

## A RESOLUTION

DECLARING THE CANVASS AND THE RESULT OF A SPECIAL ELECTION ON THE 23 OF JANUARY, 1954, TO SUBMIT TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION, SEPARATE PROPOSITIONS TO BORROW MONEY ON THE CREDIT OF "IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT A" OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO AND TO ISSUE BONDS FOR PERMANENT PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN AND FOR SUCH DISTRICT ON THE CREDIT OF SAID DISTRICT FOR PERMANENT PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN AND FOR THE SAID DISTRICT, AS FOLLOWS: A-54: STATE OR STATE AID FREEWAYS AND INTERREGIONAL HIGHWAY BONDS, \$12,500,000.00; B-54: SANITARY SEWERAGE PLANT AND SANITARY SEWER BONDS, \$800,000.00; C-54: STREET BONDS, \$3,566,870.00; AND, D-54: FLOOD CONTROL AND DRAINAGE BONDS, \$2,133,130.00.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:-

1. Came on regularly to be canvassed, on this the 25th day of January, 1954, the next regular business day after the special election to borrow money on the credit of "Improvement District A" of the City of San Antonio, hereto duly and legally created by an ordinance of the City of San Antonio passed and approved on the 24 day of December, 1953, for permanent public improvements in and for said Improvement District A of said City, the returns of the special municipal election held on the 23 day of January, 1954, at which election there were submitted to the qualified voters who own taxable property in said "Improvement District A" in said City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, four separate propositions to borrow money on the credit of said District and to issue bonds of said District for permanent public improvements in and for said "Improvement District A" of said City, as fully set out in the Ordinance ordering said election passed and approved on the 24 day of December, 1953 and as set out in the Proclamation and Notice of Election promulgated by the Mayor Pro Tem on the 24 day of December, 1953 posted at the several voting places in the precincts in said "Improvement District A" of said City and published in the "COMMERCIAL RECORDER", as required by law, and the City Council having met to canvass the returns and to declare the result of said election in the manner provided by law, after considering, determining and canvassing all the matters of fact thereto appertaining; and,

2. A request was filed with canvassing board on the 26th of January, 1954, at the time of making the official canvass of said election returns, signed by Harvey P. McDonald and more than 25 other resident citizens of ~~the~~ "Improvement District A" of the City of San Antonio to make in the presence of a District Judge and a County Judge of Bexar County, a re-check and comparison of the results shown on the official returns with the results appearing and registered on the counter dials of each voting machine;

3. And the canvassing board, in the presence of District Judge C. K. Quin and County Judge Charles W. Anderson, of Bexar County, did then and there examine each voting machine and make a re-check and comparison with the results shown on the official returns, and did then and there make the necessary corrections and enter upon the official returns the results appearing and registered on the counter dials where there was a variance between the official returns and the result registered on the counter dial of each voting machine.

4. After the re-check and comparison of the counter dials on the voting machines and after the entry of the necessary corrections were made, said returns as shown by said re-check, comparison and correction, were canvassed by the City Council of the City of San Antonio, and the result of said election declared at their meeting held in the Council Chamber at the City Hall in said City, on the 28th day of January, 1954 from which it appears that the respective votes cast for and against said several Propositions to issue bonds of "Improvement District A" of the City of San Antonio and to assess and collect a tax to pay the amount thereof, as appears from said returns and said canvass, are as follows, to-wit:

	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>
A-54: State or State Aid Freeways and Interregional Highway Bonds, \$12,500,000.00	10,055	10,135
B-54: Sanitary Sewerage Plant and Sanitary Sewer Bonds, \$800,000.00	9,457	10,401
C-54: Street Bonds, \$3,566,870.00	9,287	10,668
D-54: Flood Control and Drainage Bonds, \$2,133,130.00	8,850	10,397

5. And it appearing to the City Council that said Propositions to issue bonds of "Improvement District A" of said City and to levy a tax to pay the principal and interest thereof, were submitted and that the Special Election was held and was conducted as required by the Statutes of the the State of Texas and the Charter and Ordinances of the City of San Antonio; and, that at said special election there was cast on each Proposition submitting a proposition to borrow money on the credit of "Improvement District A" of the City of San Antonio and to issue bonds of said District for permanent public improvements and to levy a tax to pay the principal and interest thereof; the aggregate number of votes marked "FOR" and the aggregate number of votes marked "AGAINST", all as shown by the report and canvass of said returns by the City Council, and said returns having been found to be correct in all respects;

6. It is declared that Proposition A-54 to issue \$12,500,00.00 State or State Aid Freeways and Interregional Highway Bonds was not adopted by a majority vote; that Proposition B-54 to issue \$800,000.00 Sanitary Sewerage Plant and Sanitary Sewer Bonds was not adopted by a majority vote; that Proposition C-54 to issue \$3,566,870.00 Street Bonds was not adopted by a majority vote; and, that Proposition D-54 to issue \$2,133,130.00 Flood Control and Drainage Bonds was not adopted by a majority vote, of the qualified voters at said election.

7. PASSED, APPROVED, ADOPTED AND ORDERED to be the correct canvass of the official returns and the final result of said election, this 28th day of January, A.D. 1954.

*Joseph V. Barclay*  
MAYOR PRO TEM

*Emil Scherley*  
COUNCILMAN Place No. 1

COUNCILMAN Place No.

*Thelma Stevens*  
COUNCILMAN Place No.

*B. M. Whitt*  
COUNCILMAN Place No.

*H. D. Hearner*  
COUNCILMAN Place No. 3

*R. L. Lester*  
COUNCILMAN Place No.

*M. Russell*  
COUNCILMAN Place No. 5

COUNCILMAN Place No.

ATTEST: *Frank Bell* City Clerk

JAN 28 1954

**RESOLUTION DECLARING THE CANVASS AND RETURNS OF SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON 23 JANUARY, 1954, FOR ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR PERMANENT PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN "IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT A" OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO.**

1. Plans to issue bonds of "Improvement District A" and if subordinating to the City Council the same to the City of San Antonio and to assess and collect a tax to pay the same as hereinafter provided as follows: 2. That the Council Chamber at the City Hall in said City, on the 23rd day of January, 1954 from which several propositions to issue bonds were made, said returns as shown by said re-checked comparison and correction, were canvassed by the City Council of the City of San Antonio, and the result of said election declared at their meeting on the voting machines and after the entry of the necessary corrections

adopted by a majority vote, of the qualified voters of said election to issue \$3,130,000 Flood Control and Drainage Bonds was not majority vote; that Proposition C-24 to issue \$3,500,870.00 Street Sanitary Sewerage Plant and Sanitary Sewer Bonds was not adopted by a majority vote; that Proposition B-24 to issue \$800,000.00 State or State Aid Freeways and Interregional Highway Bonds was not majority vote; that Proposition A-24 to issue \$15,500,000.00

- Control and Drainage Bonds, \$3,130,000.
- Sanitary Sewerage Plant and Sanitary Sewer Bonds, \$800,000.00
- State Aid Freeways and Interregional Highway Bonds, \$15,500,000.00

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

**JAN 28 1954**

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*Frank Gallagher*  
City Clerk

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MAYOR PRO TEM

# VOTE

JAN 28 1954

Meeting of the City Council \_\_\_\_\_, 195

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	Roll Call	Aye	Nay	Aye	Nay
EMIL O. SCHERLEN Member of Council Pl. 1		✓			
MRS. THELMA STEVENS Member of Council Pl. 2		✓			
H. J. SHEARER Member of Council Pl. 3		✓			
A. C. WHITE Member of Council Pl. 4		Absent			
RAYMOND RUSSELL, Jr. Member of Council Pl. 5		✓			
R. N. WHITE, Jr. Member of Council Pl. 6		✓			
RALPH V. EASLEY Member of Council Pl. 7		✓			
R. L. LESTER Member of Council Pl. 8		✓			
HENRY B. GONZALEZ Member of Council Pl. 9		✓			