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1. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mayor Woodrow W. Scott wherein he invoked devine guidance of the City Commission in its deliberations and for the people of the City.

ing business was transacted:

- 2. The minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 15, were read and approved.
- 3. Evelyn Behannon and Mr. and Mrs. Havard presented to the City Commission a request that a portion of Church Street in the Townsend Addition extending from Marjorie Avenue to Ralph Avenue be closed. A Resolution was passed authorizing the closing of such portion of said street and authorizing the Mayor to execute quit-claim deeds to the abutting property owners of said street.
- 4. The Zone Application of R. B. Thompson was presented requesting change of zone from "B" District to "H" District on Lots Numbers 14, 15 and 16 in Block Number 1 of the Clark Addition to the City of Lufkin. The notice of such application was ordered published for hearing for the regular meeting of the City Commission on the 5th day of April, 1955.
- 5. Mr. Musslewhite and Mr. Fenley appeared before the Commission and requested certain streets and alleys which had never been opened for public use be closed in a portion of the Denman Addition, such property being adjacent to Timber-land Drive. It was voted to close such portions of said streets and alleys as requested by them.

- 6. The Reverend McCormick, who resides at 720 Abney Avenue, came before the Commission and asked for a reduction of his taxes. The matter was referred to the City Manager who would check the records with the City Tax Collector and act according to what the records reflected.
- 7. Certain retail filling station operators came before the Commission and requested the passage of a filling station ordinance; that is, requiring retail filling stations to display signs or placards giving the price of gasoline offered for sale. Such placards were not to be less than 7 inches in height nor less than 8 inches in width, nor larger than 12 inches in height nor larger than 12 inches in width. Such ordinance was postponed until the next regular meeting in order that the City Attorney and the members of the Commission might have more time in which to study such proposed ordinance.
- 8. "Cotton" Harrell, who owns land adjoining the airport tract of land owned by the City of Lufkin, suggested a trade of a portion of his land for a portion of the City's land. He agreed to have a survey made of the two portions of land and then he would report back to the Commission for a further discussion.
- 9. Bids were opened for painting and repairing the elevated water tank located on Kiln Avenue. Texarkana Tank and Bridge Company was the lowest and best bidder and it was awarded the contract for such work in the sum of \$2930.00.
- 10. It was voted not to refund occupation taxes paid the City by the Fun House in the Fairchild Building.
- 11. Public hearing on the proposed budget for the fiscal year 1955-1956 was set for March 15.
- 12. What should be the best policy and disposition of parties found drunk in automobiles within the City was discussed and final action was postponed until the next regular meeting of the Commission, in order to get further information and for more time in which to study the matter.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting adjourned.

Mayor, City of Lufkin

ATTEST:

City Secretary