City Hall, Waxahachie, Texas
Nov. 14, 1940, 2:30 P.M.

The Council met in called session with the following officials present:

Mayor O.E. Clift

Aldermen:

O.L. Oldham — L.M. Stickney — A.E. Parks (Absent)
Lynn D. Lasswell — W.A. Baker — H.C. Worley(")

Goodwin Sweatt, City Attorney
R.A. Watson, City Secretary

The purpose of the meeting was to hear a request from the Waxahachie Housing Authority for lower water and sewer rates for the proposed housing projects to be erected in this City. Messrs. Curry, Randle, and Cheatham of the local board, and Messrs. Morgan and Campbell from the Ft.Worth office attended the meeting and explained to the Council that the utility rates as originally offered would prevent the Federal grant; after some discussion, it was decided to defer a decision in the matter until all Aldermen could be present.

On motion of Alderman Lasswell, seconded by Alderman Oldham, the following resolution was adopted by unanimous vote:

STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF ELLIS) KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:
CITY OF WAXAHACHIE)

THAT WHEREAS, State Highway No. 6, being U.S. Highway 77, is one of the main thoroughfares of the City of Waxahachie; and

WHEREAS, there is a large amount of traffic on and over said Highway, and particularly over Ferris Avenue within the City limits of the City of Waxahachie, said Highway traversing Ferris Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the present heavy traffic over and on said Highway 77, State Highway No. 6, is doing Material damage to said street at the present time; and

WHEREAS, the City of Waxahachie is being adequately served by existing transportation facilities for freight and express:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Waxahachie in Special Session assembled that the City Council is opposed to the granting by the Railroad Commission of Texas of any Certificates of Convenience and necessity to any other or additional motor freight lines to operate over U.S. Highway 77, State Highway No. 6, in and through the City of Waxahachie, Ellis County, Texas, and particularly said Council prays the Commission that the following applications, to-wit:

Docket 2326, Houston and North Texas Motor Freight Lines;
Docket 2336, Wald Transfer and Storage Company;
Docket 2423, Gillette Motor Transportation, Inc.;

for certificates of convenience and necessity to operate over U.S. Highway 77, State Highway No. 6, in and through the City of Waxahachie, Ellis County, Texas, be in all things denied.

Be it further resolved that this resolution be spread upon the minutes of the City Council as of this date, and be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Honorable Railroad Commission of the State of Texas without further delay.

Introduced, passed, and approved at a Special Session of the City Council on this the 14th day of November, A.D. 1940, by unanimous vote of the City Council.

(seal) O.E. Clift
Mayor.

Attest:
R.A. Watson
City Secretary.

No further business appearing, meeting adjourned.

Mayor, City of Waxahachie, Texas

Attest: R.A. Watson
City Secretary.