

COMMISSIONERS COURT MINUTES, JANUARY 26, 1976

The Hunt County Commissioners Court met in Regular Session, Monday, January 26, 1976 at 10:00 A.M. in the Commissioners Courtroom, Hunt County Courthouse, Greenville, Texas, with all members present and Judge Ed Terrell presiding.

Invocation was given by Judge Terrell.

Minutes of the January 12 regular session were read. Order number 271 was corrected as shown and minutes were then approved.

Mrs. Jay Adkisson and Mrs. Lillian Owens were named by the Court to represent Hunt County on the planning committee for the regionalization of Mental Health and Mental Retardation services.

281 On a motion by Judge Terrell, seconded by Roy L. Holder, the Court agreed to enter into a Sheriff's Reserve Program and to establish a screening committee consisting of the County Judge, Sheriff, Chief Deputy Sheriff, a representative of the County Attorney's office, a representative of the District Attorney's office, a member of the Commissioners Court, and one citizen at large, for the purpose of screening reserve applicants. Motion carried with Judge Terrell, Commissioner Johnnie H. Lyon, Henry L. Grimes, and Roy L. Holder voting AYE and Commissioner James A. Speight voting NO.

282 On a motion by Johnnie H. Lyon, seconded by Henry L. Grimes, the Court unanimously approved these payroll changes in Commissioner Precinct 1: N. A. Burnett was removed from the payroll effective January 15, 1976 and Haskell Henslee was added to the payroll effective February 1, 1976.

In response to a discussion with Tax Assessor Harold Armstrong regarding abandoned property in Lone Oak, the Court was in agreement that the County Would not waive payment of penalties and interest due on back taxes on such property.

283 On a motion by Henry L. Grimes, seconded by Roy L. Holder, the Court approved the following resolution with all members of the Court voting AYE:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Texas Parks and Wild Life Department has approved a boat ramp in the area of Highway 35 on Lake Tawakoni near the 2 Mile bridge in Hunt County, and

WHEREAS, the Sabine River Authority has agreed to construct and maintain said ramp on Sabine River Authority Property

WHEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Hunt County Commissioners Court express its approval of said project and encourage the Texas Parks & Wild Life Department and the Sabine River Authority to proceed with plans and construction of the said boat ramp.

APPROVED, in open court this 26th day of January 1976.

284 On a motion by Johnnie H. Lyon, seconded by Henry L. Grimes, the Court voted to offer a wrecked 1974 Dodge used by the Sheriff's Department, for sale to the highest bidder. Motion carried with all members of the Court voting AYE.

The Hickory Creek Water Supply Corporation billed Hunt County for payment of \$85.00 in damages done to a water line in Commissioner Precinct 4..The Court authorized Commissioner James Speight to inspect the line to determine whether it is on County property or an easement. Payment of the damages was passed pending determination of the location of the damaged line.

In regard to repairs to the County Courtroom on the 4th floor of the Courthouse no action was taken as no bids have been received.

285 On a motion by Henry L. Grimes, seconded by Johnnie H. Lyon, the Court unanimously voted to accept the low bid of Greenville Glass and Mirror in the amount of \$750.00 to build a partition on the fourth floor of the Courthouse to provide office space for a full time entomologist to work out of the County Agent's office. Mr. Bill Root, entomologist, will serve both Hunt and Collin counties and will be funded by federal monies. Bids were also submitted by Ken's Glass & Mirror of Commerce in the amount of \$795 and McCullough paint & Glass of Greenville in the amount of \$823.

Judge Terrell expressed the wishes of the Court for a speedy recovery for County Auditor Lee Bostick and Building Superintendent Roy Mauldin.

There being no further business, Judge Terrell adjourned the Court.

Minutes read and approved this the 9 day of February 1976.

Attest: Mrs. Bloom Johnson  
County Clerk, Hunt County, Texas

  
County Judge, Hunt County, Texas

By  deputy

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