

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, MAY 21ST, A. D. 1936, 10:00 A. M.

PRESENT: Honorable Phil Wright, Acting Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler. Absent Hon. Mayor C. K. Quin.

On motion, of Commissioner Steffler, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the Minutes of the meetings of May 14th and May 18th was dispensed with and ordered approved.

---MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS---

Bids for furnishing the City with tractor, paving material, horse meat, cow meat, Fish, Incandescent Lamps, Cement, Gasoline, Publishing Official Notices, and Power Lawn Mower and garden hose, were opened and read and referred to City Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

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

Paul G. Baldwin, for permit to relocate gas pumps 847 N. Flores St.

Geo. L. Bragg, for permit to erect Electric Sign 1700 N. Zarzamora St.

Geo. L. Bragg Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 116 Main Ave.

Brown & Meta, for permit to install gas equipment Cor. Camada & N. Zarzamora Sts.

Citizens protesting repairing of building at 1817 Blanco Road.

Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 231 N. St. Mary's St.

Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 1705 Broadway.

Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 3905 S. Presa St.

Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 403 Main Ave.

Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 211½ College St.

Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 415 W. Travis St.

Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign S. W. Cor. Main & Woodlawn Ave.

Packer Corp. Of Texas, for permit to erect Electric Sign S. Presa & Claudia Sts.

Texas Neon Sign Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 910 S. Presa St.

Texas Neon Sign Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 221 E. Houston St.

Texas Neon Sign Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 504 Eager St.

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

AN ORDINANCE *MN-462*

ACCEPTING AND APPROVING THE SECURITIES PLEDGED BY THE ALAMO NATIONAL BANK OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, TO SECURE THE CITY FUNDS DEPOSITED AND TO BE DEPOSITED IN SAID BANK BY THE CITY DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1935, AND DIRECTING THE DEPOSITING OF SAID SECURITIES FOR SAFE-KEEPING, AND RELEASING THE SURETIES ON ALL BONDS HERETOFORE GIVEN BY SAID BANK AS CITY DEPOSITORY.

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

1. That the securities pledged with the Governing Body of the City of San Antonio by the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, as City Depository, to secure the Funds of said City

deposited and to be deposited, in said Bank, during the fiscal year beginning June 1, 1935 and ending May 31, 1936, be and the same are hereby accepted and approved, and that receipt signed by the Mayor, countersigned by the City Auditor, and attested by the City Clerk, be given said Bank for the securities pledged by it, which said securities are described as follows:

1-(a) Securities pledged by the Alamo National Bank are described in the attached Exhibit "A", which is made a part of this Ordinance by reference as fully as if were specified herein.

2. The Receipt given to said Bank for the securities pledged by it shall recite, in substance, that the said securities have been duly pledged with the Governing Body of the City of San Antonio, by the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, as a Depository of said City, deposited and to be deposited, in said Bank during the fiscal year beginning June 1, 1935, upon the terms and conditions prescribed and provided by law.

3. It is directed that said securities be deposited by the Mayor, for safe-keeping, in safe deposited box in the vaults of the Alamo National Bank rented by the City from said Bank.

4. That all securities on all bonds heretofore given to said City, by said Bank as City Depository, be and are hereby released from further liability as sureties on such bonds.

5. PASSED AND APPROVED this the 21st day of May, A. D. 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

EXHIBIT "A"

San Antonio, Texas.
May 20, 1936.

Received from the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas the following described securities pledged by said Bank with the governing body of the City of San Antonio, Texas for the purpose of securing the funds of said City of San Antonio, deposited and to be deposited in said Bank, by virtue of Ordinance passed October 3, 1935 of said City, to-wit:-

- (1) State of Texas First Series 4% Bonds, due 10/15/37, with all unmatured coupons attached, being Nos. 1108 to 1112, both incl; Nos. 4140 to 4144, both incl; at \$1,00 each - - - - - \$10,000.00
- (2) State of Texas 4 1/2% Second Series Bonds, due 3/1/38, with all unmatured coupons attached, being Nos. 1273 to 1315, both incl; Nos. 2165 to 2199, both incl; No. 2238 to 2247, both incl; @ \$1,000 each - - - - - \$88,000.00
- (3) U. S. 1 1/2% Treasury Notes of 3/15/41, Series A-1941, with all unmatured coupons attached, numbered as follows:-
 - No. 79. - - - - - \$500.00
 - No. 607. - - - - - \$1,000.00
 - Nos. 248 to 275. both incl @ \$10,000 each - - - - - 280,000.00
 - No. 338 - - - - - 100,000.00

\$381,500.00
- (4) U. S. 1 1/2% Treasury Note, Series B-1940, with all unmatured coupons attached, being No. 8265 for - - - - - \$100,000.00
- (5) City of San Antonio - 1935 - General Fund Notes, due on or before 7/1/36, as follows:-
 - No.40, dated 2/29/26 - - \$ 25,000.00
 - No.42, dated 3/14/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.44, dated 3/27/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.46, dated 4/1/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.48, dated 4.15/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.50, dated 4/17/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.52, dated 4/30/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.54, dated 4/30/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.56, dated 5/15/36 - - 25,000.00
 - No.58, dated 5/16/36 - - 25,000.00 - - - \$250,000.00
- (6) City of San Antonio Library Fund Notes - 1936 - due on or before 7/1/36, as follows:-
 - No. 8, dated 1/14/36 - - -\$ 2,000.00
 - No.10, dated 1/31/36 - - 2,000.00
 - No.12, dated 3/13/36 - - 2,000.00
 - No.14, dated 4/1/36 - - 2,000.00 - - - \$ 8,000.00

Grand Total of above securities - - - - - \$837,500.00

The said securities have been deposited in Safe Deposit Box No. C-456, and have been duly pledged with the governing body of the City of San Antonio, Texas, by the Alamo National Bank of

San Antonio, Texas, as a depository of said City for the purpose of securing the funds of said City, deposited and to be deposited in said Bank by virtue of Ordinance passed October 3, 1935, of said City, upon the terms and conditions prescribed and provided by law.

CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

(SEAL)

By: Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

COUNTERSIGNED:

Walter Tasch Auditor.

Gladys L. Lain. Asst. City Clerk.

W. J. Heye.

By: Frank H. Bushick.
Commissioner.

BANK REPRESENTATIVES:

W. N. Graff.

W. C. Herpel.

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

No. 402

AN ORDINANCE *MN-463*

Transferring \$5,000.00 from Back Tax General Fund to 1935 General Fund.

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

The Commissioner of Taxation, as exofficio, City Treasurer, and the City Auditor, be and they are hereby directed to transfer or cause to be transferred, the sum of \$5,000.00 to the 1935 General Fund, out of the Back Tax General Fund.

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this Ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

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

No. 403

AN ORDINANCE *- 464*

Appropriating \$150,000.00 out of 1936 General Fund to pay six (6) Notes Nos. 27 to 32 inclusive.

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

The sum of \$150,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1935 General Fund (Various Departments) to pay six (6) Notes Nos. 27 to 32 inclusive, of the 1935 General Fund Series, maturing on or before July 1, 1936, payable to the Frost National Bank and the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, as follows:

FROST NATIONAL BANK

Note No. 27	\$25,000.00
Note No. 29	\$25,000.00
Note No. 31	\$25,000.00
	<u>\$75,000.00</u>

ALAMO NATIONAL BANK

Note No. 28	\$25,000.00
Note No. 30	\$25,000.00
Note No. 32	\$25,000.00
	<u>\$75,000.00</u>

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this Ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

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

No.404 AN ORDINANCE *MN-465*

Appropriating \$1,000.00 for special services, materials & supplies.

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

The sum of \$1,000.00 or as much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated for special services, materials & supplies as per approved purchase orders filed with the City Auditor, out of the following funds:

Park Improvement Fund of 1936 - - - - - \$1,000.00

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

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

No.405 AN ORDINANCE *-466*

Appropriating \$268.27 out of 1935 General Fund to pay Taxes.

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

The sum of \$268.27, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1935 General Fund - Contingent Account, payable to City Tax Collector to pay City and School Taxes for 1935 on property purchased by the City for Park Purposes.

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this Ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

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

No.406 AN ORDINANCE *-467*

Appropriating \$600.00 to pay Kelly Construction Company, W. A. Kelly, President, for services in connection with rental of 1 10 ton Holt Tractor and a 12" grader with Scarfier for work at Wilburn Field, as per agreement of February 18, 1936.

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

The sum of Six Hundred (\$600.00) Dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1935 General Fund - Contingent Account - to pay Kelly Construction Company, W. A. Kelly, President, for the use of one ten (10) ton Holt Tractor and a 12" grader with Scarfier for work at

Winburn Field, grading runways, making cut on creek, general excavation, rolling and grading, for the purpose of permanent public improvements at Winburn Field, covering the period of time from March 29, 30, 31, 1936 - April 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 23, 24, 25, 27, 29, 30, 1936, and May 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 1936, (30 days) at the rate of \$20.00 per day.

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that this Ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

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

No. 407

AN ORDINANCE *MN-468*

APPROPRIATING \$300.00 TO PAY ANNIE M. SULLIVAN IN SETTLEMENT OF CAUSE B-6191, ENTITLED ANNIE M. SULLIVAN VS J. G. SARRAN, ET AL.

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

1. That \$300.00 be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1935 General Fund - Judgments & Suits Account, to pay Annie M. Sullivan for alleged damages to trees in front of 414 Broadway, in the City of San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas on December 29, 1930 and in settlement of Cause B-6191, in the 57th District Court, entitled Annie M. Sullivan vs J. G. Sarran, et al.

2. Upon execution of release, approved by the City Attorney, the Auditor is directed to deliver warrant in the above amount to Annie M. Sullivan.

3. It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that this ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

4. PASSED AND APPROVED this 21 day of May, A. D. 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Wright.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

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

No. 408

AN ORDINANCE *-469*

ACCEPTING PROPOSAL OF ED. FRIEDRICH SALES CORPORATION TO FURNISH ELECTRIC REFRIGERATOR FOR NEW COMMISSARY AT BRACKENRIDGE PARK ZOO, AUTHORIZING CONTRACT AND APPROPRIATING MONEY THEREFOR.

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

1. That the City of San Antonio does hereby accept the bid of Ed. Friedrich Sales Corporation, of San Antonio, Texas, dated the 13 day of May, 1936, and offering to furnish Electric Refrigerator and Compressor to be installed in new Commissary at Brackenridge Park Zoo, in and for said City in accordance with the written specifications and plans on file in the Park Commissioner's office, provided said part making said proposal shall strictly comply with all requirements made by or under the provisions of this ordinance and all instruments herein referred to, which are made a part hereof.

2. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to require and approve on behalf of the City proper

bond for the performance and completion of said undertaking.

3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to cause and require the execution and delivery of a written contract to be drawn in accordance with said proposal, and the terms and conditions understood and required as applicable to said matter.

4. That to defray the costs and expenses to be paid by the City by reason of the premises, \$1,585.00, or as much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is appropriated hereby out of the 1935 General Fund 1935 General Fund - Parks & Plazas Department.

5. All other bids are hereby rejected.

6. PASSED AND APPROVED this 21 day of May, A. D. 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

Commissioner Wright made the following recommendations, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit; Ayes, Wright, Bushick, Rubiola, Steffler. Nays, Quin. Absent. T. E. Barnes, for permit to install gas equipment 913 Victoria St. Granted. J. M. Guerra, for permit to install gas equipment 1200 Delaware St. Granted. Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 809 N. Flores St. Granted. New Sign Shop, for permit to erect Electric Sign 211 W. Market St. Granted. Puroil Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 901 Nogalitos St. Granted. Modern Neon Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 523 Arbor Place. Granted. R. T. Pruitt & Edwin Lamm, For approval of site for Drive-in Sta. Broadway & Carry Ave. Granted. R.T. Pruitt & Edwin Lamm, for permit to install gas equipment Cor. Broadway & Carry Ave. Granted. Scho-White Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 1514 Broadway. Granted. Texas Neon Sign Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 517 E. Houston St. Granted. Texas Neon Sign Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 517 E. Houston St. Granted.

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

No.409

AN ORDINANCE *MN-470*

ACCEPTING THE PROPOSAL OF GENERAL SUPPLY COMPANY AND APPROPRIATING THE SUM OF \$1379.17 OR AS MUCH OF SAID SUM AS MAY BE REQUIRED, OUT OF THE 1935 GENERAL FUND.

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

The within proposal, insofar as it relates to one carload as itemized only, of General Supply Company to furnish the City of San Antonio, Street Cleaning Department, with one carload of fire Brick, cement, etc. be and the same is hereby accepted, and that the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to enter on said proposal an acceptance of same as above specified of and as the act of City of San Antonio, Texas; and, that the sum of Thirteen Hundred seventy-nine and 17/100 Dollars, or as much of said sum as may be required, be and it is hereby appropriated out of the 1935 General Fund, Street Cleaning Department, for payment thereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

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

No.410

AN ORDINANCE *MN-471*

Repealing an Ordinance.

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

An Ordinance passed and approved Feb. 27, 1934 being Council Appropriation No. 258; appropriating \$600.00 out of Flood Prevention Fund of 1924 to pay share of City of San Antonio in Civil Works Project 4652-D-6 and 601-C-8 to improve San Pedro Creek, be and the same is hereby repealed and cancelled.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

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

No.411

AN ORDINANCE - 472

Repealing an Ordinance.

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

An Ordinance passed and approved on September 8, 1931 being Council Appropriation No. 102 appropriation No. 102 appropriating \$100.00 out of the Flood Prevention Fund of 1923 to pay J. D. Vasbinder for one half undivided interest in Lot 9, C.B. 2595 be and the same is hereby repealed and cancelled.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

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

No.412

AN ORDINANCE - 473

Appropriating \$21.50 to pay Mr. L. M. Lux for repairs to sewer line, incident to sunken sewer main.

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

The sum of Twenty-one and 50/100 (\$21.50) Dollars, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1936 General Fund, Sewer Construction Department, to pay Mr. D. M. Lux, for repairs to his sanitary sewer line at 516 West Euclid Avenue, caused by sunken storm sewer trench, as per letter attached.

It is ordered by a two-thirds vote of the full Board of Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that this Ordinance shall receive final action without having been read at three several meetings of the Commission.

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 21st day of May, 1936.

Phil Wright.
Acting Mayor.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

Communication from Altrusa Society with reference to cutting of weeds. Was read and referred to the City Health Officer.

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

AN ORDINANCE

PROVIDING FOR THE INSTALLATION, CONSTRUCTION, EXISTENCE, USE AND MAINTENANCE OF AN UNDERPASS AT THE INTERSECTION OF SAN PEDRO AVENUE WITH THE PROPERTIES AND TRACKS OF THE INTERNATIONAL- GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY AND GUY A. THOMPSON, TRUSTEE, INTERNATIONAL-GREAT NOTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY, DEBTOR.

(For full text of this ordinance see Ordinance Book "H" page 538).

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

APPROVED

Phil Wright
ACTING MAYOR.

ATTEST:

Jas. Thompson
CITY CLERK.