

Be it Remembered that the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas convened in a regular session of the Court House of said County in the City of Mt Pleasant, Texas on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916, with the following members present, To-wit: Sam Porter, County Judge, County Commissioners Smart, ~~King~~ Diggins and Thomas, County Clerk, W. Kelly and Sheriff John A Cooper present:

When come on to be considered the returns of an election held in Justice Precinct No. 3, of Titus County, Texas on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916. Whereupon County Commissioner A. P. Smart made a motion that the following order be passed by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, which motion was seconded by County Commissioner C. C. Sims the order is as follows to-wit:

" It appearing to the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas that the returns of an election held in Justice Precinct No. 3, of Titus County, Texas, on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916 have been made by all the officers of election of the election precincts situated in said Justice Precinct, that they are all in proper form and that it appears that the said election was in all respects lawfully and properly held and it appearing that there will cost of the said election \$1100.00.

That there were 60% of the said election for the issuance of the Coupon Bonds of Justice Precinct No. 3, of Titus County, Texas for the purposes of constructing, maintaining and operating, providing, gravel and paved roads and turn pikes and in aid thereof and the levy assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property within said Precinct of a rate sufficient to pay the interest on the said bond, as it accrues and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity, 74,000.00

That there were costs against the issuance of the coupon bonds of Justice Precinct No 3, of Titus County Texas the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating Macadamized gravelled and good roads and turn pikes and in aid thereof and the levy assessment and collection of one cent tax against all taxable property within said precinct of a rate sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as if agreed and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity 37 notes.

It further appearing to the court that two thirds of all the votes cast for said election were cast in favor of the bonds and the tax.

It is therefore ordered and adjudged and decreed by the court that the said election result in favor of the issuance of the coupon bonds of Justice Precinct No 3, of Titus County Texas and the levy of a tenth per cent principal and interest thereof.

The County Judge put the motion for a vote of the members of the Commissioners Court with the request that as many as approved the passage of the order vote. A. G. Wagoner County Commissioners Small, King, Sims and Thomas voted Aye none voted No.

The County Judge declared the motion carried and the order passed.

The foregoing minutes of the Commissioners Court of Titus County Texas read and approved on this the 19th day of Feb 1916

Sam Porter  
County Judge Titus County Texas

Attest  
W. L. Kelley  
County Clerk Titus County Texas



The levy assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property in said precinct of a rate sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity 159 votes thereupon. County Commissioner AP Sargent made a motion that the following order be passed by the Commissioners Court of Tulsa County T.C. which motion was seconded by County Commissioner E.C. Sims. The order follows to-wit:

Whereas an election was held in Justice Precinct No. 1 of Tulsa County T.C. on the 15th day of February 1916 on the question of the issuance of the coupon Bonds of said precinct to the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing and operating McCord and Grandwood and Ford roads and Turk Peppers and main thereof and the levy assessment and collection of an annual tax against all taxable property in said precinct of a rate sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal thereof at maturity. And as appearing from the returns of the said election that there were cast of the said election 977 votes of which 738 votes were cast in favor of the issuance of the bonds and the levy of the tax and 159 votes were cast against the issuance of the bonds and the levy of the tax.

It appearing that more than two thirds majority of the votes cast of the said election were cast in favor of the issuance of the Bonds and the levy of the tax. This therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Commissioners Court of Tulsa County T.C. that a two thirds

majority of the votes cast at the said election  
to the cost in favor of the issuance of the  
bonds and the levy of the tax.

The County Judge put the motion for  
a vote of the members of the Commission-  
er's Court, with the request that no money be  
advanced for the passage of the order to vote by  
and those who did not favor the passage  
of the order to vote no.

County Commissioners S. S. Smoot,  
Thomas, and Sims voted by

The County Judge declared the motion  
carried and the order passed.

Minutes read and approved, Feb. 19<sup>th</sup> 1916

Sam Porter

attest  
W. L. Keeley  
County Clerk

County Judge

### Election Notice School Dist No 1

All persons will take notice that an  
election will be held on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of March  
1916, at the School House in Council School  
Dist No 1 of Titus County Texas for the pur-  
pose of submitting to the property tax pay-  
ing voters of Council School District No 1 of  
County Texas the question of the issuance of  
the special tax of Council School District  
No. One of Titus County Texas to an annual  
rate not to exceed fifty cents upon each  
one hundred dollars taxable valuation of  
all taxable property in said district for  
the purpose of supplementing the State  
School fund apportioned to said district.

Copies of within above notice were posted in Council School  
District No 1 in Titus Co Tex. on Monday the 14 day of March 1916  
1916 by Ed Gulkin property Sheriff of Cooper Sheriff Titus Co  
One posted on School House Oil Bank and one on  
any store of T. C. Co.

## Election Notice School dist. no. 3.

In obedience to an order made by the County of Titus County, Tex on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916 ordering an Election to be held in Common School District No. 3, Titus County Tex, on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1916.

I now give notice to all persons that said election will be held at the time and place stated, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified property tax payers voters of said district.

The question of a levy of a special tax in said district of 10 cents on the One hundred dollars taxable valuation of property in said district per annum for the purpose of supplementing the State School funds apportioned to said district No. 3.

Given under my hand this the 17<sup>th</sup> day of Feb. A.D. 1916

J. A. Cooper  
Sherriff Titus County Tex

W. A. Fleming, T. B. Linnick, W. C. ...  
are appointed to hold said election.

In obedience to the above order made and posted the above notice on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 1916. One posted on School House at Stone wall one at Ripley and one on Mason Clothing Store.

J. A. Cooper Sherriff  
Titus Co. Tex