

650  
MINUTES OF A CALL MEETING OF THE  
CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN,  
TEXAS, HELD JUNE 26th, 1934.

-----  
Be it remembered that on this the 26th day of June, A.D. 1934,  
there was begun and holden a call meeting of the City Commission of the  
City of Lufkin, Texas, at the Municipal Office in said City, with the  
following officers of the City present and presiding, to-wit:-

C. A. Burke,	Mayor,
Louis Hicks,	Coms. Ward No. 2,
W. A. Abney,	Coms. Ward No. 4,
R. C. Musslewhite,	City Attorney, and
T. L. Dunn,	City Secretary, and
	Acting City Manager.

W. O. Greene, Commissioner of Ward No. 1, and D. A. Campbell, Com-  
missioner of Ward No. 3 were absent.

The following proceedings were had, to-wit:-

-----oOo-----

J. E. Wilson appeared before the City Commission and asked that  
a reduction in the taxes assessed against the Jack Shotwell Place,  
now owned by him, be given him for the reason, as calimed by him, that  
the assessments were to high. The matter having been duly considered,  
on motion duly made and carried his appllication was refused.

-----oOo-----

Ed C. Burris, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce appeared be-  
fore the Commission and recommended that applicat~~ion~~ be made for Fed-  
eral Aid in the Construction of Highways Nos. 40 and 94 through the  
City Limits. The matter having been considered, it was moved by Louis  
Hicks and seconded by W. A. Abney that a resolution be passed author-  
izing Mayor C A Burke to make formal application ~~through~~ the State High-  
way Department for Federal Funds to pave Highways Nos. 40 and 94  
through the City Limits of the City of Lufkin. The motion was put by  
the Mayor and it carried unanimously. (See another~~rr~~ page of these  
minutes for a record of the resolution).

-----oOo-----

The Tax Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, represented by Ed  
C. Burris and C. B. Richardson appeared before the City Commission to  
render such service and offer such suggestions and make such recommen-  
dations as deemed advisable to the City Commission on the occasion of  
the adoption of the Annual Budget. The Budget was briefly reviewed,  
and said Committee made the following recommendations, to-wit:- That  
in the expenditure of funds for the year that the city live within its  
inc~~omme~~; to begin an effort to collect delinquent taxes and to start  
setting aside moneys to build up the sinking fund in order to be able  
to meet principal payments on bonds that will mature within the next

651

six to ten years. These recommendations were received by the City Commission gladly and agreed that they were well taken and that an effort would be made to carry them out.

-----oOo-----

Then came up for final adoption of the 1934-35 City Budget. It having been already studied and it appearing that it had been properly published as provided by Charter and it appearing that no objection had been filed or made against it as advertised, but it further appearing that there should be added an amount of \$120.00 to the salary of the meter man in the water department, and it having been recommended by the City Manager, it was moved that said Budget with the addition of the item of \$120.00 be adopted. The motion was made by W.A. Abney and seconded by Louis Hicks and it carried unanimously when put to a vote. (See another page of these minutes for a copy of the Budget)

-----oOo-----

There being no further business to come before the meeting, on motion duly made and carried, it adjourned.

-----oOo-----

The above and foregoing minutes read and approved on this the 3rd day of July, A.D. 1934.

Attest:-

J L Quinn  
City Secretary.

W. A. Abney  
Mayor, City of Lufkin, Texas.