

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY
COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LUFKIN, TEXAS, HELD ON
MARCH 16, A. D. 1954, AT 7:30 P. M.

On this the 16th day of March, A. D. 1954, the City Commission of the City of Lufkin, Texas, convened in Regular Session at the City Hall in said City with the following members thereof being present:

Woodrow Scott- - - - - - - - - - -Mayor
Elwyn Gipson- - - - - - - - - - -Com. Ward 1
Jack Nerren- - - - - - - - - - -Com. Ward 2
W. F. Collins- - - - - - - - - - -Com. Ward 3
L. C. Britain- - - - - - - - - - -Com. Ward 4
C. E. Brazil- - - - - - - - - - -City Attorney
E. A. Gibbs- - - - - - - - - - -City Secretary

Absent:

None.

1. The Meeting was opened with prayer by the Mayor, wherein he asked Devine Blessings on the City of Lufkin and the proceedings of the City Commission.

2. The Minutes of the Meeting of March 2 were read and approved.

3. Charlie Malone appeared in behalf of his application for two taxicab permits with a petition of 135 signers in favor of his being granted such permits. Sumner Williams, representing two other taxicab companies, protested the granting of such permits. The Commission postponed final action on his application in order that each member might make a personal check on the necessity of additional permits.

4. Mr. Wilbur Kent, Architect, who had heretofore been instructed to take bids on the heating and air conditioning of the City Hall, submitted the bids received by him. They were: \$6100.00 by Harry Kerr; \$6960.00 by E. E. Reed; \$6993.00 by W. H. Johnston; and \$6647.00 by Sumners Pontiac. Mr. Kent recommended that the low bid of Harry Kerr be accepted by the Commission and the same was accordingly approved.

5. The matter of purchasing two-way radio equipment for the Fire Station was discussed and it was agreed that the City would postpone the matter until the next fiscal year. Mr. Elwyn Gipson was authorized to dispose of the old radio equipment formerly in the Police Station.


6. Speed limits on the various highways through the City of Lufkin as recommended by the State Highway Department were adopted in accordance with the letter from the State Highway Department dated March 5, 1954. Such recommendations as contained in the letter are herewith included and made a part of these minutes.

7. Two zone changes, J. B. Ashley, to change the zone from "A" to "K" on Lot Number 12, Block Number 3, of the Chambers Second Addition to the City of Lufkin, and the application of Gordon McCall to change the zone from "A" to "L" District on approximately 3/4 of an acre of land and being a portion of the R. L. Mathews tract of land as described in Vol. 39, Page 400 of the Deed Records of Angelina County, Texas, were ordered to be published for hearing on regular meeting to be held on April 6, 1954.

8. It was agreed to give Curtis Finley consideration relative to traffic hazard at the intersection of Raguet Street and Abney Avenue when and if he sells his property near said intersection.

9. Bills for the month of March were approved and ordered paid.

There being no further business, the Commission adjourned.



Mayor, City of Lufkin, Texas

ATTEST:



City Secretary