

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD, A. D. 1933, 10:00 A. M.

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

On motion, of Commissioner Wright, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the Minutes of the meeting of November, 16th, was dispensed with, and ordered approved.

---MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS---

No bids were received in answer to the advertisement of the City to sell seven obsolete cars belonging to the Police and Fire Alarm Departments. Upon motion of Commissioner Wright, duly seconded and carried, the Chief of Police was directed to sell these cars at public auction, provided this action would not be in violation of any provision of the City Charter.

All bids to supply the City with gasoline, opened Nov. 16, 1933, were, on motion of Commissioner Wright, duly seconded and carried, rejected, and the City Purchasing Agent was directed to advertise for new bids.

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

Graham & Collins Elec. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 1210 E. Elmira Street.

Graham & Collins Elec. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 300 S. Alamo, St.

Graham & Collins Elec. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 1236 S. Hackberry Street.

Graham & Collins Elec. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 2200 E. Houston Street.

Graham & Collins Elec. Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 4005 S. Flores Street.

Shafer Plumbing & Electric Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 1425 Broadway.

Shafer Plumbing & Electric Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 1215 Broadway.

Shafer Plumbing & Electric Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 112 Losoya Street.

Humble Oil & Ref. Co., for permit to replace Elec. Sign at 1101 N. Laredo Street.

Humble Oil & Ref. Co., for permit to replace Electric Sign 1630 N. Zarzamora Street.

Jose A. Elizondo, for permit to install gas equipment 603 Ruiz Street.

S. Cortez, for permit to install gas equipment Guadalupe & Minter Sts.

Neon Signs & Service Inc., for permit to erect Electric Sign Cor. Austin & Eighth Sts.

Neon Signs & Service Inc., for permit to erect Electric Sign for Western Union. Cor. Presa-Commerce.

Neon Signs & Service Inc., for permit to erect Electric Sign 819 W. Commerce Street.

Neon Displays Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 426 W. Houston Street.

Talcott Electric Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 116 Broadway.

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

Wm. H. Dillion, for refund of Cigarette License.

A. R. Jones, for refund of Cigarette License.

W. J. Gemblor, for refund of Cigarette License.
 Roosevelt Park Stand, for refund of Cigarette License.
 Log Cabin. Inn., for refund of Cigarette License.
 A. Martinez & Son, for refund of Cigarette License.
 Walters Pharmacy, for refund of Cigarette License.
 S. P. Lunch Room, for refund of Beer License.
 Olin King (1 & 2) for refund of Cigarette License.
 Brewers Distributing Co., for refund of Beer License.
 Schliz Garden, for refund of Beer License.
 D. H. Hadley, for refund of Cigarette License.
 Robert E. Lee Hotel, for refund of Cigarette License.
 Original Mexican Candy Shop, for refund of Cigarette License.
 Milam Cafeteria, for refund of Beer License.

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

AN ORDINANCE *MM-14*

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF A PORTION OF HIGHWAY NO. 27 IMPROVED UNDER THE NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT.

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

1. That the Mayor of the City of San Antonio, is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into and execute on behalf of the City of San Antonio the following agreement with the Texas Highway Department:-

2. "The City of San Antonio, State of Texas, hereinafter referred to as City, and the Texas Highway Department, hereinafter referred to as the Highway Department, hereby agrees as follows:

"1. That the Highway Department will submit a project for the improvement of 0.50 miles of the Municipal highway from East City Limits to 1/2 Mi. West on Rigsby Avenue, known as Rigsby Avenue, and to be designated as Texas project No. NRM 758, and will recommend its approval by the Secretary of Agriculture for construction with funds apportioned to the State under Section 204 of the National Industrial Recovery Act; subject, however, to the condition that the City of San Antonio shall provide for its proper maintenance after completion of its improvement.

"2. That the said City of San Antonio hereby request the Highway Department to submit the aforementioned project with recommendation that it be approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, and agrees that if such project is approved and constructed by the Highway Department and the Secretary of Agriculture it thereafter, at its own cost and expense, will maintain the project in a manner satisfactory to them, or their authorized representatives, and will make ample provision each year for such maintenance.

" In Witness Whereof, the parties have hereunto affixed their signatures, the City of San Antonio on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and the highway Department on the _____ day of _____, 19____."

3. PASSED AND APPROVED on this 23rd day of November, 1933.

 C. K. Quin.
 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, Quin, Rubiola, Steffler, Wright. Nays, Bushick. Absent.

AN ORDINANCE *MM-15*

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF A PORTION OF HIGHWAY NO. 3 IMPROVED UNDER THE NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL RECOVERY ACT.

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

1. That the Mayor of the City of San Antonio is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into and execute on behalf of the City of San Antonio the following agreement with the Texas Highway Department:-

2. "The City of San Antonio, State of Texas, hereinafter referred to as City, and the Texas Highway Department, hereinafter referred to as the Highway Department, hereby agree as follows:

"1. That the Highway Department will submit a project for the improvement of 0.200 miles of the Municipal highway from East City to intersection Rio Grande & Commerce Streets, known as East Commerce Street, and to be designated as Texas project No. NRM 633, and will recommend its approval by the Secretary of Agriculture for construction with funds apportioned to the State under Section 204 of the National Industrial Recovery Act; subject, however, to the condition that the City of San Antonio shall provide for its proper maintenance after completion of its improvement.

"2. That the said City of San Antonio hereby request the Highway Department to submit the aforementioned project with recommendation that it be approved by the Secretary of Agriculture, and agrees that if such project is approved and constructed by the Highway Department and the Secretary of Agriculture it thereafter, at its own cost and expense, will maintain the project in a manner satisfactory to them, or their authorized representatives, and will make ample provision each year for such maintenance.

"In Witness Whereof, the parties have hereunto affixed their signatures, the City of San Antonio on the _____ day of _____, 19____, and the Highway Department on the _____ day of _____, 19____".

3. PASSED AND APPROVED on this 23rd day of November, 1933.

ATTEST: Jas. Simpson.
City Clerk.

C. K. Quin,
Mayor.

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

No. 1

AN ORDINANCE - *16*

Appropriating \$177.93 to pay Merchants' Bills.

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

The sum of \$177.93 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 - - - - -	\$60.96
Market House Fund - - - - -	29.17
Golf Course Fund - - - - -	73.80
San Jose Burial Park Operating Fund - - -	14.00
	<u>\$177.93</u>

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

No. 1

AN ORDINANCE - *17*

Appropriating money out of Various Funds for Payrolls.

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

The following amounts or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same are hereby appropriated out of the hereinafter named funds for payrolls, period ending Nov. 30, 1933.

Market House Fund - - - - -	500.00
Golf Course Fund - - - - -	-1,000.00
San Jose Bur. Pk. Oper Fd. - - -	500.00
Cemetery Fund - - - - -	200.00

Trench Fund - - - - -	1,000.00
Pol & Fire'mens Pen Fd. - -	2,000.00
	<u>5,200.00</u>

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

No.159

AN ORDINANCE *MM-18*

Transferring \$30,000.00 from Bank to Bank.

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

The Commissioners 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 \$30,000.00 of General Sinking Fund from the Frost National Bank to the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas.

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

No.160

AN ORDINANCE - *19*

Appropriating \$15.00 out of the City of San Antonio Excavation Trust Account for Refund and Repair.

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

The sum of \$15.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of Excavation Trust Account for Refund and Repair as per City Engineer's letter of November 22, 1933, as follows:

Adolf Grasso - Refund - - - - -	\$ 7.85
City of San Antonio Paving cut	
Repair - - - - -	7.15
	<u>\$ 15.00</u>

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

No.161

AN ORDINANCE - *20*

Appropriating \$1,550.00 out of Improvement District Sinking Funds to pay Interest Coupons.

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

The sum of \$1,550.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated, payable to the Alamo National Bank of San Antonio, Texas, for matured interest coupons, out of the following Improvement District Sinking Funds:

Sinking Fund - Improvement District	No. 3 - - - -	\$ 200.00
" " - " "	No. 7 - - - -	200.00
" " - " "	No. 8 - - - -	500.00
" " - " "	No. 9 - - - -	650.00
		<u>\$1,550.00</u>

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

- I. K. Forrester, for permit to install gas equipment 524 Fredericksburg Road. Granted.
- Ed. Seeling, For approval of site for Drive-in Sta. 729 E. Houston Street. Granted.
- Ed. Seeling, for permit to install gas equipment 729 E. Houston Street. Granted.
- Norman G. Bodet, For approval of site for Drive-in Sta. 229 Goliad Street. Granted.
- Neon Signs & Service Inc., for permit to erect Electric Sign lll Alamo Plaza. Granted.

National Outdoor Adv. Corp., for permit to erect Electric Sign 329 E. Josephine Street. Granted.
 Frank Garza, for permit to erect curb pump Sta. 735 Nogalitos Street. Granted.
 Neon Signs & Service Inc., for permit to erect Electric Sign 318 N. St. Mary's Street. Granted.
 Neon Displays Co., for permit to erect Electric Sign 1715 Broadway. Granted.

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

No. 161 AN ORDINANCE *MM-21*

Transferring \$47,000.00 from Back Tax Fund to 1933 General Fund.

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 \$47,000.00 from Back Tax Fund to the 1933 General Fund.

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

No. 167 AN ORDINANCE *-22*

Appropriating \$60,000.00 out of 1933 General Fund to pay one Note No. 3.

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

The sum of \$60,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of 1933 General Fund (Various Depts.) payable to the Frost National Bank, to pay one Note No. 3, of the 1933 General Fund Series, for \$60,000.00 maturing on or before July 1, 1934.

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

No. 16 AN ORDINANCE *-23*

Refunding Cigarette and Beer License fees.

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

The hereinafter named parties be refunded in the amount set opposite their names due to the repeal of the Cigarette License Law and the hereinafter named party be refunded in the amount set opposite his name as unsued portion of Beer License fee, all as more fully set out in their petitions for refund, bearing the favorable recommendation of the Commissioner of Taxation:

Cigarette License Fees refunded as follows:

Central Grocery, Central Grocery and Market	- - - - -	2.50
Garden Fruit Co., Garden Fruit Store No. 1		
Theodore E. Nicalaou	- - - - -	-2.50
Garden Fruit Store No. 2, Theodore E. Nicalaou	- - - - -	2.50
Laurel Shope Drug Store, Dan A. Groh	- - - - -	2.50
Red & White, O. E. Sides,	- - - - -	2.50
Jesus Valdez,	- - - - -	2.50

Beer License fee refunded as follows:

Walkathon Stadium, Max Grossman,	- - - - -	27.11
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and that the sum of forty-two dollars and eleven cents (\$42.11) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the "General Interest Fund" for the purpose of making the above refunds.

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

ATTEST: *Gas*
CITY CLERK.

APPROVED: *[Signature]*
MAYOR