

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY
COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN, TEXAS, HELD
APRIL 21, 1953, AT 7:30 P. M.

On thie the 21st day of April, A.D., 1953, the City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, convened in regular session at its regular meeting place in said City with the following members thereof present:

Woodrow W. Scott-----Mayor
Elwyn Gipson-----Com. Ward 1
Jack Nerren-----Com. Ward 2
W. F. Collins-----Com. Ward 3
E. C. Brittain-----Com. Ward 4
Joe McClendon-----Actg. City Mgr.
C. E. Brazal-----City Atty.
D. C. Hall-----City Secretary
Absent--None

The Minutes of the regular meeting held April 7, 1953 were read by the Mayor and approved by the Commission. Motion- Gipson. --Second-Collins, all voting "Aye."

1 Mr. Sid Scott, of the Angelina and Neches River Ry. Co. appeared before the Commission, regarding City Ordinance pertaining to operation of trains switching accross street crossings in the City of Lufkin. Mr. Scott asked the Commission to amend said ordinance, to permit the "kicking" of cars accross street crossings, but to require crossings to be attended by a Flagman with red flag in daytime and red lantern after darkness. The Commission agreed to this amendment and asked City Attorney to prepare amendment. Motion- Gipson Second-Nerren. All voting "Yea".

2 The Commission heard proposal of Mr. W. O. Ricks to close an alley running through block bounded by 2nd and 3rd streets and Rolk & Laurel. The Commission did not agree to close alley, but agreed to draw up agreement with Mr. Ricks whereby he could cover rock drainage ditch in rear of his property. Motion- Gipson, Second-Nerren. All voting "Yea".

3 The Commission passed Ordinance rededicating part of South Raguet Street, where it enters South First. First Reading, Motion- Nerren. Second-Gipson. All voting "Yea." Second Reading, Motion-Collins, Seconded-Brittain. All voting "Yea."

4 The Commission opposed reduction of delinquent taxes of J. D. Rawlett property situated on North 3rd STREET described as Lot 6, Blk. 41, Lufkin Addition. Opposed. Motion- Gipson, Second-Nerren. All voting "Yea."

5 The Commission received and approved for publication Zone change application of Lynn Motors, from "A" to "H" district on a tract of land 65 ft. by 308 ft. immediately East of Timberland Drive and South of Laurel Ave. in the City of Lufkin, Texas. Motion-Nerren, Second-Brittain. All voting "Yea."

6 On Motion of Com. Nerren, and Seconded by Com. Brittain, all voting "Yea." Commissioner Elwyn Gipson was appointed Mayor-Pro. Tem.

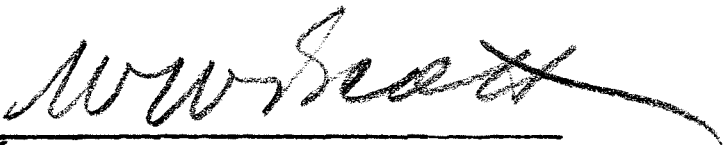
7 On motion of Com. Collins, Seconded by Com. Gipson, all voting "Yea." the Commission voted to make no changes in major policies of previous commission, at this time.

8 The Commission agreed to pay all bills for month of March as presented. Motion-Nerren, Seconded-Brittain, All voting "Yea."

9 The Commission agreed to hold weekly council meetings until further notice. Special Meetings to be held 2nd, 4th and 5th Tuesday Nights at 7:30 P. M. Motion-Collins, Seconded Nerren. All voting "Yea."

¹⁰ The Commission accepted Dunbar Addition to the City of Lufkin, subject to minor changes.

There being no furthur business, the meeting adjourned.



Mayor

ATTEST:



City Secretary