

Lufkin Texas Nov 5th 1904 -
The City Council of The City of Lufkin met
in regular session with the
following present & acting -

R. B. Shearer Mayor
C. N. Hummer Secy
Dix F. Abney Attorney
R. B. Blodson Health Officer
G. A. Mumford Assr & Collector
B. F. Moore Marshall
J. L. Landy Clerk of Corp Court
Judge J. J. Maroney Recorder
J. M. Smith Assessor
Jim Walker Street Overseer
O. A. Bunkle Alderman
A. J. Glenn Do
C. D. Price Do
J. H. Langcut Do

Minutes of Oct 1st 1904 read
& approved

Report of Corporation Court read
& approved showing amounts
collected on delinquents

Total Fines	18 00
" Clerk's Fees	29 25
" Recorder's Fees	18 00
" Attorneys "	68 00
" Marshall "	33 00
Total	66 25

Report of Pound Master read & approved
showing amount collected \$6 36

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Report of Jim Walker Street Overseer
read & approved
showing Out collected
Amount Paid out $\frac{139.75}{21.00}$ $\frac{93.00}{160.75}$

Report of M. M. L. Seawater
read & approved showing
\$142.50 Collected

On Motion of B. W. Lee by Order Carried that the following
order be passed

At a meeting of the city council held on the 5th, day of November A.D. 1907 came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 24th, day of October A.D. 1907 to determine whether or not bonds of the said city should be issued to the amount of Five Thousand Dollars bearing interest at the rate of five per cent payable in Twenty (20) years after date, payable annually and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity to procure funds with which to pay for the boring of an artesian well on the city reservoir property for the purpose of furnishing water to the citizens of the city of Lufkin. And it appearing that said election was in all respects lawfully held and said returns duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 144 votes of which number 129 were cast for the issuance of bonds and 15 votes were cast "against the issuance of bonds". It is therefore ordered that the proposition to issue said bonds and levy said tax was sustained by a majority of the qualified property tax-payers voting at said election and that the city council of the said city is authorized to issue said bonds and to levy and have assessed and collected said tax.

J. B. Seawater
 Mayor City of Lufkin, Texas

Attest

C. J. Seawater
 City Secretary.

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ON Motion of Price Sec by Quinn That
The following order be passed, all
aldermen voting aye.

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of bonds to procure funds with which to pay for the boring of an artesian well on the city reservoir property for the purpose of furnishing water to the citizens of Lufkin.

Whereas at an election held for the purpose on the 24th day of October A.D. 1907 a majority of the qualified voters who are property tax-payers of the city of Lufkin, Texas voting at said election sustained the proposition to issue the said bonds hereinafter described by a vote of 129 for the issuance of bonds to a vote of 15 against the issuance of bonds, therefore.

1- Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Lufkin, Texas that the bonds of said city to be called "City of Lufkin Bonds" be issued under and by virtue of Art. 486 Revised Statutes of Texas 1895 to procure funds with which to pay for the boring of an artesian well on the city reservoir property for the purpose of furnishing water to the citizens of the City of Lufkin.

2- Said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from ONE to TWENTY inclusive, shall be of the denomination of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars each aggregating the sum of Five Thousand Dollars.

3- They shall be dated the first day of November A.D. 1907, shall become due and payable from their date, but may be redeemed at the pleasure of the city at any time ~~1/2~~ after Ten Years from their date.

4- They shall bear interest at the rate of Five per cent per annum payable annually on the first day of November each year.

5- Principal and interest shall be payable on presentation and surrender of bond or proper coupon at Lufkin National Bank.

6- Said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor countersigned by the City Secretary and registered by the City Treasurer and the seal of the city shall be impressed upon each of them.

7- The fac-simile signature of the Mayor and City Secretary may be lithographed on the coupons.

8- It is further ordained by the city council that to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to discharge them at maturity a tax of Five & 2/100 cents on each one hundred dollars valuation on all taxable property in the said city of Lufkin and shall be annually levied on said property and annually assessed and collected until said bonds and interest are paid and said tax is here now levied for the current year and for each succeeding year while said bonds are outstanding and the same shall be assessed and collected for the current year and annually hereafter and applied to the purposes named.

9- It is also ordained that Dixon F. Abney and R. B. Shearer Mayor be authorized to take and have charge of said bonds pending their investigation by the attorney general and upon their approval and registration shall have authority to negotiate their sale and receive for the city the proceeds thereof.

Passed on the 5th day of November A.D. 1907. Approved on the 5th day of November A.D. 1907.

R. B. Shearer
Mayor City of Lufkin, Texas

Attest.

C. J. Shearer
City Secretary.

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On Motion of Price & see by
Burke That the Tax Rolls for
the Year 1907 as prepared by
the Tax Assen be approved
& that said assessor be
charged up with Taxes as
shown by said Rolls -
\$5259⁷⁰

Bills & accounts allowed
as read with Exception of
Claims of Walter Root for 1880⁰⁰, C. H. Harris
& Jim McKinnis.

On Motion of Burke see
by Glenn Carver agreed

V. B. Sharn

C. H. Harnsaw
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