

ORDINANCE NO. 160

AN ORDINANCE CALLING AND PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO, MARIN COUNTY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ON THE 12TH DAY OF JUNE, 1920, TO SUBMIT TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SAID TOWN THE PROPOSITION OF INCURRING A BONDED DEBT BY SAID TOWN FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING FOR CERTAIN STREET WORK IN SAID TOWN.

WHEREAS the Board of Trustees of the Town of San Anselmo, in the County of Marin, State of California, did on the 17th day of May, 1920, by the affirmative vote of the five members of said Board of Trustees of said Town adopt a resolution determining that the public interest and necessity demanded the acquisition, construction and completion of a certain municipal improvement in said Town namely, the grading and paving of certain streets in said Town as hereinafter set forth in section 1 of this ordinance. ~~and since the cost of said municipal improvement will require~~ an expenditure greater than the amount allowed for such improvement by the annual tax levy and will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said municipality; and

WHEREAS said resolution, after its said passage and adoption by said Board of Trustees, was by the executive of said municipality, namely, the President of said Board, duly approved in writing over his official signature on said 17th day of May, 1920, and said resolution was thereupon on said 17th day of May, 1920, certified by the Clerk of said Town and filed in his office and now remains on file and of record therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, the said Board of Trustees of the Town of San Anselmo do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. A special election is hereby called and ordered to be held in said Town of San Anselmo on Saturday

submitting at said election to the qualified voters of said Town the proposition of incurring a bonded debt by said Town in the sum of Ninety-five thousand (\$95,000.) Dollars, for the purpose set forth in said resolution, namely, the acquisition, construction and completion of a certain municipal improvement, to-wit, the grading and paving of certain streets in said Town as follows:

First: The Ross Landing and Red Hill Road from the Northerly line of Barber Avenue, extended across said Road, to the Olema and San Rafael Road.

Second: The Olema and San Rafael Road from the Westerly line of Ancha Vista Avenue, extended across said Road, to the Westerly limits of the Town of San Anselmo.

Third: San Anselmo Avenue from the Southerly line of Bolinas Avenue to Scenic Avenue, including the railroad crossings at Bolinas Avenue, Ross Avenue and Tunstead Avenue, and those portions of said Avenues connecting San Anselmo Avenue with the Ross Landing and Red Hill Road, but excepting from San Anselmo Avenue that portion thereof from the Northerly line of Ross Avenue to the Northerly line of Pine Street.

Fourth: Scenic Avenue from San Anselmo Avenue to the Southwesterly line of Forest Avenue extended across Scenic Avenue, and Forest Avenue from its intersection with Scenic Avenue to the Northwesterly line of Willow Avenue extended across Forest Avenue.

Fifth: Saunders Avenue from San Anselmo Avenue to the Olema and San Rafael Road, including the railroad crossing near San Anselmo Avenue.

Sixth: Willow Avenue from the Northeasterly line of Forest Avenue to the Olema and San Rafael Road, including the railroad crossing near Forest Avenue.

The estimated cost of the acquisition, construction and completion of said municipal improvement is hereby estimated by said Board at the sum of Ninety-five thousand (\$95,000.) Dollars, and said estimated cost will require an expenditure greater than the amount allowed for such improvement by the annual tax levy and will be too great to be paid out of the ordinary annual income and revenue of said municipality.

SECTION 2: The assessed valuation of all the real and personal property of said Town of San Anselmo, as shown by the last equalized assessment roll thereof is the sum of One million, nine hundred and eight thousand, seven hundred and ninety (\$1,908,790.) Dollars; and there is no indebtedness, bonded or otherwise, now against said Town of San Anselmo, save and except the sum of Ninety-one thousand six hundred and thirty (\$91,630.) Dollars; and the amount of said proposed bonded indebtedness, to-wit, the sum of Ninety-five thousand (\$95,000.) Dollars, together with all other indebtedness incurred or to be incurred is less than fifteen (15) per cent of said assessed value.

SECTION 3. The Board of Trustees of said Town of San Anselmo proposes to issue and sell bonds of said Town of San Anselmo for the purpose set forth in said proposition in the amount of Ninety-five thousand (\$95,000.) Dollars, provided at least two-thirds of the qualified voters of said Town of San Anselmo voting at said special election shall vote in favor of said proposition. Said bonds shall be

negotiable in form and of the character known as "Serial", and shall bear interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of said Town of San Anselmo, in the County of Marin, State of California.

SECTION 4. The special election hereby called and ordered to be held shall be held and conducted, and the votes thereat received and canvassed, and the return thereof made, and the result thereof ascertained, determined and declared, as herein provided, and in all particulars not recited herein such election shall be held as provided by law for holding municipal elections in said Town of San Anselmo.

The polls at the polling places hereinafter designated shall be opened at six o'clock in the morning of said day of election, and shall be kept open continuously thereafter until seven o'clock in the afternoon of said day of election, when the polls shall be closed except as provided in section 1164 of the Political Code of the State of California.

The ballots to be used at said special election shall be such as may be required by law to be used thereat, and in addition to any other matter required by law to be printed thereon there shall appear thereon the following:

SPECIAL MUNICIPAL BOND ELECTION.

Saturday, June 12th, 1920.

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS.

To vote for a proposition, and thereby authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount and for the purpose stated herein, stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the word "Yes".

To vote against a proposition and thereby refuse to authorize the incurring of a bonded indebtedness to the amount and for the purpose stated herein, stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the word "No".

All marks except the cross (X) are forbidden, all distinguishing marks or erasures are forbidden and make the ballot void.

If you wrongfully stamp, tear, or deface this ballot return it to the Inspector of Election and obtain another.

PROPOSITION.

Shall the Town of San Anselmo incur a bonded indebtedness in the sum of \$95,000. for the acquisition, construction and completion of a municipal improvement, to-wit; street work consisting of grading and paving certain streets?

Yes	:	:
No	:	:

Sample ballots containing the above matter required to be printed thereon shall be supplied to the electors of said Town of San Anselmo by the Town Clerk, but a failure on the part of any elector to receive such sample ballot shall not be held to invalidate the election or affect in any manner the legality of any bonds that may be authorized thereat.

SECTION 5. There shall be two special election precincts within said Town for the purpose of holding said special election, which shall be known as "Special Election Precinct No. 1", and "Special Election Precinct No. 2", respectively.

Special Election Precinct No. 1 shall consist of a consolidation of regular election precincts Nos. 1 and 2, as established by the County Board of Supervisors for holding regular county and state elections.

Special Election Precinct No. 2 shall consist of the remaining territory in said Town, and a consolidation of regular election precincts Nos. 3 and 4, as established by the County Board of Supervisors for holding the regular county and state elections.

The polling place for "Special Election Precinct No. 1" shall be at Lansdale School House, and the officers to conduct said special election in said precinct are hereby appointed and designated as follows:

Inspector (1) H. E. C. Feusier

Judges (2) Wm. Schultz

Delia Charick

Clerks (2) Leslie Kiernan

Mae Mack

The polling place for "Special Election Precinct No. 2" shall be at the Town Hall, and the officers to conduct said special election in said precinct are hereby designated as follows:

Inspector (1) Emma G. Foley

Judges (2) Antoinette Hecht

Louise Bettega

Clerks (2) Frances M. Studley

Charles Cartwright

The said persons appointed as election officers are hereby found and declared to be legally qualified for their respective positions.

SECTION 6. Any qualified elector of the Town of San Anselmo who shall have been registered according to law during the year 1920, and at least thirty days prior to said election, may vote at said special election for or against said proposition herewith submitted.

SECTION 7. The Clerk of said Town is hereby directed to procure all supplies that may be necessary to properly and lawfully conduct said special election and to procure and cause to be provided at the expense of said Town

a sufficient number of indices to the affidavits of registration, and a sufficient number of ballots and to furnish and prepare the same for use of the voters at said special election.

SECTION 8. When the polls are closed the officers of election shall count the ballots cast and canvass the votes cast respectively for and against the proposition herein stated, and make return thereof to said Board of Trustees as required by law, and the said Board of Trustees shall meet and canvass said returns on Monday, the 14th day of June, 1920, at the hour of eight o'clock P. M., and if upon such canvass it shall be found that at least two-thirds of the qualified voters of the Town of San Anselmo voting at said special election voted in favor of said proposition, then bonds of the Town of San Anselmo in the said amount of Ninety-five thousand (\$95,000.) Dollars shall be issued by said Town as aforesaid.

SECTION 9. This ordinance shall be published once a week for two weeks prior to said day of election in the San Anselmo Herald, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published less than six days a week in said Town, and this ordinance and said publication thereof shall constitute the notice of said election.

SECTION 10. This ordinance shall be forthwith entered (~~upon the minutes of this Board of Trustees and~~) in the Ordinance Book of said Town, and shall take effect upon its passage and approval.

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I hereby approve the foregoing Ordinance this 24 day of May, 1920.

C. A. Pinkham
President of the Board of Trustees
of the Town of San Anselmo.

ATTEST:

Arthur W. Audley
Clerk of the Town of San
Anselmo.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 160 was introduced at a regular adjourned meeting of the Board of Trustees of said Town of San Anselmo held on Tuesday the 18th day of May, 1920, and that at a regular adjourned meeting of said Board of Trustees held on Monday the 24th day of May, 1920, it was passed and adopted by a vote of two-thirds or all of its members, the vote thereon being as follows:

Ayes: Trustees Linnell, Hunt, Thomas and Pinkham
Noes: Trustees None
Absent: Trustees Shepherdson

I further certify that after said Ordinance was duly passed and adopted by said Board of Trustees the same was approved and signed on the 24th day of May, 1920, by C. A. Pinkham, the President of said Board of Trustees of the said Town of San Anselmo.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the said Town of San Anselmo this 24th day of May, 1920.

SEAL

Arthur W. Audley
Clerk of the Town of San Anselmo.