

MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE
CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN,
TEXAS, HELD JUNE 2nd, 1925.

Be it remembered that on this the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1925, there was begun and holden a call meeting of the Honorable City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, in the City Hall of said City, there being present and presiding the following officers: J.W. Hawkins, Mayor, Joe C. Denman, Commissioner of Ward No. 1, A. M. Walker, Commissioner of Ward No. 2, W. A. Behannon, Commissioner of Ward No. 3, Kenneth Hoskins, Commissioner of Ward No. 4, C. N. Humason, 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 read, and by move and second duly made and carried, were approved as read.

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R. V. Welch representing the Booster Band appeared and ask that an appropriation be made by the City to help support said band. After duly discussing the question and considering the same, it was moved by Kenneth Hoskins and seconded by A. M. Walker that the sum of \$10.00 per month be appropriated to said band, said amount payable each month beginning with the month of June, 1925. The motion carried unanimously.

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There came up for consideration and discussion the matter of amending what is known as the "Show" or "Carnival" Ordinance so that shows and carnivals might show within the corporate limits of the City of Lufkin for a longer period than one day in each calendar month. After discussing the question it was moved by A. M. Walker and seconded by W. A. Behannon that the question be tabled until the next regular meeting of this City Commission, The motion carried unanimously.

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It appearing that 10% commission is being paid for the collection of the street taxes of the city, it was moved by Kenneth Hoskins and seconded by Joe C. Denman that City Manager Humason stop payment of said 10% for collection of said street taxes. Motion carried unanimously.

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The matter of dispensing with the services of Edgar Jones as truck driver for the Fire Department was duly discussed, after which it was moved by W. A. Behannon and seconded by A. M. Walker that his

services be dispensed with as truck driver for the Fire Department. The motion carried unanimously and the City Manager is hereby required to give notice to the said Edgar Jones that his services as truck driver as aforesaid will terminate of date June 15th, 1925.

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The City Manager reported the appointment of R. B. Bledsoe as City Health officer for the ensuing two years. On motion of Joe C. Denman seconded by A. M. Walker to ratify or confirm said appointment which motion carried unanimously, said appointment was in all things ratified or confirmed.

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H. L. Thackwell, Engineer, who had been sent to Austin to confer with the State Sanitary Engineer as to the different types of sewer disposal plants, reported as follows:- That either of the following types would meet with his approval if constructed properly, to-wit: What is known as the Activated sludge system which was like the one designed for site No. 1; An Imhoff with trickling filter, and the Door Tanks with discharge for irrigation.

After discussing the different types as above mentioned it was moved by Kenneth Hoskins and seconded by A. M. Walker that an Imhoff Tank and trickling filter plant be constructed at site No. 3 on the G. W. Murray land. Said motion carried unanimously and the engineer instructed to proceed with plans and specifications for such plant.

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It appearing that it is necessary to construct a well house and tower at the new well site it was moved by A. M. Walker and seconded by W. A. Behannon and City Manager proceed with construction of such well house and tower, but to report to this City Commission what the cost would be after securing figures setting forth the approximate cost of such construction. The Motion carried unanimously.

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An ordinance appointing the Board of Equalization was presented for passage and approval on first reading. Kenneth Hoskins made a motion and Joe C. Denman seconded same that said ordinance be passed and approved on first reading. The Mayor put the question and all members voted "Aye". The Mayor declared the Ordinance passed and approved on first reading.

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An ordinance making the Tax Levy for the year 1925 was presented for passage and approval on first reading. Kenneth Hoskins made a motion and Joe C. Denman seconded same that said ordinance be passed and approved on first reading. The Mayor put the question and all members voted "Aye". The Mayor declared the ordinance passed and approved on first reading.

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Accounts and bills due by the City to various parties firms and corporations were presented for payment and it appearing that such of said bills as had been properly audited and approved by the City Manager should be paid, by move and second duly made and carried the following accounts were allowed:-

Electro Bleaching & Gas Co. \$31.60; H. Canon, \$277.08; Watford-Binion Ptg. Co. \$6.50; Gulf Refining Co. \$87.53; Magnolia Pet. Co. \$6.50; National Meter Co. \$249.78; Crow's Filling Station, \$14.92; The Gulf Station, \$13.69; Southwest Meter Box Co. \$71.27; N.O. Nelson Mfg. Co. \$21.33; Texas Public Utilities Co. \$616.01; Nacogdoches Gro. Co. \$5.00; B. Ralston, \$5.00; Sam H. Kerr, \$13.50; M.M. McMullen, \$3.00; W. M. Glenn & Co. \$9.90; C.L. Storey, \$1.00; East Texas Ins. Agency, \$12.50; Cox & Glass, \$.50; Western Union Telg. Co. \$ 2.23; West Printing Co. \$6.70; Lufkin Tel. Exch. \$ 6.60; Sanitary Plumbing & Heating Co. \$1.75; W. L. Jones, \$49.40; Harry Kerr, \$32.00; Long-Bell Lbr. Co. \$18.00; Leach Grain Co. \$6.70; Malone Filling Station, \$13.31; Angelina County, \$20.00; C. A. Pate, \$356.40; Lufkin Fdry. & Mch. Co. \$74.65; Lufkin Fdry & Mch Co. \$3,012.64; Worthington Pump & Mch Corp. \$40.93.

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There being no further business to come before the meeting, by move and second duly made and carried, same adjourned.

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The above and foregoing minutes read and approved on this the

7 day of July A. D. 1925.

J. W. Hawkins
Mayor, City of Lufkin, Texas.

Attest:-

J. L. Denman
City Secretary.