

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF CITY  
COMMISSION HELD OCTOBER  
5th, 1926.

Be it remembered that on this the 5th day of October, A. D. 1926, there was begun and helden a regular meeting of the City Commission of said City at the municipal office, thereof in said city with the following officers present and presiding:- Dr. J. W. Hawkins, Mayor, Joe C. Denman, City Commission of Ward No. 1, A. M. Walker, City Commissioner of Ward No. 2, E. W. Leach, Commissioner of Ward No. 4, (W.A. Behannon-) Commissioner of Ward No. 3 being absent) 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 meetings read, and on motion duly made and carried were approved as read.

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An Ordinance authorizing the issuance and execution of a note of the City of Lufkin in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars to the First State Bank & Trust Co of Lufkin, Texas, and authorizing and providing for the setting aside of revenue of the General Tax Fund and the earnings of Waterworks and sewer systems to provide a sinking fund for the payment of interest and the payment of said note, was introduced for passage and approval on second reading. A.M.Walker made a motion which was seconded by E.W.Leach, that said ordinance be finally passed on second reading, which question having been put by the mayor, same carried unanimously and the mayor declared the motion carried and the ordinance passed on second reading.

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County Judge R. A. Courtney appeared as representative of the County Commissioners Court relative to the matter of providing paving of parking space around the court house square. After discussion of the matter the city agreed to go 50-50 on the expense of such improvement except that of construction of sidewalk around the court house, provided a hard surface pavement is constructed.

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On motion made by A.M.Walker seconded by E.W.Leach, it was ordered that special permission be given to a carnival company to operate in the city during the county fair, and to remit city occupation license on same. The Motion carried unanimously.

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On motion by Joe C. Denman seconded by E. W. Leach, an ordinance was passed on first reading requiring club rooms, domino halls, bowling alleys and such like to operate only on floors of building other than ground floors. The motion carried unanimously.

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The City Manager reported the appointment of Jared E. Mathews and H. T. Glover as city policeman and C. H. Rice as City Recorder, and asked that his action be confirmed by the City Commission. Therefore, on motion made by A. M. Walker and seconded by Joe C. Denman, the city manager's action in the appointments as aforesaid are hereby in all things confirmed.

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Accounts and bills due by the city to various parties, firms and corporations were presented for payment and it appearing that such of said accounts and bills as had been properly audited and allowed or approved by the City Manager should be paid, on motion duly made and carried same were 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 2nd day of November, A. D. 1926.

J. W. Hawkins  
Mayor of Lufkin, Texas.

Attest:-

J. L. Dunn  
City Secretary.