## MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COMMISSION HELD NOVEMBER 1936.

Be it remembered that on this the 3rd day of November, A.D. 1936, there was begun and holden a regular 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:-

Kerneth Hoskins,
W. O. Greene,
Lewis Hicks,
J. B. Perry,
Curtis W. Fenley,
T. L. Dunn,
City Secretary and
Acting City Manager.

The following proceedings were had, to-wit:-

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Minutes of all meetings held during the month of October, 1936, were read and on motion duly made and carried were approved as read.

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Mr. W. E. White, Mr. Ballard and Mr. C.L.DuPuy were present and made an appeal for the construction of a water main to follow down Highway No. 35 from the end of the present 4 inch main on said Highway to a point opposite the State Forrest Offices recently built. They asked for a 4 inch main. They presented figures to show the cost of installing such a water main, which ran to around Four Thousand Dollars. They also furnished a list of names who it was said would connect to said main when built.

The matter was thoroughly discussed and considered but inasmuch as no item was set up in the current city budget for such an expense and furthermore the fact that sufficient funds were not available to install such a main, it was passed without an order for construction of same. A promise was made, however, that when the next City Budget was prepared, which would be as of date April 1st, 1937, the matter would again be considered and if it was deemed proper by the then governing body of the City to construct such a water line, some provision would me made for same.

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S. W. Henderson, Jr and Ed C. Burris were present and on behalf of the city presented a proposition made by the State Board of Water Engineers for a survey of territory adjacent to the City of Lufkin to determine what the underground water possibilities for both domestic and industrial were, it being stated that the total cost to the City would not exceed \$1,250.00. The matter was given due and deliberate consideration, after which it was moved by W. O. Greene and seconded by J.B.Perry that the City Commission co-operate with said Board of Water Engineers in having such a survey made, by paying th sum not to exceed \$1,250.00. Motion carried.

Mr. E. I. Kurth and Mr. K. W. Denman appeared before the City Commission on behalf of W. M. Glenn Hardware & Furniture Co. in a matter relating to City Taxes assessed against them, pointing out that the personal property as rendered by Mr. Glenn has been valued at to high a figure; they stating that the merchandise assessed was old and shelf worn and actually was sold out at a much lesser figure than for what it was assessed. The City Commission gave careful consideration to the matter and agreed to accept payment on a basis of 70% of the assessment against the personal property, but would not agree for a reduction at all of the value of the real estate. W. O. Greene made the motion which was seconded by Lewis Hicks, It carried unanimously.

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The matter of a settlement of the City Taxes due by Peavy Bros.being on stock of merchandise was considered. It being made known to the City Commission that said Peavy Bros. had closed their business and made an assignment of property and that a collection of the amount for which they were assessed was a matter of impessibility, if anything at all good be collected, and it further appearing that said Peavy Bros had, by attorney proposed the payment of \$50.00 as full settlement of the amount due on said stock of merchandise etc of the said Peavy Brothers, it was moved by Lewis Hicks and seconded by J. E. Jay that the sum of \$50.00 be accepted, and the City Tax Collecter is by this order authorized to issue receipt for the sum of \$50.00inhfull payment of all city taxes due by said Peavy brothers. The motion carried unsnimously.

Accounts and bills due by the city to various parties, firms and corporations were presented for payment and it appearing that such of said bills as had been properly audited and approved for payment by the City Manager should be paid, on motion duly made and carried they were allowed.

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

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The above and foregoing minutes read and approved on this the 1st day of December, A.D. 1936.

Attest.

City Secretary.

Mayor City of Lufkin Texas.