

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN, TEXAS, HELD FIRST DAY OF SEPTEMBER
195 9, at 7:30 P. M.

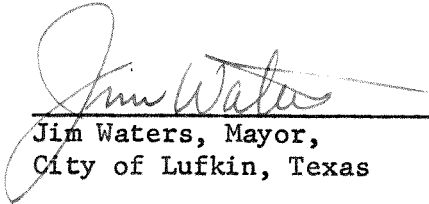
On this the FIRST day of SEPTEMBER, A. D., 195 9,
the City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, convened in
regular session, in the regular meeting place in said
City, with the following members thereof, towit:

Jim Waters, Mayor
E. Kurl Shirey, Commissioner,, Ward No. 1
W. C. Royle, Commissioner, Ward No. 2
Bayo Hopper, Commissioner, Ward No. 3
H. E. Rowin, Commissioner, Ward No. 4
Harold Schmitzer, City Manager
Lynn Durham, City Secretary
Dan Brazil, City Attorney

being present, and the following absent: _____
_____, constituting a quorum when
the following business was transacted:

1. The Meeting opened with Prayer by City Secretary, Lynn Durham.
2. Minutes of the previous meeting held on August 18, 1959, were read and approved.
3. Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Middleton, Mrs. Etta Gann, and Mrs. Hughey Gann appeared before the Commission to request the closing of ^{One Block} Mickey Street. There was also some question by Mr. and Mrs. Middleton as to encroachment on their property by the new Bowling Alley. Mayor Jim Waters advised that the request for closing Mickey Street would be turned over to the City Planning Commission for study and recommendation. City Manager, Harold Schmitzer, advised that he would have the Engineering Department check on the encroachment question of Mr. and Mrs. Middleton.
4. The first reading of Ordinance covering zone change from "B" to "F" District Lots 1 and 2, Block 82, original Townsite of Lufkin, as requested in application of John S. Redditt and Mrs. I.D. Fairchild, was discussed. Miss Maudice Smith, Mrs. Kenneth Hoskins and Mrs. B.N. Lively were present and protested vigorously the passage on first reading of this Ordinance. John Winston, Jr., William D. Winston and Marcus Swan were present in support of first reading. Due to conflicting opinions, and in order to get the matter settled to serve the best interest, Commissioner H.E. Rowin made a motion that the matter be referred to the City Planning Commission for further study and recommendation. Commissioner Bayo Hopper seconded the motion and the vote was unanimous.
5. Commissioner W.C. Royle made a motion that second and final reading be given to Ordinance covering zone change from "A" to "F" District covering a parcel of land out of the John B. Quinalty League between Ellis and Moore Avenue, facing North Raguet, as requested in the application of Elliott Cavanaugh and Lyle Peden. Commissioner H.E. Rowin seconded the motion, and the vote was unanimous.

6. City Attorney, Dan Brazil, read a resolution that was prepared covering the policy of the City should one of its employees file with Democratic Chairman of Angelina County for Public Office - making it mandatory that such employee resign from his position, whether appointive or elective. Commissioner W.C. Royle moved that the resolution be adopted, seconded by Commissioner Bayo Hopper, and voted unanimously.
7. City Attorney, Dan Brazil, read the caption of the Tax Levy Ordinance for 1959-60 and City Manager, Harold Schmitzer, recommended that it be passed on first and second reading. Commissioner H.E. Rowin made a motion that it be passed on first reading, seconded by Commissioner E. Kurl Shirey, and voted unanimously. Commissioner Bayo Hopper moved that it be passed on second and final reading, seconded by Commissioner H.E. Rowin, and voted unanimously.
8. Open items were gone over and discussed, and deletions made where possible.
9. Mayor Jim Waters called the Commission's attention to a letter received from R.L. Cunningham of the Lufkin Real Estate Board extending an invitation to the City Commission for a luncheon on September 11th at Petty's Restaurant. The Members will advise the Mayor previous to the luncheon whether or not they can attend.
10. There being no further business for consideration, the meeting adjourned.



Jim Waters, Mayor,
City of Lufkin, Texas

ATTEST:



Lynn Durham, City Secretary
City of Lufkin, Texas