

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY
COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN, HELD FEB-
RUARY 17, 1953, AT 7:30 P. M.

On this the 17th day of February A. D. 1953, The City Com-
mission of the City of Lufkin, Texas convened in Regular Session,
at its Regular Meeting place in, said City, with the following
members thereof being present:

Joe Stegall-----Commissioner Ward 1
Jack Nerren-----Commissioner Ward 2
L. B. Zeagler-----Commissioner Ward 3
L. C. Brittain-----Commissioner Ward 4
Joe McClendon-----Acting City Manager
C. E. Brazil-----City Attorney
D. C. Hall-----City Secretary

Absent: Mayor Granville Wright

A Quorum being present. The following business was trans-
acted.

1 The minutes of the regular meeting held February 3rd, 1953
were read and approved.

2 A group of negro citizens, with E. E. Cleaver, as spokes-
man appeared before the Commission with detailed plans for a
Recreation Program for Jones Lake Park. They asked that the
City erect a Recreation Building 30 x 30 feet at Jones Lake,
and appropriate funds to pay supervisor and hostess for this
area, and they, through their civic clubs and Negro Chamber of
Commerce would raise funds to buy the necessary equipment for
this program. On motion of Commissioner Stegall and seconded
by Commissioner Nerren, all voting "yea". The Commission voted
to erect building as described, At a cost of about \$3550.00,
this estimate prepared by city manager. On motion of Commis-
sioner Nerren and seconded by Commissioner Brittain, all voting
"yea". The Commission voted to appropriate the sum of \$1500.00
per anum for hostess and supervision of this program.

3 The Commission voted unanimously to pay all bills for month
of January, 1953 as presented.

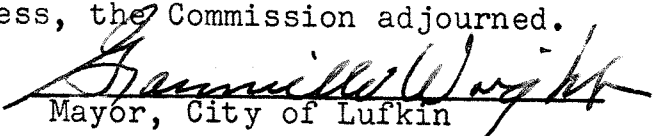
4 On motion of Commissioner Stegall and seconded by Commissioner
Nerren. All voting "yea" the Commission authorized the City
Manager to take bids on reworking and lowering #3 and #5 water
wells. The Commission also authorized the City Manager to take
bids on a 750 Gallon Booster Pumper for the Fire Department.

5 The Council authorized the expenditure of \$50.40 to the
Firemen's Relief Fund to reinstate Jessie Ray and G. A. Gilbert.

6 On motion of Commissioner Nerren and Seconded by Commissioner
Stegall, the Council passed ordinance calling an Election for
First Tuesday in April, 1953, same being April 7th, 1953 for the
purpose of electing a Mayor, a Commissioner from Ward 1, and a
Commissioner from Ward 3.

7 The Council approved schedule of salary increase of \$15.00
to \$25.00, as prepared by the City Manager, for salaried personnel,
except City Hall Employees. Schedule attached hereto.

There being no further business, the Commission adjourned.


Mayor, City of Lufkin

ATTEST:


D. C. Hall, City Secretary