

Regular Session
Commissioners Court Meeting
December 22, 1997

The Hunt County Commissioners Court met this day with all Commissioners present and Judge Joe Bobbitt presiding. Minutes of the Emergency Session on December 4, 1997 were approved with changes added and minutes of the Regular Session on December 8, 1997 were approved as presented.

NEW BUSINESS:

6748 On the motion by Allen Martin, second by Kenneth Thornton, the Court accepted the Annual Report (10-1-96 thru 9-30-97) from the Hunt County Tax Collector-Joyce Barrow.

_____ 'Possibly take action on request of installation of aluminum storefront entrance for hallway outside motor vehicle registration office:' Due to problems with senior citizens using walkers, canes, wheelchairs, etc. and other mobility impairments Ms. Barrow was concerned with the safety of these customers asking for an automatic door with a button to be installed in the recessed area of the hallway. After discussion, item dropped from the Agenda to allow time for Commissioner Green and Thornton to investigate additional solutions to this problem.

6749 On the motion by Green, second by Thornton, the Court approved request to bury telephone cable along CR2400 in Pct 2 with the usual stipulations.

6750 On the motion by Jim Walker, second by Martin, the Court approved request to bury telephone cable along Cr3511 in Pct 3 with usual stipulations.

6751 'Possibly take action on long term plan of action for CJC and Juvenile Detention Facility:' On the motion by Walker, second by Green, the Court agreed to send a letter explaining the long term plan of action to the fire marshall assuring him the Court's intention is to move the Juvenile Detention facility when space is available.

6752 On the motion by Martin, second by Thornton, the Court approved request of another \$20,000 appropriated for erection costs for the temporary jail construction. Currently fees of \$36,308 have been allocated for consulting fees from BSA, costs of the property, slab, plumbing, miscellaneous hardware purchased, beams set in slab and the roof. When the weather permits the jail trustees will start on the inside and Duncan's Electric will do the electrical work.

6753 On the motion by Martin, second by Thornton, the Court approved accounts payable.

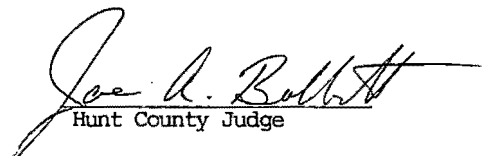
6754 On the motion by Martin, second by Green, the Court approved line item budget transfers.

PERSONNEL & PAYROLL:

County Auditor:	Raise Jonathan Thatcher from \$5.15 to \$5.25 per hour, effective 11-21-97.
Commissioner Pct 2:	Raise Johnny Hilbun R-5 to R-6, effective 1-1-98.
	Raise Tom Spradling R-4to R-5, effective 1-1-98.
	Raise Larry Hall R-4 to R-5, effective 1-1-98.
Commissioner Pct 3:	Add David Smith as pct worker at \$8 per hour, effective 1-5-98.
Sheriff:	Add Sylvia Veasly as detention officer R-2 (\$18,546 annually), effective 12-8-97.
	Add Billy Allen as detention officer R-2, effective 12-15-97.
	Add Debra Landrum as detention officer R-2 (\$18,546 annually), effective 12-29-97.
	Terminate Karen Tanner, effective 12-8-97.
Tax Office:	Remove the following: Tammy Powell Carrol L McCormick Lois M Cruz Alicia Zambrano } effective 12-17-97
	Add Cheri Finley as clerk at \$5.15 per hour, effective 12-22-97.
	Add Lorrie Abbott as clerk at \$5.15 per hour, effective 12-22-97.

6755 Approved on the motion by Walker, second by Martin.

_____ The Court went into executive session, with no action taken. Court Adjourned. Minutes approved this 12th day of January, 1998.


Hunt County Judge

Attest:


Hunt County Clerk