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MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING
OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN,
TEXAS, HELD NOV. 2nd, 1926.

Be it remembered that on this the 2nd day of November, A.D. 1926, there was begun and holden a regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, at the Municipal Office of said city with the following officers present:- J. W. Hawkins, Mayor, Joe C. Denman, Commissioner of Ward No. 1, A. M. Walker, Commissioner of Ward No. 2, W. A. Behannon, Commissioner of Ward No. 3, E. W. Leach, Commissioner of Ward No. 4, V. R. Smitham, City Manager, W. O. Seale, City Attorney and T. L. Dunn, City Secretary, when the following proceedings were had, to-wit:-

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Minutes of former meeting read, and on motion duly made and carried were adopted as read.

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Mr. M. G. Johnson and wife who reside on Shepherd Ave. and adjoining residence property of Harry Abram, appeared before the City Commission, complaining about the noise being made by geese owned by the said Harry Abram, and asked that an ordinance be passed making it a violation of the law for a person to keep geese in an enclosure within three or four hundred feet of a private residence in the corporate limits of the City of Lufkin. After due consideration of the matter it was moved by Joe C. Denman and seconded by W. A. Behannon that City Manager V. R. Smitham and Commissioner E. W. Leach be and are hereby directed to confer with the said Harry Abram about said matter in order to see if he would not remove his geese. The motion carried unanimously.

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"AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE TAXING OF COSTS AGAINST EACH DEFENDANT IN CRIMINAL ACTIONS TRIED IN THE CORPORATION COURT TO BE COLLECTED OF THE DEFENDANT IN CASE OF HIS CONVICTION" was presented for passage and approval on second and final reading. After discussion of same, on motion made by Joe C. Denman and seconded by E. W. Leach, that said ordinance be placed on second reading and passed and approved thereon, the mayor put the question and requested all members who favored the passage of said ordinance on second reading to vote "Aye" and those opposed to vote "No". The following members voted "Aye"- J. W. Hawkins, Joe C. Denman, A. M. Walker, W. A. Behannon and E. W. Leach. The following members voted "No"- none. Whereupon the Mayor declared the motion carried and the ordinance passed and approved on second and final reading.

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Came on for consideration the question of installing street lights at the following places, to-wit: one at intersection of Grimes Street and Lake Street, one at intersection of Davis Street and Lake Street and one on South Second Street, formerly Abram Street. After discussing the matter it was voted that streets lights be installed at the places designated.

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All 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 by the city manager should be paid, on motion duly made and carried same were allowed as appears on the minutes of accounts allowed.

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

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The above and foregoing minutes read and approved on this the 7th day of December, A. D. 1926.

J. W. Hawkins
Mayor, City of Lufkin, Texas.

Attest:-

J. L. Luman
City Secretary.