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MINUTES OF A CALL MEETING OF THE  
CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF  
LUFKIN, TEXAS, HELD DEC. 20th, 1927.

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Be it remembered that on this the 20th day of December, A. D. 1927, there was begun and holden a call meeting of the City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, at the Municipal Office thereof in said City: Present and presiding the following officers of the City: J. W. Hawkins, Mayor, A. M. Walker, Commissioner of Ward No. 2, M. C. Spivey, Commissioner of Ward No. 3, M. W. Leach, Commissioner of Ward No. 4, (Joe C Denman, Commissioner of Ward No. 1 being absent) V. R. Smitham, City Manager, W. O. Seale, City Attorney and C.H. Rice, acting City Secretary in the absence of T.L. Dunn, City Secretary, when the following proceedings were had, to-wit:-

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The purpose of the meeting as suggested by the City Manager was to get authority to lay a sewer line on Charlton Street and Kimney Street, a distance of approximately 1800 feet; also toward purchasing 2 trucks, and any other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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After considering the matter of laying the sewer line on Charlton and Kimney streets it was unanimously voted to authorize the City Manager to go ahead with the laying of said main, and it is so ordered.

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The City Manager stated that in the laying of the proposed water main on Ellis Avenue to connect to the present water main on Raguet Street, that he would like to have authority to lay said line so that it would pass between the property of Dr. R. B. Bledsoe and Mrs. L. Mantooth instead of around the street as the the street now runs, as it is contemplated to establish said street on a line between the said Bledsoe and Mantooth property. Such authority is hereby granted.

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There came up for consideration and discussion the question of opening up and grading South Second Street to intersect Huntington Highway. The City Manager is hereby instructed and directed to proceed with such steps as necessary to have said street opened up.

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It appeared that the services of Harry Kerr, Chief of the Fire