

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, JULY 20TH, A.D.1922, 4 P.M.

PRESENT: Honorable O. B. Black, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Pfeiffer, Lambert, Rieden, Wright.

Minutes of previous meeting were ordered approved.

---MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS---

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Taxation:
 Wm. Will, for refund of taxes.
 Sol Frank, for adjustment of taxes.
~~For arc light, Denver Blvd and Mittman Street.~~
 Texas Bitulithic Company, for refund of taxes.

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Fire and Police:
 For arc light, Denver Blvd and Mittman Streets.
 For arc light, Porter Street and New Braunfels Ave.
 For arc light Bryant St. and Saunders Ave.
 E.A.Zollner, for permit to install gasoline tank and pump.

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Parks, etc:
 Kiwanis Club, regarding swimming pool in San Pedro Park.
 S.A.City Club, regarding swimming pool in San Pedro Park.

Proposal of San Antonio Metal Sign Co. for erecting street naming signs, was read and referred to City Attorney.

A resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into negotiations with Syndicate Power Co. regarding furnishing City with power was read and held over.

Commissioner Lambert recommended that the petition of Labor Day Committee for use of San Pedro Park Sept. 3 and 4, 1922, be granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Wright made the following recommendations, which were adopted:
 T.H.Wallace, for permit to install gas tank, granted.
 J.B.Reynolds, for permit to install gas tank, etc and drive-in-filling station N.C.B.386, granted.
 E.H.Hill, for permit to install gas tank, etc. 721 Seguin Street. granted.
 Central Auto Laundry, for permit to install gas pump, etc, granted.
 Five Point Gas Filling Sta. for permit to install gas tank etc. granted.
 Warren E. Long, for refund of plumbing permit, granted.

Commissioner Wright introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Black, Pfeiffer, Lambert, Rieden, Wright.

ME-660
 No. 130 AN ORDINANCE
 Appropriating \$146.00 to purchase Government pistols and cartridges.
 BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of One Hundred and Forty Six Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1922 General Fund, Police Dept. to purchase twelve (12) pistols and cartridges for use in Police Dept.

The City Engineer recommended that the paving of Woodward Place be awarded the Southwest Bitulithic Company. Adopted.

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 Commissioner Rieden introduced the following ordinances, which were read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Black, Pfeiffer, Lambert, Rieden, Wright.

No. 132 ORDINANCE ACCEPTING PROPOSAL
 An ordinance accepting proposal of Southwest Bitulithic Company for paving of Woodward Place from Dwyer Ave. to S.A.River and authorizing contract and appropriating money therefor.
 (For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol 10, page 673)

-662
 AN ORDINANCE
 Levying assessments for the cost of the improvement of Lamar Street from So. Pac. R.R. to Pine 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 10, page 673)

-663
 AN ORDINANCE
 Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of Pine Street from Commerce Street to Nolan 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 10, page 685)

-664
 AN ORDINANCE
 Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of Martinez Street from Garden Street to S.Alamo 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 10, page 699)

-665
 AN ORDINANCE
 Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of Burnet Street from Hackberry Street to Pine 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 10, page 707)

-665.1
 Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of Grand Avenue from Austin Street to Avenue C, and to provide for the issuance of assessment certificates and for

other purposes.

(For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol 10, page 631)

ME-666

AN ORDINANCE

Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of Burnett Street, from Pine Street to New Braunfels Avenue and to provide for the issuance of assessment certificates and for other purposes.

(For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Records, Vol 10, page 641)

AN ORDINANCE

-667

Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of Howard Street from W.Euclid Avenue to W.Poplar 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 10, page 657)

-667.1

Levying special assessments for the cost of the improvement of Pine Street from Nolan Street to Grayson 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 10, page 665)

The following resolution was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

-667.2

Approving report and roll filed by the City Engineer with reference to improvements to be constructed on New Braunfels Avenue with attached documents. *in to carry*

(For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Records, Vol 10, page 677)

Commissioner Pfeiffer introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Black, Pfeiffer, Lambert, Rieden, Wright.

AN ORDINANCE

-668

Appropriating \$56.07 to pay Mrs D.E.Colp.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$56.07 (the San Antonio School Boards proportion being ~~\$56.07~~ \$15.96 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1920 General Fund to pay Mrs D.E.Colp account of tax collected in error.

The following temporary budget was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Black, Lambert, Rieden, Wright, Nay, Pfeiffer.

Temporary BUDGET ESTIMATES 1922-1923

MAYOR

Mayor and Commissioners Dept.	\$30,600.00
City Clerk Dept.	6,900.00
Auditors Department	11,000.00
Purchasing Agents Dept.	8,280.00
City Attorneys Dept.	13,400.00
Corporation Court Dept.	5,000.00
Weights and Measures Dept.	1,600.00
Health Dept.	73,050.00
Water Dept.	65,000.00
Hospital Dept.	45,000.00
Contingencies and Interest	100,000.00
Library	34,000.00

COMMISSIONER OF TAXATION

Assessor's Dept.	29,357.00
Back Tax Dept.	10,935.00
Tax Collector's Dept.	11,797.00
License and Dues Dept.	4,720.00

COMMISSIONER OF PARKS AND SANITATION

Parks and Plazas Dept.	94,594.00
Plumbing and Sewer Dept.	19,594.00
Market House Dept.	8,040.00
Garbage and C & S. Dept.	215,997.00
Sanitary Dept.	22,940.00
City Mission Cemetery Dept.	7,334.00
Rivers & Ditches Dept.	11,000.00
Old City Cemetery Dept.	6,690.00
Mechanical, Elevator & Janitor Dept.	7,200.00

STREET COMMISSIONER

Materials	60,000.00
Sewer Dept (Materials)	20,000.00
Engineering Dept. (Materials)	10,000.00
Material Yard Improvements	7,000.00
Rock Quarry Improvements	4,000.00
Repair-Storm Damage	99,000.00
Pay Rolls all departments	498,392.00

POLICE COMMISSIONER

Police Dept.	308,040.00
Fire Dept.	346,265.00
Lights Dept.	70,000.00
Fire & Police Building Dept.	14,960.00
City Electrician, Fire & Police Alarm Depts.	15,915.00
Fire Marshall Dept.	2,400.00

Grand Total \$2,300,000.00

A communication signed by "Library Board" for colored people, requesting that the City not interfere in regard to the Community House, was read and ordered filed.

A number of communications from Colored organizations favoring a plan by which the City would take over the property of the Community House to be used as a Public Library, were received and ordered filed. The Commissioners were addressed by Mr. Nat Washer, and others, in regard to the proposition, and the matter was referred to the City for investigation.

Several parties addressed the Commissioners protesting against the removal of the street car tracks on N. Pine Street.

Bids for eight solid tires for City trucks; also bids to supply the City with lumber were opened and referred to City Purchasing Agent.

Hearings to the owners of property interested in the improvement of Howard Street, Euclid Avenue to Poplar Street; Pine Street, Nolan Street to Grayson Street; Burnett Street, Pine Street to New Braunfels Avenue, were held.

(For full particulars see Record of Hearings, pages 18, 20, and 22)

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

APPROVED W. B. Adams
MAYOR.

ATTEST:

O. C. Spangler
CITY CLERK.