

MARCH 2, 1944.

REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO,
HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE CITY HALL, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS,
AT 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M., ON THURSDAY, MARCH 2ND, 1944.

PRESENT: Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. ABSENT: Steffler. Mayor Mauermann presiding.

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read by the Clerk, and after a motion by Commissioner Callaghan, seconded by Commissioner Hein, they were approved as read by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler, (Absent)

Two new petitions were presented to the Council as follows:

Petition of Mr. Alton Berger and other home owners of the 1900 block of Hicks Avenue requesting that a sewer line be laid on the south side of the said block, which was referred to the Street Commissioner for action.

Petition of Mr. Albert Kaak for permission to move two ten-gallon visible pumps from leaking tanks and install the same two pumps on two good tanks at 1418 South Hackberry Avenue, which petition was referred to the Commissioner of Fire & Police.

Commissioner Callaghan introduced the following Ordinances, which were read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent)

APPRO. NO. 549

AN ORDINANCE (729)

TRANSFERRING \$5,000.00 FROM BACK TAX GENERAL FUND AND \$3,000.00 FROM 1942 GENERAL FUND TO THE 1943 GENERAL FUND.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 350).

APPRO. NO. 550

AN ORDINANCE (730)

APPROPRIATING \$1,212.18 OUT OF 1943 GENERAL FUND TO PAY FEBRUARY INTEREST ON 1943 GENERAL FUND NOTES.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 350).

APPRO. NO. 551

AN ORDINANCE (731)

APPROPRIATING \$25,002.31 OUT OF 1943 GENERAL FUND TO PAY NOTE NO. 49 OF THE 1943 GENERAL FUND SERIES, AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 350).

APPRO. NO. 552

AN ORDINANCE (732)

APPROPRIATING \$21.08 OUT OF POLICE & FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND TO PAY FEBRUARY INTEREST ON PENSION FUND NOTES HELD BY BANK.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 351).

APPRO. NO. 553

AN ORDINANCE (733)

APPROPRIATING \$84,296.13 OUT OF THE 1943 GENERAL FUND, FOR SEMI-MONTHLY PAYROLLS.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 351).

APPRO. NO. 554

AN ORDINANCE (734)

APPROPRIATING \$17,908.34 OUT OF THE 1943 GENERAL FUND, FOR PER DIEM PAYROLLS.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 351).

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APPRO. NO. 555

AN ORDINANCE (735)

APPROPRIATING \$11,747.50 OUT OF THE POLICEMEN, FIREMENS'
AND FIRE ALARM OPERATORS' PENSION FUND, FOR PAYROLL.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 352).

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AN ORDINANCE (736)

GRANTING THE PETITION OF PROSPECT HILL MISSIONARY BAPTIST
CHURCH, FOR EXEMPTION FROM CITY TAXES FOR FISCAL YEAR 1944
AND YEARS SUBSEQUENT THERETO, ON LOT 9, BLOCK 3, NEW CITY
BLOCK 2313, IN A SUBDIVISION OF ORIGINAL CITY LOT NO. 125,
AT 1615 BUENA VISTA STREET IN THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 352).

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Commissioner Hein introduced the following Ordinances, which were read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent)

APPRO. NO. 556

AN ORDINANCE (737)

APPROPRIATING \$127.65 OUT OF 1943 GENERAL FUND - STREET
MAINTENANCE - TO PAY H. B. ZACHRY COMPANY, FOR GRAVEL.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 353).

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APPRO. NO. 557

AN ORDINANCE (738)

APPROPRIATING \$682.50 OUT OF 1943 GENERAL FUND - VARIOUS
DEPARTMENTS - TO PAY FOR INDEPENDENT HIRE OF TEAMS AND
TRUCKS.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 353).

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APPRO. NO. 558

AN ORDINANCE (739)

REPEALING ORDINANCE PASSED AND APPROVED ON JANUARY 20,
1944, APPROPRIATING \$235.00 TO NEIRA MANUFACTURING COMPANY
FOR CERTAIN MACHINERY.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 354).

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Commissioner Anderson introduced the following Ordinances, which were read, passed and approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent)

APPRO. NO. 559

AN ORDINANCE (740)

TRANSFERRING \$6,000.00 FROM 1943 GENERAL FUND - PARKING
METER ACCOUNT TO POLICE & FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 354).

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APPRO. NO. 560

AN ORDINANCE (741)

APPROPRIATING \$144.65 OUT OF 1943 GENERAL FUND FOR
EMERGENCY EXPENDITURES IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 355).

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AN ORDINANCE (742)

ACCEPTING DEED OF THURMAN BARRETT FOR ALLEY IN NEW CITY
BLOCK 6771.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 355).

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AN ORDINANCE (743)

MAKING CONTRACT WITH WALLACE & TIERNAN CO., INC. FOR
CHLORINATOR AT SHERMAN STREET SEWAGE PUMPING STATION.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 355).

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A RESOLUTION (744)

FOR BIDS TO CONSTRUCT 8" SANITARY SEWER

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 356).

The following Ordinances, introduced by Mayor Mauermann, were approved by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent)

AN ORDINANCE (745)

AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO RENT A SAFE DEPOSIT BOX.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 357).

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AN ORDINANCE (746)

APPOINTING MEMBERS TO SAN ANTONIO PARK BOARD.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 357).

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AN ORDINANCE (747)

TO USE THE CITY SANITARY SEWERS BY A CONNECTION OUTSIDE OF THE CITY LIMITS, ON THE PETITION OF MRS. IRENE THOMAS.

(For full text of this Ordinance, see Ordinance Book "L", p. 358).

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Upon motion by Commissioner Anderson, seconded by Commissioner Callaghan, and carried by the following votes on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent), action was taken on the petitions previously presented as follows:

The petition of Union Bus Lines for permission to install one 1000 gallon underground gasoline tank and one electric computing pump at the Union Bus Shop, 107 Kayton Street, was granted.

Permission was granted to the Humble Oil & Refining Company to install an underground storage tank holding 1000 gallons at 1102 San Pedro Avenue, and two 1000 Gallon tanks at 601 Fredericksburg Road.

Permission was given the Magnolia Petroleum Company to replace one five-barrell leaky underground storage tank at the Star Garage, 213 North St. Mary's Street, and to replace a ten-gallon visible pump with an Electric Computing Gasoline pump at the White House Garage, 505 Roosevelt Avenue. However, on recommendation of the Chief of the Fire Department and the Fire Marshal, their petition for permission to install one 10 Barrell underground storage tank and one electric computing pump at Bedell Building Garage, 510 East Travis Street was refused.

The petition of Mr. H. C. Thorman that the name of a short street between Clyde Street and Audubon Street be changed from Belknap Street to Short Street to avoid confusion with Belknap Place, was granted after recommendation by the City Engineer, and the name became officially Short Street.

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A resolution was offered by Commissioner Anderson instructing the City Engineer to make a survey and report of the lines of the City property on Nueva Street at the San Antonio River and the City property at Simpson Street and the San Antonio River, and report any trespassers, encroachments or obstructions, which after being duly seconded, was passed by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent).

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Commissioner Hein, reporting as Secretary of the Committee of the Whole, moved to accept the bid of I. Meador on Lots 26, 27 and 28, City Block 1372, and to decline the bid of H. R. Hohenberger for property on the River, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Callaghan

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and carried by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent).

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The following bids were opened:

Bids to furnish the Street Department with Clam Shell Bucket were referred to the Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

Bids to furnish the Tax Department with Calculating and Adding Machines were referred to the Purchasing Agent for tabulation and application for necessary priority.

Bids to furnish the Parks and Plazas Department with Woodworking Machine were referred to the Purchasing Agent for tabulation.

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On motion by Commissioner Callaghan, seconded by Commissioner Hein, and carried by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Mauermann, Callaghan, Hein and Anderson. Nay, Steffler (Absent), the meeting adjourned March 2nd, 1944.

APPROVED: *Gust M. Mauermann*
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Sam Bennett
City Clerk

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