 1930, 10:00 A. M.

PRESENT: Honorable C. M. Chambers, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

On motion, of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the Minutes of April 14th, was dispensed with, and ordered approved.

---MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS---

Bids for Uniforms for the Police Dept. was read and referred to the City Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

Petition from the Woodlawn District against the removal of a Poultry Farm at 1803 W. Huisache Ave. Was read and ordered filed.

Petition from the Woodlawn District for the removal of a Poultry Farm 1803 W. Huisache Ave. and referred to the Health Dept. on April 14th, was returned as follows to-wit:

Hon. Mayor C.M.Chambers,
and Commissioners,
City of San Antonio, Texas.
Gentlemen:-

April 19, 1930.

At the regular session of the Board of Health held on April 18th, a petition was presented by Dr. King referred by yourself and Commissioners. This petition was signed by over six hundred citizens complaining of a poultry slaughter house located at 1803 W. Huisache Street.

The Board of Health after due consideration instructed me to return this petition, for the reason that this situation was "Not a menace to public Health and further that the Board of Health has no jurisdiction."

Yours respectfully,

Chas. E. Bosshardt.
Secretary, Board of Health.

Was again read and laid over for further consideration.

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the following petitions, were read and referred to the Commissioner of Fire and Police.

✓ Crowther Electrical Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign for Alamo Hat Works, 410 E. Houston.

✓ O. E. Fitzgerald, For approval of a location for Drive-in Station, 710 S. Pine Street.

Petition for Arc Lamp at Buena Vista and Minter Sts.

✓ Prest-O*Lite Co. for permit to erect a Factory 4470 Cassino Street.

✓ Texas Outdoor Adv. Co., for permit to erect Bill Boards 1724 S. St. Mary's St.

✓ Texas Outdoor Adv. Co., for permit to erect Bill Boards 1415 S. Presa Street.

Mrs. Pauline Preissman, For approval of location, for Drive-in Station S.E. Cor. Fredericksburg Road and W. Craig Place.

✓ C. A. Weeber, For approval of a location for Drive-in Station, S. E. Cor. Barrera & Alamo Sts.

✓ The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment So. Alamo and Barrera Streets.

✓ W. H. Wolter, For approval of a location for Drive-in gasoline Station, Lavaca and Water Sts.

✓ Humble Oil & Ref. Co., for permit to install gas equipment for C. G. Collins Service Sta. 4600 S. Presa St.

✓ T. L. Hall Service Station, for permit to install gas equipment 500 Meerscheidt Street.

A communication from the Woodlawn Sunday School Group, thanking the Mayor and Commissioners for the use of the Firemen in helping with the Easter Egg Hunt. Was read and accepted.

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the following petitions, were read and referred to the Commissioner of Streets and Public Impts.

A. P. Heinan, for removal of fence from Alley C. B. 3057.

Petition to change the name of Peter's Alley to Rose Lane.

The City Engineer, made the following recommendations, which were read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

B. G. Irish, for permit to vacate Plat O.C.E. 1, Range 1, District 5, Granted.

B. G. Irish, for permit for approval of plat, in O. C. L. 1, Range 1, District 5. Granted.

Commissioner Bushick, made the following recommendation, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

Marshall Ford Co. for refund of taxes account reduced equipment on gasoline tanks. Granted.

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 553 *MJ-585* AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$999.09 to pay Merchants' Bills.

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

The sum of \$999.09 and the same is hereby appropriated out of the following funds to pay Merchants' bills as per itemized invoices duly approved and now on file in the office of the City Auditor:

Zoo Fund - - - - -	\$ 211.76
Recreation Fund - - - - -	224.95
San Jose Burial Park Operating Fund - - - -	122.50
Police & Fire Building Fund of 1928 - - - -	10.08
Sewer Disposal & Sanitary Sewer Fund 1928 -	73.00
Street Opening & Widening Fund of 1928 - -	356.80
	<u>\$999.09</u>

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 554 *MJ-586* AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$21.05 out of St. Open. & Widen. Fd. of 1928 to meet payroll.

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

The following amount be and the same is hereby appropriated out of St. Open & Widen Fd. of 1928 to meet payroll ending April 15, 1930.

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 555 *MJ-587* AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$6,018.09 out of Advertising Fund to pay 1 note and interest.

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

The sum of \$6,018.09, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Advertising Fund to

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pay 1 note No. 1 for \$6,000.00 and interest of \$18.09, payable to the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas.

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

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No.556 AN ORDINANCE

Transferring \$25,000.00 from Bank to Bank.

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 \$25,000.00 of St. Opening & Widening Fund of 1926 from the City-Central Bank & Trust Co. to the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas.

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

77J-589

No.557 AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$50,000.00 out of 1929 General Fund to pay 1 note No. 5.

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

The sum of \$50,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1929 General Fund (Various Depts) payable to the Frost National Bank of San Antonio, Texas for the purpose of paying one note No. 5, of a series of notes Nos. 1 to 54 inc., drawn against the 1929 General Fund, in the sum of \$50,000.00 each, maturing on or before July 1, 1930.

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

77J-590

No.558 AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$2,006.03 out of Police and Firemen's Pension Fund to pay 1 note No. 1. and interest.

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

The sum of \$2,006.03, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Police & Firemens Pension Fund to pay 1 note No. 1 of the Firemen, Policemen & Fire Alarm Operator's Pension Fund Series, for \$2,000.00 and interest of \$6.03, payable to the City-Central Bank & Trust Co. of San Antonio, Texas.

Commissioner Bushick, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

77J-591

No.561 AN ORDINANCE

Refunding License Fee to Marshall Ford, Inc.

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

The sum of \$73.75 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the hereinafter named fund for the purpose of refunding to the said Marshall Ford Inc., License Fee for unexpired portion of year.

1929 General Fund - - - - - \$ 73.75

All as more fully set out in their petition for above refund bearing the favorable re-

commendation of the Commissioner of Taxation.

Commissioner Rubiola, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 559

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AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$750.00 to pay Jesse Kutzer on account of Personal Injuries Received.

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

1. That the sum of \$750.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1929 General Fund - Parks and Plazas Department, to pay Jesse Kutzer full compensation for personal injuries received in Roosevelt Park Swimming Pool on or about the 12th of June, 1926 and in full compromise and settlement of Cause No. B-46,207, in the 45th District Court, Bexar County, Texas, styled Adolph Kutzer, as next Friend for his minor son, Jesse Kutzer, vs. City of San Antonio.

2. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Rubiola, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote, on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 560

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AN ORDINANCE

AUTHORIZING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM THE SAN JOSE BURIAL PARK PERMANENT FUND TO THE SAN JOSE BURIAL PARK OPERATING FUND.

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

1. That the sum of \$1,234.33 being interest on daily deposits and on the investments of the San Jose Burial Park Permanent Fund, be transferred from the San Jose Burial Park Permanent Fund to the San Jose Burial Park Operating Fund, as provided in the ordinance creating the San Jose Burial Park, regulating the sale of lots therein and prescribing the method of its operation.

2. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Rubiola, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion adopted by unanimous vote.

RESOLUTION

ACCEPTING THE STAGE SWITCHBOARD, THE DIMMERS, BORDER LIGHTS, POCKETS, ETC., IN THE COLORED LIBRARY.

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

1. That the extras, consisting of the stage switchboard, the dimmers, border lights, pockets, etc., installed by the Travis Electric Company in the Colored Library, in and for the City of San Antonio, be and same are hereby accepted.

2. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Rubiola, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion adopted by unanimous vote.

RESOLUTION

Directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for electrical construction in Sunken Gardens, Brackenridge Park.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the city of San Antonio, that,

The City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for bids for the installation of electric wiring and equipment in the Sunken Gardens, Brackenridge Park, as per plans and specifications on file in the office of Harvey P. Smith, Architect. Bids to be received until 10 a. m. Monday April, 28th, 1930.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 562

77J-594

AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$940.76 to pay Southwest Bitulithic Co., for Paving of Travis St. River Bridge. (2" Warr, Bitul. Topping).

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

The sum of \$940.76 is hereby appropriated from the St. Paving Fund of 1928 to pay Southwest Bitulithic Co., for Paving of Travis St. River Bridge. (Regular (2") Two inch Warrenite Bitulithic Topping.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 563

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AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$1,500.00 to pay for constructing Railing on Opening Losoya St. from Commerce St. to Market St.

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

The sum of \$1,500.00 is hereby appropriated from the St. Opening & Widening Fund of 1928 to pay for constructing Railing on Opening Losoya St. from Commerce St. to Market St.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 564

77J-596

AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$1,404.42 to pay S. W. Bitulithic Co. the final estimate on paving Howard St. from Poplar St. to Laurel St.

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

The sum of \$1,404.42 is hereby appropriated from the St. Paving Fund of 1928 to pay Southwest Bitulithic Co., the final estimate on Paving Howard St. from Poplar St. to Laurel St.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 565

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AN ORDINANCE

APPROPRIATING \$3,698.00 OUT OF THE STREET OPENING AND WIDENING FUND OF 1928 TO ACQUIRE PROPERTY BETWEEN THE NORTH LINE OF EAST NUEVA STREET AND THE NORTH LINE OF LAVACA STREET FOR THE WIDENING OF SOUTH ALAMO STREET, AND REPEALING COUNCIL APPROPRIATION NO. 8.

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

1. That the sum of \$3,698.00 or as much thereof as is necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the Street Opening and Widening Fund of 1928, to pay Nell P. Goodman and Anita P. Harker, for land between the North line of East Nueva Street and the North line of Lavaca Street for the widening of South Alamo Street, according to the stipulations of an Ordinance levying Special Assessments on account of the improvements of South Alamo Street, passed and approved on the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1928;
2. Upon the delivery of the deed, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver a City Warrant in the above amount, and to accept payment for the Street Widening Benefit Assessment, and issue a release therefor, as provided in the Proceedure Ordinance.
3. That a certain ordinance, dated the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1929, appropriating \$3,698.00 out of the Street Opening and Widening Fund of 1928, Council Appropriation No. 8, to pay Nell P. Goodman for land necessary for the widening of South Alamo Street, be and the same is hereby repealed because the original ordinance did not include the share of Anita P. Harker.
4. PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd day of April, A. D. 1930.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

C. M. Chambers.
Mayor.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

No. 566

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AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$2200.00 for land needed in the vicinity of the Sewer Disposal Plant.

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

The sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred and no/100 (\$2200.00) Dollars, or as much thereof as is necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1928 Sewer Disposal and Sanitary Sewer Fund, to pay Messrs G. L. Musgraves and J. B. Swift, for approximately eight (8) acres of land, at Two Hundred seventy-five and no/100 (\$275.00) Dollars per acre, for use in connection with the Outfall Sewer Disposal Plant, subject, however to the approval of the City Attorney.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

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AN ORDINANCE

LEVYING SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS for the cost of the improvement of Marne Street, from South St. Marys Street to Guenther Street and to provide for the issuance of assessment certificates and for other purposes.

(For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol. 22, page 478).

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following ordinance, which was read and passed and approved, by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

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AN ORDINANCE

LEVYING SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS for the cost of the improvement of Fairplay Avenue from Roosevelt Avenue to Mission Road and to provide for the issuance of assessment certificates and for other purposes.

(For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol. 22, page 488).

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion adopted by unanimous vote.

RESOLUTION

Accepting the paving of Richmond Street, from Augusta to the Auditorium, Southwest Bitulithic Company, Contractors.

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

The City of San Antonio does hereby accept the paving of the Southwest Bitulithic Company, as per their contract dated April 15th, 1929, on Richmond Street from Augusta Street to the Auditorium, and in accordance with certificate of the City Engineer, dated April 22nd, 1930, and filed with the Board of Commissioners on this 22nd day of April, 1930.

San Antonio, Texas April 22nd, 1930.

Honorable Mayor & Board of Commissioners,
City of San Antonio, Texas,
Gentlemen:-

This is to certify that I have inspected the paving constructed by the Southwest Bitulithic Company, as per their contract on Richmond Street, from Augusta Street, to the Auditorium, dated April 15th, 1929, and the same has been accepted by me, for account of the City, on this 22nd, day of April, 1930.

Yours truly,
I. Ewig.
City Engineer.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion adopted by unanimous vote.

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RESOLUTION

ACCEPTING PROPOSAL OF Colglazier & Hoff, Inc. for paving of S. New Braunfels Avenue from Highland to Miller Street and authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor.

(For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Records, Vol. 22, page 493).

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion, adopted by unanimous vote.

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RESOLUTION

ACCEPTING PROPOSAL OF Colglazier & Hoff, Inc., for paving Miller Street from New Braunfels to Gevers Streets and authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor.

(For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Records, Vol. 22, page 495).

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion, adopted by unanimous vote.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the City Clerk to advertise for Bids for the construction of Sidewalks on Richmond Ave. between Augusta St. and Auditorium.

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

The City Clerk is hereby authorized to advertise for Bids for the construction of Sidewalks on Richmond Ave. between Augusta St. and Auditorium.

Commissioner Steffler, introduced the following resolution, which was on his motion adopted by unanimous vote.

RESOLUTION

Calling for bids for the construction of the West Avenue Sanitary Sewer Main- Construction Contract Sec. No. 103.

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

The City of San Antonio does hereby direct the City Clerk to advertise for bids for the construction of the West Avenue Sanitary sewer main, Contract Section No. 103, the approximate quantities being as follows:

1800 feet of 8" sewer pipe
1800 " "10" " "
14 manholes

as per plans and specifications on file in the office of the Sewer Engineer, City Hall, 4th Floor, which will be available on April 23rd, 1930. Bids will be received until 10 A. M. May 5th, 1930 at the office of the City Clerk. A certified check of \$250.00 must accompany each bid. The City of San Antonio reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Commissioner Wright, made the following recommendations, which were read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Chambers, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright.

Pioneer Oil & Ref. Co., for permit to install gas equipment 225 S. Flores Street. Granted.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment at Castroville and Cupples Road. Granted.

Natl., Outdoor Adv. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign at Houston & Main Ave. Granted.

Natl. Outdoor Adv. Co., for permit to erect Neon Window Signs 1205 El Paso Street. Granted.

C. D. Adams, for permit to erect Electric Sign at 101 W. Houston Street. Granted.

Travis Investment Co., For approval for location Drive-in Gas Station 305 N. Flores St. Granted.

Frank Saenz, For approval of site for Drive-in Gas Station 2019 El Paso Street. Granted.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment Bandera & Woodlawn Ave. Granted.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment Austin and Remount Roads. Granted.

Nat'l. Outdoor Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign Augusta & Lexington Ave. Granted.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment at Gonzales & Southerland Springs Rd. Granted.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment for Triangle Sales Co., 1501 S. Flores Street. Granted.

Jim Tafolla, for permit to replace gas equipment 701 Nogalitos St. Granted.

Yellow Cab Co., for permit to install gas equipment rear 326 E. Nueva Street. Granted.

The Texas Co., for permit to install gas equipment St. Mary's & Pecan Sts. Granted.

Loyd-Peal-Dittmar Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign for New England Cafeteria, 107 E. Houston Street. Granted.

Nat'l. Outdoor Corp., for permit to change location of Sign 135 Taylor St. Granted.

Neon-Metlox Elec. Sign Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 623 Broadway. Granted.

C. A. Weeber, for permit to install gas equipment at McCullough and Dewey Place. Granted.

A Committee representing the Citizens League of San Antonio, an organization engaged in a campaign in opposition to the proposed City Bond Issue to be voted upon May 7, 1930, presented a communication to the Commissioners requesting the appointment of two judges, two Clerks, and two supervisors to represent the opponents to the proposed bond issue. The Mayor stated that it was the intention of the Commissioners to allow the opponents of the bond issue to have representatives in each voting precinct, and a motion by Commissioner Wright to allow the Citizens

League to have two Supervisors in each voting precinct of the City, was duly seconded and carried. This arrangement was agreed to by the Committee representing the Citizens League, and they were requested to file with the Commissioners a list of names of Supervisors, duly qualified to act as such.

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

ATTEST: Jas Simpson
CITY CLERK.

APPROVED C. M. Chambers
MAYOR.