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2 MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD JUNE 12, 1951
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4 A regular meeting of the San Anselmo City Council was held at the City
5 Hall, San Anselmo, Tuesday Evening, June 12, 1951 at 8:00 P.M.

6 Present : Councilmen: Skinner, Knoles, O'Mara, Smith, Booth

7 Absent: Councilmen: None

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9 Mayor Booth Presiding.

10 MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD MAY 22, 1951 READ AND APPROVED.
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12 VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS FIESTA

13 Letter received requesting permission to sponsor the Fourth Annual
14 San Anselmo Fiesta on August 3rd 4th, and 5th. Request also made to
15 close traffic on San Anselmo Ave. during parade and to close Center
16 Blvd. between Sir Francis Drake and Bridge Avenues for three days.
17 Permission granted on the motion of Councilman Knoles and seconded by
18 by Councilman O'Mara. Question as to requirements for business license
19 continued to June 26, 1951. Councilman Skinner asked Mr. E.C. Brown if
20 gambling for money would be included in the concessions. Mr. Brown
21 said he was not a member of that committee and was unable to give any
22 information. Councilman Skinner expressed his disapproval of gambling.
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27 TENTATIVE MAPS OF PARK HILL TRACT APPROVED.

28 Recommendation of the City Planning Commission to approve tentative map.
29 per the recommendations of the City Engineer read. Tentative map of the
30 Park Hill Tract then approved on the motion of Councilman Skinner and
31 seconded by Councilman Knoles.
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33 SONOMA AVENUE CULVERT.

34 D.D. Johnson agreed to run the culvert on Sonoma Ave. from property
35 line to property line. Slight modification of the headwall arrangement
36 made by the City Engineer and agreed upon by Mr. Johnson. File Copy of
37 the culvert plans to be filed in the office of the City Clerk. All costs
38 for engineering advice and inspections by the City Engineer to be borne
39 by Mr. Johnson.
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43 TAXICAB- APPLICATIONS OF PUBLIC NECESSITY AND CONVENIENCED FILED.

44 Applications received from Dallas E. Craig, Eugene Wilson, and Cecil
45 J. Allen. Operators to meet with the Police Committee on Sat. A.M.
46 June 16, 1951, at 11:00 O'Clock. Granting of certificates continued
47 to June 26, 1951.
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49 LEGISLATION CONCERNING SEX OFFENDERS.

50 Letters acknowledging receipt of Mayor Booth's telegram concerning
51 legislation to provide life imprisonment without benefit of parole for
52 sex offenders received. Letters to be filed with the files of the
53 Police Dept.
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CIVILIAN DEFENSE REPORT.

Walter Langford requested that his Civil Defense teams that are being trained in emergency First Aid be allowed to receive instructions on operation of the Rescue Truck. Requested that a Fire Captain be placed in charge of the Rescue Unit and that he train the teams on nights to be specified at a later date. Chief Marcucci approved this action.

USE OF FEDERAL FUNDS FOR BRIDGE APPROACHES.

Replies received and read from Hubert B. Scudder and Charles A. Buckley relative to use of Federal Funds for construction of bridge approaches to publicly owned bridges. Ordered Filed.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS LETTER IN REPLY TO CREATING SERVICEMAN'S CENTER

Reply received to letter from City Council relative to approval of the creating of a serviceman's center in Marin County. Ordered Filed.

LETTER OF THANKS RECEIVED FROM R.L.TAYLOR JR.

Letter of thanks received from R.L. Taylor Jr. in regard to thoughtfulness of the City Council the death of his father. Ordered filed.

MARIN DANCE COUNCIL LETTER RECEIVED

Letter received from the Marin Dance Council relative to forthcoming Folk Dance Festival. Clerk to acknowledge and file.

E.C. BECKIUS LETTER RELATIVE TO SAN FRANCISCO BLVD. ROADWORK RECEIVED.

Referred to Street Committee, Clerk to acknowledge.

RESIGNATION OF CHARLES B. LEZZENA, FIREMAN RECEIVED EFFECTIVE JUNE 15, 1951

Resignation accepted on the motion of Councilman O'Mara and seconded by Councilman Knoles. Clerk to write a letter and thank Mr. Lezzena for all his years of service.

COMPLAINT RECEIVED FROM MRS. H.F.CUTLER RELATIVE TO TRAMPLING OF FLOWERS

Clerk to acknowledge receipt. Referred to Street Committee.

REQUEST FOR RE-LOCATION OF STOP SIGNS ON BROADMOOR AVENUE RECEIVED.

Referred to Street Committee for further study.

ALL DAY PARKING ON BUTTERFIELD ROAD AT S.F.DRAKE BLVD. COMPLAINED OF PETITION OF RESIDENTS.

Chief Wood stated that he had investigated this situation and that it is a problem which exists at all bus stops. Residents do not want curbs painted red as it would prohibit their own parking. It appeared that no remedy could be found for this situation.

ENCROACHMENT OF SUBDIVIDER ON HIS LOT COMPLAINED OF BY PHILLIP STEINER, 76 ANGELA AVENUE.

Clerk to acknowledge. Street Committee to investigate.

2 REQUEST FOR STATEMENT OF STREET ACCEPTANCE POLICY REQUESTED BY
3 EQUITABLE LIFE INSURANCE CO. FOR LOAN OF DOROTHEA M. ANDERSON,
4 LOT 22 ROSS VALLEY TRACT.

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6 Clerk to advise that it is the policy of the city to accept such
7 streets as have been improved by owners at the expense of such
8 owners in accordance with the specifications of the Town of San
9 Anselmo.
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12 MRS. O.W. JONES REAPPOINTED AS MEMBER OF THE SAN ANSELMO PUBLIC
13 LIBRARY BOARD ON THE MOTION OF COUNCILMAN SKINNER AND SECONDED
14 BY COUNCILMAN SMITH.

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16 Clerk to advise Mrs. Jones of her appointment.

17 BUILDING AND ELECTRICAL INSPECTORS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY
18 RECEIVED AND ORDERED FILED.

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20 RESOLUTION # 523 ACCEPTING DEED FROM THE PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC
21 COMPANY FOR A PORTION OF THEIR SUB STATION PROPERTY ON THE MOTION
22 OF COUNCILMAN SMITH AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN O'MARA.

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24 ORDINANCE # 336 AMENDING ORDINANCE # 290, AN ORDINANCE REGULATING
25 THE OPERATION OF TAXICABS, READ IN FULL FOR A FIRST READING.

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27 ORDINANCE # 335, AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE PRESENCE OF MINORS
28 ON THE PUBLIC STREETS AFTER THE HOUR OF 11:00 P.M. READ IN FULL
29 FOR FIRST READING.

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31 General discussion as to fairness of this proposed ordinance by
32 Mr. & Mrs. Walter Langford and Mrs. Wm. Bazzetta.

33 RESOLUTION # 524 ACCEPTING PROPOSED MEDICAL CENTER UNDER USE
34 PERMIT NO. 1 AS AN EMERGENCY FIRST AID STATION ADOPTED ON THE
35 MOTION OF COUNCILMAN O'MARA AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN SMITH.

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37 MILLIE ASAY APPOINTED AS DEPUTY IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK
38 ON A TEMPORARY BASIS EFFECTIVE MAY 18, 1951.

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40 SETBACK ADJUSTMENT GRANTED TO CARL LARSON, 29 GROVE HILL AVE.
41 FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A GARAGE. Setback for construction granted
42 on the recommendations of the City Planning Commission and sub-
43 ject to the provision that Mr. Larson bring in letters from his
44 neighbors approving the plans for the garage on the motion of
45 Councilman Skinner and seconded by Councilman O'Mara.
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48 SETBACK ADJUSTMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A FENCE AT THE CORNER
49 OF SYCAMORE AND MADRONE AVENUES GRANTED TO MR. & MRS. JOHN SCHMIDT.

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51 Setback granted in accordance with the recommendations of the
52 City Planning Commission on the motion of Councilman Smith and
53 seconded by Councilman O'Mara.
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GORDON HUGHES GRANTED SETBACK ADJUSTMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION OF HOUSE ON LOT 25 HAMPTON COURT. Setback granted in accordance with the recommendations of the City Planning Commission on the motion of Councilman Smith and seconded by Councilman O'Mara.

JUNE 26, 1951 SET AS DATE FOR PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE # 254. Clerk to have notices printed in the San Anselmo Times.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF GAS TAX FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1952 ADOPTED ON THE MOTION OF COUNCILMAN SMITH AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN SKINNER.

RESOLUTION OF APPROVAL AND ACCEPTANCE OF MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1952 ADOPTED ON THE MOTION OF COUNCILMAN SMITH AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN SKINNER.

ORDINANCE # 334, AMENDING ORDINANCE # 254 AND CHANGING THE PROPERTY CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTY KNOWN AS LOTS 27- 28 Block 2 SUNNYSIDE TRACT FROM FIRST TO SECOND RESIDENTIAL ZONING READ BY TITLE ONLY.

After reading of the title further reading dispensed with on the motion of Councilman O'Mara and seconded by Councilman Knoles.

Ordinance # 334 adopted on the motion of Councilman Smith and seconded by Councilman O'Mara..

STREET WORK MORNINGSIDE COURT #4. The City Clerk reported that he had received several inquiries as to when Mr. Carey was going to complete the roadwork in Morningside Court #4. City Attorney to write to Mr. Carey relative to this matter. (File to City Attorney)

SAN ANSELMO AVENUE RESURFACING. Bids for this work to be opened on July 24, 1951 at 8:00 P.M., subject to approval of the plans and specifications by th Division of Highways.

BIDS FOR PAINTING OF FIRE DEPT. OPENED. Inasmuch as the low bid was not signed, the clerk is to verify that bid was submitted by Mr. Gietz. Bids for painting as follows: ULLOM- \$1223., Gietz (?) - 765, Von Rotz- \$ 825.

STREET DEPARTMENT REPORT:

Street area of Butterfield Road to be increased four feet on either side by setting back the line for curbs and gutters. City Engr. asked if when the line is set back would the City bear the expense of replacing one curb and gutter already installed by the owner based on the previous lines given by him, and it was agreeable that this should be done. Setback of the lines to commence at about 266 Butterfield Rd.

2 Drainage at Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz has been remedied.

3 Center Blvd. between S.F. Drake and Bridge Aves. has been oiled and
4 rocked.

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6 Councilman Knoles recommended that something be done to remedy the
7 condition of the sidewalk grade in relation to the street on S.F. Drake
8 Blvd. at about opposite the new high school.

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10 BUILDING AND ELECTRICAL PERMIT BOOKS AUTHORIZED FOR PURCHASE on the motion
11 of Councilman Knoles and seconded by Councilman O'Mara. 20 books to be
12 purchased from Fontana per sample.

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14 STREET IMPROVEMENTS FOR ALLEY SOUTH OF BANK STREET.

15 Moved by Councilman Knoles and seconded by Councilman O'Mara that alley
16 be given one coat of oil and one coat of sealcoat.

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18 PARK AND RECREATION REPORT:

19 Councilman Skinner reported that the credit at H.V. Carter was being used
20 to purchase another sprinkler for the park. Chief Marcucci to get prices
21 for fence for use as a backstop.

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23 GEORGE JEWELL APPOINTED TO THE POSITION OF FIREMAN AT A SALARY OF \$ 271.

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25 PLUS \$ 15. COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT on the motion of Councilman O'Mara
26 and seconded by Councilman Knoles.

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28 AUTOMOBILE ALLOWANCE FOR POLICE CHIEF RAISED TO \$ 20. PER MONTH ON THE
29 MOTION OF COUNCILMAN O'MARA AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN KNOLES, on the

30 following vote: Ayes: Councilmen: Knoles, O'Mara, Smith, Booth

31 Not Voting: Councilman: Skinner

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33 WARRANTS # 2874-2938 Incl. APPROVED AND ORDERED PAID ON THE MOTION OF

34 COUNCILMAN SMITH AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN O'MARA.

35 Police Chief's Report:

36 Chief Wood reported on the Traffic Boy's Day held at Albert's Field, and
37 expressed his pride in the fine showing the boys made in all the activities.

38 Wade Thomas School took First Place in the marching, and a good share
39 of the prizes for the athletic events were taken by San Anselmo Boys.

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41 Chief Wood also said that the boys deserved a great deal of credit for
42 their fine record and the efficient way they have handled their jobs.

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44 CITY ENGINEER'S REPORT:

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46 City Engineer Siemer stated that he believed it wise to guy the traffic
47 signals as an additional safety measure.

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49 MEETING ADJOURNED AT 11:55 TO JUNE 26, 1951.

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51 Read and approved this 26 day of June 1951.

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53 *R. M. O.*
54 *Al. Scaggins, Deputy*
55 RAY M. ZVERDICK, CITY CLERK
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