

ORDINANCE NO. 216

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 207 ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING TRAFFIC UPON THE PUBLIC STREETS OF THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT HEREWITH" BY ADDING THERETO SECTIONS 30 A AND 30 B.

The City Council of the Town of San Anselmo do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Ordinance No. 207 entitled "An Ordinance Regulating Traffic Upon The Public Streets Of The Town Of San Anselmo And Repealing All Ordinances Inconsistent Herewith" adopted July 7, 1930, and as amended, is hereby amended by adding thereto two Sections to be numbered Section 30A and Section 30B respectively, and to read as follows:

Section 30A. Upon the approach, from any direction, of any vehicle or apparatus of the fire or police departments of the Town of San Anselmo, or ambulance, answering an alarm of fire, or emergency call, and sounding a siren or bell, or other alarm known to be the alarm of warning of the apparatus or vehicles of the fire or police departments or an ambulance, the driver of any other vehicle than a vehicle or apparatus of aforesaid departments, or an ambulance on an emergency call, shall immediately drive as closely as possible to the right hand curb and stop, and shall not proceed until such apparatus or vehicle of aforesaid departments or ambulance shall have passed on for a distance of one thousand feet and shall not follow within one thousand feet thereof.

No vehicle, except by direction of the fire chief or other authorized officer of the fire department or any member of the police department, shall approach, stand or park on a public street or thoroughfare within one thousand feet of a fire at any time, or be parked or left standing thereon so as to in any way interfere with the work of the fire department, or be parked or left standing on any public street, or thoroughfare which might be used by the vehicles of the fire or police departments in going to said fire, except parallel to and within one foot of the curb thereof; provided, this section shall not apply to apparatus or vehicles of the fire or police departments, or any ambulance answering an emergency call.

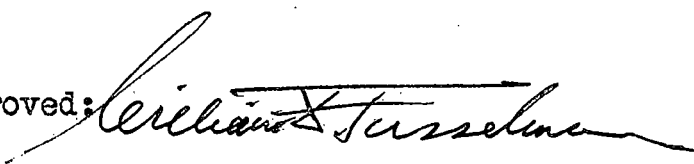
Section 30B. The Chief of the fire department or such other officer thereof as shall be in charge at any fire shall establish fire lines during any serious fire, and when deemed by him advisable shall notify the police department or any members thereof of such fire lines, and the members of the fire or police departments shall prohibit and prevent anyone from going within such fire lines, or expel from within said fire lines anyone therein, except such persons as may be authorized or permitted to be within said fire lines by some member of the fire or police departments; and no person shall enter or remain within said fire lines so established except by such authority or permission, unless he resides or his

place of business is located therein.

Section 2. The Clerk is hereby directed to cause this Ordinance to be published once in the Marin Herald, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in said Town of San Anselmo, and hereby designated for that purpose.

Section 3. This Ordinance is declared to be for the immediate preservation and protection of the public peace, health and safety and one of urgency and shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval. The facts constituting such urgency are the present dry season of the year and the presence in and around said Town of quantities of dry grass, brush, leaves and inflammable material, and the fact that heretofore upon an alarm of fire people have driven vehicles so close to the scene of the fire and in such numbers as to block the approach thereto of the authorized fire and police vehicles, seriously hindering the work of the fire department and threatening a spread of such fire, evidencing the necessity for the immediate protection of persons and property by making provision by ordinance regulating and controlling such practices.

Approved:

  
President of the City Council  
And Mayor of the Town of  
San Anselmo.

Attest:

  
Clerk.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly and regularly introduced at a <sup>SPECIAL</sup> ~~regular~~ meeting of the City Council of the Town of San Anselmo held on

the 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 1932, and thereafter finally passed and approved at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1932 by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCILMEN	<i>McAnany,</i> <i>Scottford, Jordan, Wright and Fusselman</i>
NOES:	COUNCILMEN	<i>None</i>
ABSENT:	COUNCILMEN	<i>None.</i>

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of said Town this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1932.

*W. T. Brown*  
Clerk.