

## MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

THURSDAY, MAY 11TH, A. D. 1916. 4 P. M.

PRESENT: Honorable Clinton G. Brown, Mayor, presiding, and Commissioners Garland, Lambert and Kearny. Absent, Uhr, excused.

Minutes of previous meeting were ordered approved. ④

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

Petition of Ham-Ramsey Evangelical Association for permit to erect tent on Bowen's Island, was read and referred to Commissioner of Fire and Police.

Petition of Mrs. E.D. Fitchett relating to construction of new curbing in front of 106 River Avenue, was read and referred to Commissioner of Streets, Bridges and Public Improvements.

MA-897

On motion of Commissioner Lambert a hearing was given to property owners interested in the improvement of Castro Street, between Navidad and Laredo Streets.

(See page 286, Record of Hearings)

Commissioner Garland recommended that the petitions of Gus Bartee, and of E. Longini for correction of assessment, be granted; and that petition of Thomas R. Brown for correction of assessment be not granted. Adopted.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Garland, Lambert and Kearny. Nays, none. Absent, Uhr.

THE STATE OF TEXAS    ∩  
COUNTY OF BEXAR       ∩  
CITY OF SAN ANTONIO   ∩

## AN ORDINANCE - 898

LEVYING SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AND TAXES on account of the cost of the ~~cost of the~~ improvement of South Hackberry Street, from Commerce Street to Victoria Street, and to provide for the issuance of assessment certificates and for other purposes.

For full text of this ordinance see Record Book No. 6 page 7

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolutions, which were read and adopted. ④

THE STATE OF TEXAS    ∩  
COUNTY OF BEXAR       ∩  
CITY OF SAN ANTONIO   ∩

## A RESOLUTION

ORDERING A PUBLIC HEARING of property owners and others interested in street improvements ordered to be constructed on French Place (West line of Main Avenue South, to West line of Main Avenue North) approving plat and statement of City Engineer and ordering that special assessments be made and levied, and for other purposes.

(For full text of this resolution see Record Book No. 6 page 15)

THE STATE OF TEXAS ↓  
 COUNTY OF BEXAR ↓  
 CITY OF SAN ANTONIO ↓

A RESOLUTION

ORDERING A PUBLIC HEARING of property owners and others interested in street improvements ordered to be constructed on Main Avenue (French Place to Summit Avenue) approving plat and statement of City Engineer and ordering that special assessments be made and levied, and for other purposes.

For full text of this resolution see Record Book No. 6 page 19

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Commissioner Kearny submitted the following:

San Antonio, Texas, May 9th, 1916.

Mr. Hans Helland, City Engineer,

Dear Sir:

We have completed the paving of Camaron Street, from Commerce to Houston Streets, and would like to have you go over same and if satisfactory, recommend the acceptance at the next regular meeting of the Commissioners.

Thanking you for your prompt attention, we beg to remain,

Yours Very truly,

Standard Paving Co.  
 By E.E.Krueger.

May 11th, 1916.

Honorable Mayor and Board of Commissioners,

City of San Antonio, Texas.

Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the paving on Camaron Street, from Commerce to Houston Street, has been completed in accordance with the contract entered into with the Standard Paving Company and that same has this 11th day of May 1916, been accepted by me for account of the City of San Antonio.

Yours truly,

Hans Helland, City Engineer.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:  
 Resolution

Accepting Camaron Street, from Commerce to Houston Street, paved by the Standard Paving Company.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that, the City of San Antonio does hereby accept the pavement constructed by the Standard Paving Company on Camaron Street, between Commerce and Houston Streets; the date of acceptance being fixed on the 11th day of May, 1916, as per certificate of the City Engineer filed with the Board of Commissioners on the 11th day of May 1916.

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Commissioner Kearny submitted the following:

April 22, 1916.

Mr. Hans Helland, City Engineer,

San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Mr. Helland:

We have completed the pavement on Crockett Street from Bowie to Bonham and will thank you to officially accept same. We succeeded in putting this pavement down without any skips- hence you will find it a complete street from end to end.

Thanking You for your attention, we are  
 Yours Very truly, Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co. By R.S.White

May 11th, 1916.

Honorable Mayor & Board of Commissioners,  
City of San Antonio, Texas.

Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the paving on Crockett Street, from Bowie to Bonham, has been completed in accordance with the contract entered into with the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company, and that same has this 11th day of May 1916, been accepted by me for account of the City of San Antonio.

Yours truly,

Hans Helland, City Engineer.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

Accepting pavement constructed on Crockett Street, between Bowie and Bonham Streets, by the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City of San Antonio does hereby accept the pavement constructed by the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company on Crockett Street, between Bowie and Bonham Streets; the date of acceptance being hereby fixed on the 11th day of May 1916, as per certificate of the City Engineer filed with the Board of Commissioners on the 11th day of May 1916.

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Commissioner Kearny submitted the following:

May 1st, 1916.

Hans Helland, City Engineer,  
San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Sir:

This to advise: South Flores Street, from G.H. & S. A. Ry. to San Pedro Creek bridge, was completed on Saturday, April 22, 1916. We will appreciate your early acceptance. The two omissions approved by Geo. R. Gillette, City Attorney, statements hereto attached.

Yours truly,

Rushmore & Gowdy,  
By S.H. Gowdy

May 11th, 1916.

Honorable Mayor & Board of Commissioners,  
City of San Antonio.

Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the paving on South Flores Street, from the G.H. & S.A. Railway to San Pedro Creek bridge, has been completed in accordance with the contract entered into with Rushmore & Gowdy, with the following homestead omissions:

Lot 1 & 2 N.C.B. 2593, frontage 91.40 Mrs. M.E.O'Brian

Lot A N.C.B. 3559 " 75.00 Mrs. Johnson McCabe.

Same has been accepted by me this 11th day of May 1916, for account of the City of San Antonio.

Yours truly,

Hans Helland, City Engineer.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution which was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

Accepting pavement constructed on South Flores Street, between G. H. & S.A. Railway and San Pedro Creek Bridge.

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

San Antonio does hereby accept the pavement constructed by Rushmore & Gowdy on South Flores Street between G.H. & S.A. Railway and the San Pedro Creek Bridge, allowing and approving the following homestead omissions:

Lots 1 & 2 N.C.B. 2593 frontage \$1.40 Mrs M.E.O'Brian.

Lot A N.C.B. 3559 " 75.00 Mrs Johnson McCabe.

The date of acceptance being hereby fixed on the 11th day of May 1916 as per certificate of the City Engineer filed with the Board of Commissioners on the 11th day of May 1916.

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Commissioner Kearny submitted the following:

May 1st. 1916.

Hans Helland, City Engineer,  
San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Sir:

This to advise: South Flores Street, from S.A. & A.P. Railway to G.H. & S.A. Railway, was completed today. We had one omission for which we hand you statement with the approval of Geo. R. Gillette, City Attorney.

We will appreciate early acceptance owing to shortage of funds due to money being tied up in West Texas Bank & Trust Company.

Yours truly,  
Rushmore & Gowdy  
by S.H. Gowdy.

May 11, 1916.

Honorable Mayor & Board of Commissioners,  
City of San Antonio, Texas.  
Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the paving on South Flores Street, from SA. & A.P. Ry. to G.H. & S.A. Ry., has been completed in accordance with the contract entered into with Rushmore and Gowdy, with the following homestead omissions:

Lots 1 and 2. N.C.B. 2857, frontage 111.20 Henry Fest.

Same has been accepted by me this 11th day of May, 1916, by me for account of the City of San Antonio.

Yours truly,  
Hans Helland, City Engineer.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

Accepting pavement on South Flores Street, between the S.A. & A.P. Railway and the G.H. & S.A. Railway.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City of San Antonio does hereby accept the pavement constructed by Rushmore & Gowdy on South Flores Street, from the S.A. & A.P. Railway to the G.H. & S.A. Railway, allowing and approving the following omission:

Lots 1 & 2 N.C.B. 2857, frontage 111.20, Henry Fest.

The date of acceptance being hereby fixed on the 11th day of May 1916, as per certificate of the City Engineer filed with the Board of Commissioners on the 11th day of May 1916.

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Commissioner Kearny submitted the following:

May 1, 1916.

Mr. Hans Helland, City Engineer,  
San Antonio, Texas.

Dear Sir:

We have now completed the paving on Blum Street from Bonham to Bowie and would thank you to have this street accepted at the next meeting of the City Council.

We did not find it necessary to leave any gaps in this street.

Yours very truly,  
Uvalde Rock Asphalt Co.  
By P.M. Gresham

May 11, 1916.

Honorable Mayor and Board of Commissioners,  
City of San Antonio, Texas.  
Gentlemen:

This is to certify that the paving on Blum Street from Bonham to Bowie, has ~~has~~ been completed in accordance with the contract entered into with the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company, and that same has this 11th day of May, 1916, been ~~accepted~~ by me for account of the City of San Antonio.

Yours truly,  
Hans Helland, City Engineer.

Commissioner Kearny introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

RESOLUTION

Accepting pavement constructed on Blum Street, between Bowie and Bonham, by the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the City of San Antonio does hereby accept the pavement constructed by the Uvalde Rock Asphalt Company, on Blum Street, between Bowie and Bonham Street; the date of acceptance being hereby fixed on the 11th day of May 1916, as per certificate of the City Engineer filed with the Board of Commissioners on the 11th day of May 1916.

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

A RESOLUTION

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

That the San Antonio Water Supply Company be and is hereby ordered to furnish a water main on Dittmar Avenue, to its intersection with Hy. Terrell Street in order to supply water for the flush tank located at this point, and for other purposes.

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following resolution, which was read and adopted:

A RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the streets of our City, especially those in the business section, were overcrowded and heavily congested during Fiesta Week ending April 29 1916; and

WHEREAS, the Alamo Council, Boy Scouts of America, rendered most efficient and invaluable services assisting the traffic officers, directing the public, etc., therefore

BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio that in recognition of such excellent services rendered by the Alamo Council Boy Scouts of America, the Commissioners adopt this resolution of thanks and their hearty appreciation of such services; and

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Alamo Council, Boy Scouts of America.

Commissioner Lambert introduced the following ordinance, which was read and adopted by the following vote on roll call, to-wit: Ayes, Brown, Garland, Lambert, Kearny. Absent, Uhr. Nays, none.

AN ORDINANCE -904

Appropriating \$250.00 to pay A.C. Pancoast for services rendered.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Commissioners of the City of San Antonio, that, the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars, be and is hereby appropriated out of the City Hospital fund to be applied to the payment to A. C. Pancoast for services rendered as Superintendant of building of R. B. Green Memorial Hospital, said amount to be deducted from any amount due or to become due by the City and County, to Messrs Atlee B. Ayers and Reuter and Harrington as architects for said R. B. Green Memorial Hospital, and the amount hereby appropriated being for services for the months of December 1915 to and including May 1916.

This ordinance is hereby declared to be of urgent importance for reasons of public welfare apparent herefrom, and the same shall take effect at once.

Commissioner Garland requested a leave of absence for ten days, which was granted.

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

ATTEST:

*[Signature]*

APPROVED

MAYOR

*[Signature]*

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