

2012 Special Bond and Charter Election

City of San Antonio Registered Voters will have the opportunity to vote on 5 Bond Propositions and 1 Charter Amendment Proposition. The \$596 million Bond Projects outlined in the 2012-2017 Bond Program will be divided into five infrastructure categories:

- Streets, Bridges & Sidewalks - 41 projects - \$337.44 million
- Drainage & Flood Control - 17 projects - \$128.03 million
- Parks, Recreation & Open Space - 68 projects - \$87.15 million
- Library, Museum & Cultural Arts Facilities - 11 projects - \$29.03 million
- Public Safety Facilities - 3 projects - \$14.35 million

The proposed 140-project bond program would be the largest in the City's History.

A City of San Antonio property tax rate increase is not recommended to fund the proposed 2012-2017 Bond Program. The City's current property tax rate is projected to be sufficient to fund the debt service payments for the program.

Special points of interest:

- > Election Information
- > Dates and Deadlines
- > Staff at work

Information pertinent to the May Election can be found on the Office of the City Clerk website - www.sanantonio.gov/clerk

Friday, April 27, 2012	Fiesta - San Jacinto HOLIDAY-Office of the City Clerk closed.
April 30-May 8, 2012	Early Voting Period
Saturday, May 12, 2012	Election Day (7:00 am-7:00 pm)

Personal Financial Statements (PFS)

For Mayor, City Councilmembers,
City Manager and City Attorney

Due April 30, 2012 by 5:00 p.m.

Reporting period January 1, 2011–December 31, 2011

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Semi-Annual Report of

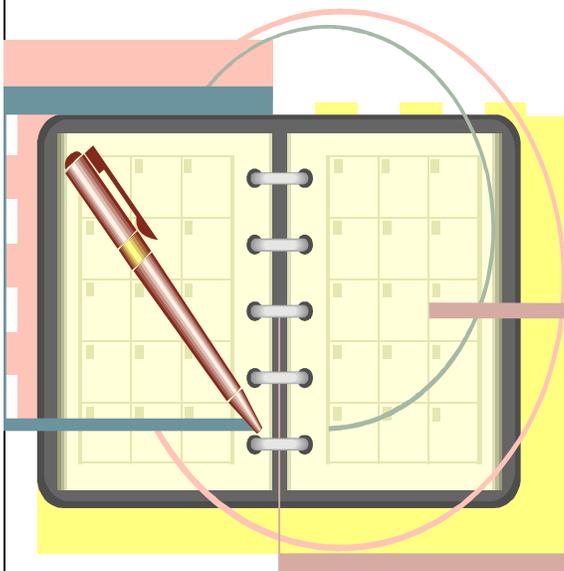
Campaign Contributions and Expenditures (C&E)

For Mayor and City Councilmembers

Due July 15, 2012 by 5:00 p.m.

Reporting period January 1, 2012–June 30, 2012

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Martin Luther King, Jr. March

Thousands of San Antonians came out on Monday, January 16, 2012, for the 25th Annual Martin Luther King, Jr. March. Participants of the 2-mile march included Councilmember Carlton Soules and his wife Laura, Councilmember Elisa Chan and her daughter Nikola, Texas State Senator Leticia Van de Putte, and City Clerk Leticia Vacek. San Antonio is host to one of the largest marches in the United States, and the event drew more than 100,000 adults and children to honor one of the nation's most revered civil rights leader.

Hannibal Pianta Tour

On January 15, 2012, City Clerk Leticia Vacek and Assistant City Clerk Tina Flores took an Educational Tour of Hannibal Pianta's Architectural Works of Art, that can be seen throughout the City of San Antonio, as well as the State of Texas. The group began its tour from Jefferson High School, which is covered with a great variety of cast stone shapes and figures. Councilmember Leticia Ozuna's parents Ted and Sylvia Ozuna (pictured 1st and 3rd from left) also joined in on the tour.



Wear Red Day



The Office of the City Clerk staff participated in the National Wear Red Day on February 3, 2012. The annual event is sponsored by the American Heart Association to raise awareness of cardio vascular disease and stroke in women.



Parliamentarian



Brandon Smith, Council Committee Coordinator in the Office of the City Clerk, was appointed to the position of Parliamentarian for the National Forum of Black Public Administrators (NFBPA)-San Antonio Chapter. In his capacity, Mr. Smith will guide the organization on the proper usage of Robert's Rules of Order to conduct successful business meetings.

Passport Quarterly Statistics

Applications processed

January -503
February -604
March -1065

Photos taken

January - 211
February -194
March - 270

Revenue for the Month

January - \$17,072
February - \$19,675
March - \$31,687



Revenue generated for the Quarter-\$68,434



The Municipal Records Facility staff processed the following City records:

Incoming storage boxes

January - 557 cu. ft.
February - 288 cu. ft.
March - 706 cu. ft.

Records destroyed

January - 1365 cu. ft.
February - 1527 cu. ft.
March - 235 cu. ft.

1 cu. ft. equals 2.5 boxes

New Employees

The Office of the City Clerk introduces two new staff members. Martha Lambaria (right), Administrative Assistant II, joined the City in February. She was previously employed at South San Antonio I.S.D. and Southwest I.S.D. in the Grants and Records Management Departments. She graduated from Texas A&M University - San Antonio with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology.



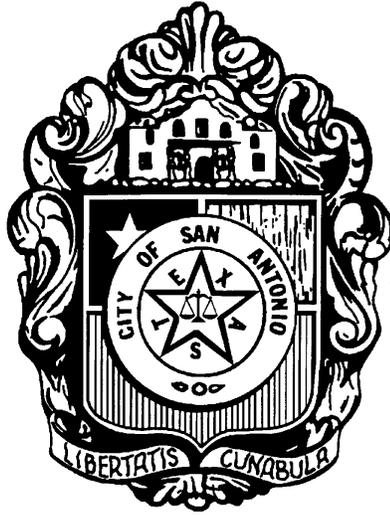
Rebekah Jamison (left), joined the City in March as the Senior Executive Secretary to the City Clerk. Previously, Ms Jamison was employed at the City of McAllen for 11 years in the Planning, and Risk Management Departments.



Municipal Leadership Institute (MLI)

The Office of the City Clerk hosted the MLI Training at the Central Library on February 21, 2012. Councilmember Ivy R. Taylor (below left), welcomed 43 New Board Members to the session. Budget Program Specialist Joel Jenks (below right), presented an overview of the City Budget; City Attorney Camila Kunau, gave a presentation on the City Ethics Code and the Open Meetings Act; and City Clerk Leticia M. Vacek, presented on the appointment process and outlined the responsibilities of the board members.





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Bids & Contract Management
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Campaign Finance Reporting/Filing
Ceremonials
City Council Minutes
Codification of Ordinances
Council Committee Minutes
Financial Disclosure Reports
Personal Financial Statements Filings
Publication of Notices
Passport Acceptance Facility
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