COMMISSIONERS COURT MINUTES, MARCH 22, 1976

The Hunt County Commissioners Court met in Regular Session, Monday March 22, 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 Ed Terrell.

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Minutes of the March 8, 1976 Regular Session were read and approved.

310 On a motion by James A. Speight, seconded by Roy L. Holder, the Court allowed Assistant District Attorney Tommy Bastain to attend a National District Attorney Association seminar in Houston on April 25 through April 29. The Court agreed to allow \$115.00 for the registration fee and \$85.00 for expenses with the agreement any expenditure over the allowed \$200.00 will be paid by Mr. Bastain. Motion carried with all members of the Court voting AYE. 31 On a motion by Johnnie H. Lyon, seconded by Henry L. Grimes, the Court unanimously approved the removal of I. H. McGee, Jr. from the payroll of Commissioner Precinct 1 effective February 28, 1976.

Norman Richardson of the Scatterbranch community im Commissioner Precinct 4 appeared before the Court to discuss a drainage problem on his property. Judge Terrell and Commissioner Speight agreed to check on his problem to determine whether the County could alleviate the problem.

3/2 On a motion by Henry L. Grimes, seconded by Johnnie H. Lyon, the Court unanimously approved a right of way request by Continental Telephone Company in Commissioner Precinct 2 with the stipulation cables be placed on back slopes of roads, the county will not be responsible for damages done to cables as a result of the maintenance of roads and any roads damaged as a result of the laying of cable must be restored to as good or better condition than that of the road prior to the laying of cable.

Members of the Court discussed a letter of report from Jim Ainsworth and Kenneth Foust of Commerce on the status of the county audit. The audit was estimated to be 65% complete with an anticipated completion of work in May with a completed report in June.

3/3 On a motion by Johnnie H. Lyon, seconded by Roy 1. Holder, the Court approved the following payroll changes in the Sheriff's Department: David Sikes was revomed from the payroll and Melvin Howell was moved from the position of dispatcher at \$436.00 per month to deputy at \$555.00 per month, effective March 15, 1976. Motion carried with all members of the Court voting AYE.

3/4 On a motion by Roy L. Holder, seconded by Johnnie H. Iyon, the Court agreed to include West Tawakoni in the County's rural fire protection program. Starting March 1, 1976 the City of West Tawakoni will receive \$150/00 per month from the county. Motion carried with all members of the Court voting AYE.

3/5 Motion was made by Roy L. Holder and seconded by James A. Speight to approve Tax Certificates of Correction numbers 1432, 1433 and 1435. Motion carried with all members of the Court voting AYE.

Judge Terrell read to the Court a letter of resignation from Møzelle Berry of the Hunt County Health Unit. Mrs. Berry's resignation is effective April 1, 1976.

There being no further business, Judge Ed Terrell ajourned the Court. Minutes read and approved this the <u>1244</u> day of April, 1976.

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

County Judge, Hunt County, Texas

By <u>Carolyn Patterson</u> Deputy Carolyn Patterson