

MINUTES OF CITY COUNCIL, Lufkin, Texas, Meeting *Nov 9th* 191*2*

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Be it remembered that on this the *9th* day of *Nov* A. D. 191*2* there came on and was held a ~~REGULAR~~ ^{SPECIAL CALL} Meeting of the Honorable City Council of the City of Lufkin, in the Council Chamber of said city, there being present and presiding the following officers:

<i>W. H. McMullen</i>	Mayor	<i>L. P. Campbell</i>	Alderman
<i>L. H. Gray</i>	Secretary	<i>H. A. Ceehorger</i>	Alderman
		<i>J. J. Newton</i>	Alderman
		<i>J. J. Roach</i>	Alderman
		<i>H. D. Brice</i>	Alderman

When the following proceedings, among others, were had, to-wit:

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The purpose of the meeting as explained by the Mayor being to receive report of L. H. Gray on installation of new ~~water works~~ pumping station, receive deferred report of the state works operating department left over from regular meeting Nov 6th, and to attend to such other matters as may properly come before the meeting.

Gray presented payrolls amounting to 1654⁸⁰, bills ~~for the following~~ for material which were read and approved by the Council amounting to 946⁴⁰ ~~of which~~ Estimate of bills not in 37⁰⁰ - Each payroll - and each bill for material were read before open Council - and carefully gone over by each member -

Motion carried that all the bills as read be allowed and

Claim of J. E. Stalker amounting to \$212.75 approved and allowed the said claim being for hauling pipe.

Claim of G. N. Johnson for \$145⁰⁰ for relief system and services read and approved.

Application of K. H. Dorman for appointment to the office of City Attorney, vice D. R. Fayers resigned, read by the Mayor.

Verbal Application of J. J. Fortenberry for the same position placed before the Council by Alderman Deemorgan.

Mayor appoints K. H. Dorman to fill the unexpired term in the City Atty office, made vacant by the present incumbent, D. R. Fayers resigning said office.

Motion carried that the Council ratify said appointment the good and welfare of this City discussed at length, each member of the Council taking a lively interest in same, ~~offering suggestions~~.

Mr. J. E. Wilson appeared before the Council praying that fire protection be granted certain property owners living on and adjacent to South First Street, by the Council having installed two fire hydrants on to the extension of the water maine just recently extended down this street.

Motion carried that State Comm Gray purchase for this city two Standard Fire Hydrants and have

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same installed on this extension as soon as practicable.

Report of L.H. Gray State Comm received verbally and approved and accepted showing an extension of the water main on South First Street - at an expense of \$500.00 - and it appearing that this City having no funds in its water department, and in conformity with contract heretofore made by and between the City of Lufkin by W.D. Price and L.H. Gray in their official capacity and certain citizens namely E. Cochran J. Gibson E. Glenn S. McChesera W.H. Perkins W.J. Patterson C. Edwards J.E. Sheson wherein said parties agreed, subscribed and paid the sum of \$50.00 each for the purpose of defraying expenses of said extension and were to receive therefor paid up water receipts for as long as the amount subscribed by said parties, a copy of said agreement

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being herewith attached and made a part of these minutes, and it appearing to the council that said Contract had been fully complied with the water commissioner is hereby ordered to issue water receipts to each of the above named parties for the sum of \$100.00 each which will be accepted in payment for water used by them at the regular rates and it further appearing that there remains the sum of \$100.00 due the said L. H. Gray W. Co. on said extension the city council hereby ~~agrees~~ agrees that he may hereafter issue and collect for water rents on said extension at the same rate above stated until said amount of \$100.00 is collected allowing 2⁰⁰ ^{water} service for \$50.00 cash to be issued in any amounts he may be able to dispose of