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MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE
CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF
LUFKIN, TEXAS, HELD March
4th, 1930.

Be it remembered that on this the 4th day of March A.D. 1930, there was held a regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, at the Municipal Office of said City, with the following officers of the City present and presiding:-

Joe C. Denman,	Mayor,
C. E. Brazil,	Commissioner Ward No. 1.
C. A. Burke,	Commissioner Ward No. 2.
R. C. Jordan,	Commissioner Ward No. 3.
W. A. Abney,	Commissioner Ward No. 4.
W. D. Tiner,	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 were read, and on motion duly made and carried were approved as read.

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An ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE INSTALLATION, CONSTRUCTION, REGULATION, MAINTENANCE, INSPECTION, AND OPERATION OF PRIVIES IN THE CITY OF LUFKIN, TEXAS, AND AREA OF POLICE JURISDICTION THEREOF; AND TO PROVIDE A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF SAID ORDINANCE, OR ANY SECTION THEREOF," was introduced for passage and approval on second and final

reading, C. E. Brazil made a motion which was seconded by C. A. Burke, that said ordinance be placed on second and final reading and that it pass on second reading. The motion having been put by the Mayor, the following vote is now entered of record, to-wit: "Ayes"-Joe C. Denman, C.E. Brazil, R. C. Jordan, and W.A. Abney. "Noes"- None- Whereupon the Mayor declared the motion carried and said ordinance finally passed and approved, and that same shall become effective from and after date of publication, or according to the terms thereof.

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An ordinance entitled "AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE FUNDING OF THE OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS OF SAID CITY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$32,000.00, BY THE ISSUANCE OF INTEREST BEARING WARRANTS IN LIEU THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY OF A TAX SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE ANNUAL INTEREST THEREON AND PROVIDING A SINKING FUND TO RETIRE THEM AT THEIR MATURITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY", was presented for final passage and approval. On motion made by W. A. Abney seconded by C. E. Brazil, said ordinance was properly read to

the City Commission and when put to a vote carried by the following vote: "YEAS" Joe C. Denman, C. E. Brazil, C. A. Burke, R. C. Jordan and W. A. Abney. "NOES"- None. Whereupon the Mayor declared the motion carried and the ordinance finally passed and approved- (See another page of these minutes for a record of said ordinance).

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The City having heretofore authorized the issuance of \$32,000.00 of 6% interest bearing warrants for the purpose of funding certain outstanding indebtedness of the City, and it further appearing that the City has a Surplus of such an amount in its Interest and Sinking Fund, and that the Special Charter of the City provides that said City May invest its surplus funds in its own securities, it was moved by C. A. Burke and seconded by W. A. Abney that the City purchase for its interest and sinking fund the said amount of \$32,000.00 Warrants as above mentioned, a description of which may be found at ontoerh page in these minutes. The motion having been put by the mayor it carried by the following vote, to-wit:-

"YEAS"- Joe C. Denman, C. E. Brazil, C. A. Burke, R. C. Jordan and W. A. Abney. "NOES"- None.- Whereupon the mayor announced that the motion had unanimously carried:.

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W. D. Bynum appeared before the City Commission and insisted that he be paid an amount for that part of Ellis Avenue as he claims passes over his land, which amount was to cover taxes he claims he paid on acreage in excess of his actual acreage, after deducting the amount of land occupied by the Street. After considering the question fully, it appears that the said W.D. Bynum had given back several years ago, willingly and without compensation, a sufficient distance to make the then public road, and that several years later the city limits were enlarged to take in that part of Ellis Avenue and as a result fell heir to such part of said street as had been formerly donated to the County for Public Road purposes, which is now to be used as a public street. On motion made by R.C. Jordan which was seconded by C.E. Brazil it was unanimously carried that if the Said W.D. Bynum would have his land surveyed and it showed that he was rendering and paying on acreage in excess of what he really had that a refund of taxes would be made to him for the year 1929 only on such amount of land as was occupied by the street based on the same value of his other land adjoining said street. The motion carried unanimously, and the City Manager was instructed to advise the said W.D. Bynum of the action of the City Commission.

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Accounts and bills were presented for payment and on motion duly made and carried 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 1st day of April, A.D. 1930.

Attest: J. L. Luce
City Secy.

Joe C. Denman
Mayor, City of Lufkin, Texas.