

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH, A.D.1918. 4 P.M.

PRESENT: Honorable Sam C. Bell, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Coy, Heuermann, Lowther.

Minutes of previous meeting were ordered approved.

-----MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS-----

The following petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Fire and Police:

L.W.Williams, for permit to install gasoline equipment at 737 N.Flores Street.

Liberty Garage " " " " " " Nacogdoches & Bowie Streets.

Clifton George Co. " " " " " " Ave E & E.Houston St.

Citizens complaining of cess pool on Cincinnati Avenue was referred to Health Department for investigation and abatement.

Commissioner Heuermann introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Heuermann, Lowther.

No. 268.
The State of Texas.
County of Bexar.
City of San Antonio.

AN ORDINANCE

Accepting proposal of W.W.Lehr and Bro. for sidewalk construction and authorizing contract and appropriating money therefor.

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

Section 1. (Acceptance) That the City does hereby accept the written proposal of said party named in the caption hereof, dated February 4, 1918 and offering to construct a sidewalk on the west side of C.B.153 fronting on Bowie Street in and for said City in accordance with the written specifications and description and drawings prepared and submitted by the City Engineer provided said party 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.

Section 2. (Appropriation) That to defray the costs and expenses to be paid by the City by reason of the premises, the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, shall be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1917 General Fund and said funds so appropriated shall be kept in a separate account to be designated as Special Fund for constructing sidewalk in front of C.B.153

Commissioner Heuermann introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Heuermann and Lowther.

No. 269

AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$1297.36 out of the 1917 General Fund to pay for car Tarvia delivered in San Antonio.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Twelve Hundred Ninety Seven and 36/100 Dollars (\$1297.36) or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated out of the 1917 General Fund to pay for one car (10043 gallons) Tarvia for use on road to Kelly Aviation Field.

(see itemized bills on file in office of City Auditor.)

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The following resolution was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City be and he is hereby directed to call for bids for the construction of a sanitary sewer known as Trinity Street main, beginning at Trinity Street and Ruiz Street to Cincinnati Avenue and Navidad Streets, bid to be received until 4 o'clock p.m. on February 28th.

Commissioner Lowther recommended that the following petitions be granted:
Market Harness and Auto Top Co. for permit to install gasoline tank, 1111 W.Commerce.
H.C.Harris, " " " " " " Seguin Road.
Brooker and Co. for electric sign 520 E.Houston Street.
Stires Out Door Adv. Co. to erect bill board on roof 720 E.Houston Street.
" " " " " " " " 720 E. Houston Street.

Commissioner Lowther introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Heuermann, Lowther.

NO. 270 AN ORDINANCE

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BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of \$51.75 be and is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund of 1917 to pay the following amounts, to-wit:

J.W.Caruthers, expenses incurred to Austin and Smithville and return in connection with Blum and Kaufmann Robbery cases \$31.75

Wm. Louthian, expenses incurred to Austin, Smithville and return in connection with Blum and Kaufman robbery cases \$20.00

The following ordinance was read and adopted: by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Heuermann, Lowther.

AN ORDINANCE

Making it unlawful for any person or persons not husband and wife to register as husband and wife, etc.

(For full text of this ordinance see Ordinance Book F, page 305)

Commissioner Lowther submitted the following appointment, which was confirmed by the following vote on roll call, to-wit:

A.D.Hailes, Detective.

Commissioner Lowther recommended the installation of streets lights at the following points, to-wit:

Arc lamps in the 1700 block on S.Presa Street. North Pine and Burleson; Blanco Road and W.Craig Place; Ferguson Ave and Dakota Street; between the 300 and 400 block on Mission Street; Erie Ave and E.Quincy Street; S.Leona and Colima Streets; Brazos Street and W.Arbor Street; Lakeview Ave and N.Medina Street; Gevers Street and Preston Ave. Denver Boulevard and New Braunfels Ave; Cameron Street and Marshall Street; Ruiz Street and San Jacinto Street; River Avenue and Humphries Street; and 250 Watt lamps at Jones Ave and Edmunds Street; and at Trinity Street and Lombrano Street. Adopted.

The following ordinance was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Bell, Coy, Heuermann, Lowther.

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 the 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 said 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 such respective street or public place being as follows, to-wit:

OWNER	LOT OR LOTS NO.	NEW CITY BLOCK NO.	LOCATED ON.
St John Church	1	537	N.Cherry Street
Trace Seffel	3	537	N.Cherry Street.
Davis Estate	2	537	N.Cherry Street
M. Casey	4	537	N.Cherry Street.

Section Two. That such improvements shall be constructed 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 Dollars, all under ~~and~~ and as in said ordinance of August 10, 1914, provided.

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

APPROVED:

James C. Bell
MAYOR

ATTEST:

[Signature]
CITY CLERK

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