

MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

FRIDAY, MAY 12TH., A. D. 1922 4 P. M.

PRESENT: Hon. O. B. Black, Mayor, Presiding, and Commissioners, Pfeiffer, Rieden, Wright. Absent, Lambert.

Minutes of Previous Meeting were ordered approved.

--MEMORIALS & PETITIONS--

The following Petitions were read and referred to Commissioner of Taxation:

Petition of Geo. W. Wilson for correction of assessment.
 Petition of Thos. Z. Barry for correction of assessment of property on Ave D.
 Petition of Wm. O. Wood for cancellation of taxes on personal property for years 1911-1912-1913.
 Petition of E. Longini for cancellation of Taxes.
 Petition of Texas Polish News Publishing Company for cancellation of taxes for the years 1918-1920 and 1921.
 Petition of I. N. Bettison for cancellation of taxes.
 Petition of Geo. P. Davis for refund of taxes.
 Petition of A. W. Zerr for refund of taxes.
 Petition of Sisters of the Society of St. Theresa of Jesus for exemption from taxation.
 Petition of Chas. & Ida Dunbar for correction of assessment and refund.
 Petition of First Church of Christ for exemption from taxation.
 Petition of Sam Lucchese for correction of assessment.
 Petition of H. B. Allen for refund of taxes.

Petition of Les Jeunesses by Rosemary Capurro for permit to use San Pedro Park Pavillion on May 29th 1922, was read and referred to Commissioner of Parks etc.

Petition to have San Juan St. Repaired was read and referred to Commissioner of Streets etc

Petition Re: Water at intersection of Huisache Ave and Blanco Road was read and referred to the Board of Health.

The following Petitions were read and referred to the Mayor of the City of San Antonio:
 Proposal of W. H. Hearne to purchase lots belonging to the city.
 Petition of A. A. Luther for application for permit to operate 100 motor cars in local Street transportation.

The following Petitions were read and referred to the Commissioner of Fire and Police:
 Petition of Quick Tire Service, 308 Alamo Plaza to move sign from Crockett St. to our roof for convenience of new Fire Station.
 Petition of S. J. Johnson, J. W. McDade and W. O. Boyd for permit to erect Tent on S. E. corner of S. Pine and Virginia Blvd. for a period of thirty days.
 Petition D. Martinez for Crockett Auto Livery to Install Gasoline pump and tank at 109 Galan St.

Commissioner Wright made the following recommendations which were adopted:

Petition of J. E. Helmer to erect electric sign at 213 N. St. Mary's St. granted.
 Petition of J. J. O'Gara to Install gasoline pump and tank at 1122 E. Commerce St. granted.
 Petition of Alzafar Shrine for permit to erect Electric Light Streamers on St. Mary's Street from Houston to Martin Streets. Granted.
 Petition of Triangle Sales Company, 1501 S. Flores St. to install gasoline pump and tank granted.

The City Engineer made the following recommendations which were adopted:
 That the bid of the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company for paving of Howard Street, from W. Euclid to W. Poplar Street, be accepted. Adopted.
 That the bid of W. H. Davis for macadamizing of S. Cherry St. from Rockwood Court to Chicago Blvd. be accepted. Adopted.
 That the bid of S. P. Bennett for macadamizing of S. Cherry St. from Schley Ave to Rockwood Court, be accepted. Adopted.
 That the bid of Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company for paving of S. Santa Rosa Ave from Dolorosa to S. Laredo St., be accepted. Adopted.

Commissioner Rieden introduced the following ordinances which were read and Passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, towit:- Ayes, Black, Pfeiffer, Rieden, Wright.

ME-446 No. 599.

An Ordinance

Appropriating \$6000.00 to pay McKenzie Construction Co.
 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, that, the sum of \$6000. be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (St. Com. Dept) to pay McKenzie Construction Company for grading and macadamizing Simpson Street from Probandt Street to S. Flores Street.

-447 No. 600.

An Ordinance.

Appropriating \$4000.00 to pay Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company.
 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, THAT, the sum of

\$4000.00 is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (St. Com. Dep) to pay Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co. for grading on Agarita Ave., Mulberry Ave. Breeden Ave and Huisache Ave., as per estimate of City Engineer.

ME-448

No. 601.

An Ordinance.

Appropriating funds to pay S. P. Bennett.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, THAT,
1st. That the sum of \$287.06 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (St. Com. Dep.) to pay S. P. Bennett for gravelling work on Virginia and Parsons Street.
2nd. That the sum of \$608.13 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (St. Com. Dep.) to pay S. P. Bennett for grading work on Peach and Boerne Streets, all as per estimate of City Engineer hereto attached.

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No. 603.

An Ordinance.

Accepting Proposal of the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company for the paving of HOWARD STREET, from W. Euclid to W. Poplar St. and Authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor. (For full text of this Ordinance see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 291).

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No. 602.

An Ordinance.

Accepting Proposal of the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company for the paving of S. SANTA ROSA AVE., between Dolerosa and S. Laredo St., and Authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor. (For full text of this Ordinance see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 293).

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No. 598.

An Ordinance.

Accepting Proposal of Elder Construction Company for constructing re-inforced concrete bridge on the site of the present Mill Bridge and Authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor. (For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 297).

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No. 597.

An Ordinance.

Accepting Proposal of Elder Construction Company for reinforced concrete walls, concrete deck, etc. Navarro Str. Bridge at Express Bldg. and Authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor. (For full text of this Ordinance see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 299).

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No. 596.

An Ordinance.

Accepting Proposal of Depuy & Ranney for taking down, moving and re-erecting steel spans at Mill Bridge, Navarro Street and Authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor. (For full text of this Ordinance see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 301).

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No. 595

An Ordinance.

Accepting Proposal of Ririe & Montandon for constructing concrete abutments Mill Bridge, Navarro Street and Authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor. (For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 303).

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Accepting Proposal of Virginia Bridge Company for structural steel furnished and placed Navarro St. Bridge at Express Bldg. and Authorizing Contract and Appropriating Money Therefor. (For full text of this ordinance see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 295).

Commissioner Rieden introduced the following Resolutions which were read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

Directing the City Clerk to advertise for bids for grading, macadamizing and topping New Braunfels Ave.,

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 to do the following work:
1st. Grading and macadamizing New Braunfels Avenue from "M" Street to Carey Avenue.
2nd. Topping New Braunfels Avenue from "M" Street to Carey Avenue with 1 1/2" cold rolled Uvalde Rock Asphalt or any other 1 1/2" asphalt topping as per contractors own specifications.

RESOLUTION

ORDERING STREET IMPROVEMENTS: NEW BRAUNFELS AVENUE (From Carrey Ave to Burr Road). (For full text of this Resolution see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 279).

RESOLUTION

Approving Plans, Specifications, Profiles, Etc., filed by the City Engineer for the Improvement of NEW BRAUNFELS AVE., Directing Advertisement for Bids. (From Carrey Ave to Burr Road). (For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 287).

RESOLUTION

ORDERING STREET IMPROVEMENTS: DAVIES COURT. (From River Ave to New Braunfels Ave) (For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 283).

RESOLUTION

Approving Plans, Specifications, Profiles, etc., filed by the City Engineer for the Improvement of DAVIES COURT, Directing Advertisement for bids. (River Ave to New Braunfels Ave) (For full text of this resolution see Street Improvement Record Vol. 10 Page 299).

The Mayor introduced the following Ordinances which were passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, towit:- Ayes, Black, Pfeiffer, Rieden, Wright. Absent, Lambert.

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No. 594.

An Ordinance.

Appropriating the sum of \$25.00 to pay Frank Clements.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, THAT, the sum of \$25.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund to pay Frank Clements on account of fine remitted by the Mayor.

ME-457

No. 604.

An Ordinance.

Appropriating \$200.00 to pay Texas Flag and Decorating Co.
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, THAT, the sum of \$200.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (Contingencies) to pay Texas Flag and Decorating Company for decorating City Hall and Fire Station during Fiesta Week (As per itemized bill hereto attached).

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No. 605.

AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating \$12.00 to pay Scobey Fireproof Storage Co.
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, THAT, the sum of \$12.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (Contingencies) to pay Scobey Fireproof Storage Co. for storing liquor to be held as evidence, for the Mayor's Investigators. (As per itemized bill hereto attached).

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No. 606.

An Ordinance.

Appropriating the sum of \$58.50 to pay Kemper Artificial Flower Co.
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, THAT, the sum of \$58.50 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (Contingencies) to pay Kemper Artificial Flower Co. for decorating the City's Automobile in the Flower parade, during the Carnival. (As per itemized bill hereto attached).

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No. 607.

An Ordinance.

Appropriating \$100.00 to pay League of Texas Municipalities.
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, THAT, the sum of \$100.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated out of the 1921 General Fund (Contingencies) to pay the League of Texas Municipalities, for one year's Active Membership in the League of Texas Municipalities, including 50 subscriptions to Texas Municipalities, Nov. 1, 1921 to Nov. 1, 1922. (As per itemized bill hereto attached).

An Ordinance.

Prohibiting females from soliciting, inviting, procuring, alluring or using any means for the purpose of soliciting, procuring, inviting or alluring any male person to be at in particular house, room or place for the purpose of having unlawful sexual intercourse, or to take part in any particular immoral conduct with any woman. (For full text of this Ordinance see Ordinance Book 4th Page 14).

Bids for furnishing the City with lumber and also for furnishing welding apparatus, were opened and referred to the City Purchasing Agent.

On recommendation of the City Purchasing Agent the Sunset Wood & Coal Co. was awarded the bid to furnish the City for the Street Department, with 100 tons of coal. Adopted. On recommendation of the City Purchasing Agent the Freeman Printing Company was awarded the bid to furnish 50 books for the City Tax Assessor. Adopted.

On Motion duly seconded and carried the Meeting adjourned.

Approved,

O. B. Beach,
Mayor.

ATTEST:

Gen. P. Cordell
City Clerk.