

MINUTES OF Regular MEETING OF THE CITY
COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN, TEXAS,
HELD September 18, 1951, at 7:30 P. M.

On this the 18th day of September, A. D. , 1951, the City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, convened in Regular session in the regular meeting place in said City, with the following members thereof, to-wit:

<u>Granville Wright</u>	<u>Mayor</u>
<u>Joe Stegall</u>	<u>Commissioner Ward No. 1</u>
<u>J. M. Snell</u>	<u>Commissioner Ward No. 2</u>
	<u>Commissioner Ward No. 3</u>
<u>H. A. Treadwell</u>	<u>Commissioner Ward No. 4</u>
<u>Harry Steenson</u>	<u>City Manager</u>
<u>Barney Bradshaw</u>	<u>City Secretary</u>
<u>C. E. Brazil</u>	<u>City Attorney</u>

being present and the following absent: L. B. Zaagler

constituting a quorum when the following business was transacted:

1 The minutes of the meeting of September 4, 1951, were approved, motion of Commissioner Snell, seconded by Commissioner Treadwell.

2 August bills as presented were approved for payment, motion of Commissioner Snell, seconded by Commissioner Stegall.

3 Mrs. H. L. Hallmark appeared to oppose an increase in valuation on the property located across from Pinedale Manor on 3rd Street, such increase being recommended by the equalization board contingent on the elimination of a bad drainage condition which causes the flooding of this property during rain. The Commission agreed to leave the valuation at the 1950 level because of its financial inability to correct the drainage problem.

4 Mrs. John M. Mason was referred to the equalization^{board} in opposing the valuation set on property owned by John M. Mason.

5 Mr. A. E. Cudlipp requested that the City share 50% of the cost of providing an extension of a storm sewer across the Lufkin Foundry property. The Commission took no action on his proposal.

6 Mr. George Jones opposed the City Manager's action in cancelling his chauffeur's license. The Commission deferred action pending further investigation.

7 A request for an addition taxicab^{license} by Jimmie Wideman was approved, ^{Motion} Commissioner Stegall, seconded by Commissioner Snell.

8 Application for Zone Change as submitted by Robert E. Wilson was approved to be advertised, motion by Commissioner Stegall, seconded by Commissioner Snell.

9 The Commission approved payment of \$10.00 per day for seven days for each of the equalization board members. Motion Commissioner Stegall seconded by Commissioner Treadwell.

10 Commissioner Stegall made a motion that the \$19,000.00 in Sewer Warrants which were issued originally for the construction of the sewer plant in the amount of \$25,000.00, only \$6,000.00 being used, be cancelled. Commissioner Snell seconded the motion and the \$19,000.00 in Sewer Warrants were burned in the presence of the Commissioners.

11 A request to close an alley, shown on the city map as Clark Street was disapproved.

12 Commissioner Stegall moved for the restriction of Parking on one side of Bonner Street, between Ellis and Kihn. Commissioner Snell seconded the motion *which was approved*

13 Mayor Wright recommended that Commission approval be given financial reports before releasing such information to the newspaper.

14 It was further recommended that traffic violators be sent a second notice by the Corporation Court Judge before issuing a bench warrant for such violators.


Mayor Granville Wright

ATTEST:


City Secretary