

REGULAR TERM April 11, 1955

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, met in Regular Session at the Courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

Harry Taylor	County Judge
Hollis Banks	Commissioner Precinct 1
J. G. Roper	Commissioner Precinct 2
Eugene Mankins	Commissioner Precinct 3
J. R. Ponder	Commissioner Precinct 4
J. H. Rudd	County Clerk

and the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

 IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING MONTHLY REPORT AND QUARTERLY REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER:

Motion was made by Commissioner Ponder and seconded by Commissioner Banks to approve monthly report of and quarterly report of County Treasurer. Motion carried.

 IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING OFFICERS MONTHLY EXPENSE ACCOUNTS:

Motion was made by commissioner Mankins and seconded by Commissioner Roper to approve officers monthly expense accounts as follows:

Harry Taylor	County Judge	\$ 9.50
J. H. Rudd	County Clerk	400.90
Wallace Fields	Tax Assessor	847.91

Upon being put to a vote, said motion carried.

 IN THE MATTER OF TRANSFERRING FUNDS:

Motion was made by Commissioner Ponder and seconded by Commissioner Roper to transfer \$500.00 from each Commissioner's Precinct into Road and Bridge Fund. Motion carried.

 IN THE MATTER OF TRANSFERRING FUNDS:

Motion was made by Commissioner Banks and seconded by Commissioner Mankins to transfer \$500.00 from Gen. County to Peace Officer's Fund, Motion carried.

 IN THE MATTER OF COUNTY TRUSTEE ELECTION:

ELECTION RESULTS, TRUSTEE ELECTION OF APRIL 2, 1955

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TITUS

The Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, meeting in Regular session on this the 11 day of April, 1955, canvassed the elections for County Trustees of Titus County and declare the results as follows:

FOR THE COUNTY TRUSTEE, PRECINCT #1

In Mt. Pleasant ISD #902 Marvin G. Brown received 310 votes

In Nevils Chapel CSD #30 Marvin G. Brown received 9 votes

In Old Union CSD #12 Marvin G. Brown received 17 votes.

In Forest Grove CSD #32, Marvin G. Brown received 11 votes

In Farmers Academy CSD #6 Marvin G. Brown received 21 votes

In Green Hill C S D #24 Marvin G. Brown received 15 votes.

In Oak Grove CSD #10, Marvin G. Brown received 1 votes.

FOR COUNTY TRUSTEE, PRECINCT #3

In Maple Springs CSD #2 Morris Blalock received 11 votes, Harold Bonham received 2 votes.

In Midway CSD #11 Morris Blalock received 11 votes.

In Wilkinson C S D #15 Morris Blalock received 48 votes, Harold Bonham, received 3 votes.
 In Argo C S D #804 Morris Blalock received 7 votes, Harold Bonham received 0 votes.
 In Talco, ISD #903, Morris Blalock received 18 votes, Harold Bonham received 65 votes.

TOTALS

FOR COUNTY TRUSTEE, PRECINCT # 1

Marvin G. Brown received 384 votes, Marvin G. Brown is hereby declared elected as County Trustee, Precinct #1.

FOR COUNTY TRUSTEE, PRECINCT #3

Morris Blalock received 95 votes, Harold Bonham received 90 votes, Morris Blalock is hereby declared elected County Trustee for Precinct #3

Upon the reading of the above and foregoing, and after due consideration by the Commissioners court of Titus County, Texas, Commissioner Mankins moved the above and foregoing be passed. Thereupon, motion was seconded by Commissioner Roper and County Judge, Harry Taylor, put the motion to a vote which carried by a unanimous vote.

APPROVED AND ENTERED THIS the 11 day of April, 1955.

Harry Taylor, County Judge, Titus County, Texas.

ELECTION RESULTS, TRUSTEE ELECTION OF APRIL 2, 1955.

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TITUS

The Commissioners Court, of Titus County, Texas, meeting in Regular session on this the 11 day of April, 1955, canvassed the trustee elections of the various school districts of Titus County which were held on April 2, 1955, and declare the results as follows:
 Maple Springs CSD #2, Harry Riddle, received 12 votes; Jesse Brown received 1 votes;
 Harry Riddle is hereby declared elected.

Stonewall CSD #3, L.R. Grissom received 8 votes, Hershel Black received 4 votes;
 L.R. Grissom is hereby declared elected.

Farmers Academy CSD #6, Thomas Harris Received 18 votes, C.O. Denny received 16 votes, Thomas Harris is hereby elected.

Oak Grove CSD #10, Curtis Eakins received 5 votes; Elmer Derrick received 1 votes;
 Curtis Eakins is hereby declared elected.

Midway CSD #11, Charley Davis received 10 votes, Haskell Johnson received 2 votes,
 Charley Davis is hereby declared elected.

Old Union CSD #12, Bill Cade received 15 votes, Denver Harbour received 2 votes,
 Bill Cade is hereby declared elected.

Wilkinson C S D #15, Louis Logan received 27 votes, Charley Phillips received 3 votes, Louis Logan is hereby declared elected.

Green Hill C S D #24, John Johnson received 15 votes, John Johnson is hereby declared elected.

Wile Chapel, C S D #30, D.A. Riley received 8 votes, Marvin Crow received 1 votes,
 D.A. Riley is hereby declared elected.

Forest Grove D S D #32: Glen Roper received 11 votes; Glen Roper is hereby declared elected.

Chapel Hill R H S #706: Ross McElhany received 51 votes; H M Boxell received 16 votes; J. O. Freeman received 13 votes; Milton Shumate received 47 votes; Ross McElhany is hereby declared elected. Milton Shumate is hereby declared elected.

Argo C S D #804. J.W. Terrell received 7 votes; Hany Davis received 7 votes; Julius Wofford received 7 votes; J. W. Terrell is hereby declared elected. Hany Davis is hereby declared elected. Julius Wofford is hereby declared elected.

Cookville I S D #901, Waylon Andrews received 16 votes; Ed Finigan received 16 votes; Waylon Andrews is hereby declared elected. Ed Finigan is hereby declared elected.

Talco I S D #903, Frank Sloan received 46 votes, S.P. Worthington received 47 votes; Lyndon Reed received 54 votes; Lemuel Hargrove received 59 votes; R.M. Lewis received 1 votes; Lyndon Reed is hereby declared elected. Lemuel Hargrove is hereby declared elected.

Winfield I S D #905, Howard Broach received ___ votes; L.C. Owens received ___ votes; Howard Broach is hereby declared elected. L.C. Owens is hereby declared elected.

Upon the reading of the above and foregoing and after due consideration by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, Commissioner Ponders moved the above and foregoing be passed. Thereupon, motion was seconded by Commissioner Banks and County Judge, Harry W. Taylor, put the motion to a vote which carried by a unanimous vote.

APPROVED AND ENTERED THIS the 11 day of April, 1955.

Harry Taylor, County, Judge, Titus County, Texas.

IN THE MATTER OF BOND ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TITUS

On the 11th day of April, 1955, the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, was convened in regular session at a regular term of said Court, with all the members thereof present, viz:

HARRY TAYLOR,	County Judge
HOLLIE BANKS,	Commissioner, Precinct #1
J. Q. ROFER	Commissioner, Precinct #2
Eugene Mankins,	Commissioner, Precinct #3
J. R. PONDER,	Commissioner, Precinct #4
J. H. RUDD	County Clerk

and passed the following order:

IT APPEARING that heretofore on the 12th day of March, 1955, an election was held in and throughout Green Hill Common School District No. 24 of Titus County, Texas, at which election a majority of the legally qualified property tax paying voters of said District voting thereon voted in favor of the issuance of the bonds hereinafter described and the levy of a tax in payment thereof;

AND IT FURTHER APPEARING to the Court that said election was regularly ordered upon a proper petition therefor, and that notice thereof was regularly given for the time and in the manner provided by law and that said election was regularly held, and that only duly qualified property taxpaying voters of said district who own taxable property therein and who had duly rendered the same for taxation voted thereat, and that returns thereof were regularly made to this Court, and that this court has heretofore canvassed such returns and declared the result of said election, from which it is affirmatively shown that the proposition to issue such bonds and levy a tax in payment thereof was sustained by more than a majority of the duly qualified property taxpaying voters voting at said election;

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS:

That the Bonds of said District, to be called "GREEN HILL COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 24 SCHOOLHOUSE BONDS" be issued on the faith and credit of said Common School District No. 24 of Titus County, Texas, for the purpose of purchasing, constructing, repairing and equipping public free school buildings of other than wood material within the limits of said district.

II.

Said Bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 25, inclusive, Bonds Numbers 1 to 10 in denomination of \$250.00 each; Bonds Numbers 11 to 20 in denomination of \$350.00 each;

Bonds Numbers 21 to 25 in denomination of \$400.00 each, aggregating \$8,000.00. They shall be dated April 15, 1955, and shall become due and payable according to the following schedule:

BONDS NUMBERS	DATE OF MATURITY	AMOUNT
1	April 15, 1956	\$250.00
2	April 15, 1957	250.00
3	April 15, 1958	250.00
4	April 15, 1959	250.00
5	April 15, 1960	250.00
6	April 15, 1961	250.00
7	April 15, 1962	250.00
8	April 15, 1963	250.00
9	April 15, 1964	250.00
10	April 15, 1965	250.00
11	April 15, 1966	350.00
12	April 15, 1967	350.00
13	April 15, 1968	350.00
14	April 15, 1969	350.00
15	April 15, 1970	350.00
16	April 15, 1971	350.00
17	April 15, 1972	350.00
18	April 15, 1973	350.00
19	April 15, 1974	350.00
20	April 15, 1975	350.00
21	April 15, 1976	400.00
22	April 15, 1977	400.00
23	April 15, 1978	400.00
24	April 15, 1979	400.00
25	April 15, 1980	400.00

III.

Such bonds shall bear interest at the rate of 3-1/2% per annum, payable April 15, 1956, and annually thereafter on April 15, each year. Both principal and interest of said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America upon presentation and surrender of bonds or proper coupons at the Office of the State Treasurer, Austin, Texas.

IV.

Said Bonds shall be signed by the County Judge, countersigned by the County Clerk, and registered by the County Treasurer, and the seal of the Commissioners Court of said County shall be impressed upon each of them, The fac-simile signatures of the County Judge and County Clerk may be lithographed or printed upon the coupons.

V.

The Form of each of said Bonds shall be substantially as follows:

NO. _____ \$ _____

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TITUS

GREEN HILL COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 24 SCHOOL HOUSE BOND

This is to certify that the County of Titus, in the State of Texas, for and on behalf of Green Hill Common School District No. 24 of said County, for value received, acknowledges itself indebted to and hereby promises to pay to bearer on the 15th day of April, 19____, the sum of

_____ DOLLARS

in lawful money of the United States of America, together with interest thereon from the date hereof until paid at the rate of 3-1/2% per annum, payable April 15, 1956, and annually thereafter on April 15 each year, principal and interest payable upon presentation and surrender of bond or proper coupon at the Office of the State Treasurer, Austin, Texas.

This bond is one of a series of twenty-five bonds, numbered consecutively from 1 to 25, inclusive; Bonds Numbers 1 to 10 in denomination of \$250.00 each; Bonds Numbers 11 to 20 in denomination of \$350.00 each; Bonds Numbers 21 to 25 in denomination of \$400.00 each, aggregating \$8,000.00, issued by the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, on the faith and credit

of Green Hill Common School District No. 24 of said County, for the purpose of purchasing, constructing, repairing and equipping public free school buildings of other than wood material within the limits of said District, under and by virtue of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 13, Title 49, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and amendments thereto, and pursuant to an order passed by the Commissioners Court of said County, which order is of record in the Minutes of said Court.

The date of this bond, in conformity with the order above mentioned, is April 15, 1965.

And it is hereby certified and recited that the issuance of this bond and the series of which it is a part is duly authorized by law and by a vote of the majority of the duly qualified property tax paying voters of said School District voting at an election held for that purpose; and that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this series of bonds and of this bond have been properly done, have happened and been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law; and that the amount of this issue of bonds, together with all indebtedness of said District does not exceed any Constitutional or statutory limitation; and that provisions has been made for the levy, assessment and collection of taxes sufficient to pay the interest on said series of bonds and the principal thereof at maturity.

In testimony whereof, said Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, has caused the seal of said Court to be affixed hereto, and this bond to be signed by the County Judge, countersigned by the County Clerk, and registered by the County Treasurer of said County, and the coupons hereto attached to be executed by the facsimile signatures of the County Judge and the County Clerk, as of the 15th day of April, 1965.

Harry Taylor, County Judge,
Titus County, Texas.

COUNTERSIGNED:

J. H. Rudd, County Clerk, Titus County, Texas.

REGISTERED:

Cecil Franklin, County Treasurer,
Titus County, Texas.

VI.

The form of coupon attached to said bonds shall be substantially as follows:

No. _____ \$ _____

ON THE 15 DAY OF APRIL, 19____

TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS, for and on behalf of, and upon the faith and credit of Green Hill Common School District No. 24 of said County, hereby promises to pay to bearer at the Office of the State Treasurer, Austin, Texas, the sum of

_____ DOLLARS

in lawful money of the United States of America, being _____ months' interest due that date on Green Hill Common School District No. 24 Schoolhouse Bond, dated April 15, 1965, No. _____

Harry Taylor, County Judge

J. H. Rudd, County Clerk.

VII.

The following certificate shall be printed on the back of each bond:

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER

STATE OF TEXAS

I, hereby certify that there is on file and of record in my office a certificate of the Attorney General of the State of Texas, to the effect that this bond has been examined by him as required by law and that he finds it has been issued in conformity with the Constitution and

Laws of the State of Texas, and that it is a valid and binding obligation upon said Green Hill Common School District No. 24 of Titus County, Texas, and said bond has this day be registered by me.

WITNESS my hand and seal of office at Austin, Texas _____

Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas

VIII.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS:

That to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund to pay the principal as it matures, an ad valorem tax at a rate sufficient for said purpose is hereby levied against all taxable property in said District for the year 1955 and for each succeeding year while said bonds or any of them are outstanding.

And to pay the interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund with which to pay the principal at maturity, such ad valorem tax of and at the rate of fifty (50%) cents on each One Hundred Dollars' valuation of taxable property in said District is hereby levied for the year 1955 and the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and so much more as may be necessary, is hereby levied for each succeeding year while said bonds or any of them are outstanding.

And there shall be calculated each year while any of said bonds are outstanding and unpaid what rate of tax is necessary to provide current interest and the required amount of the principal to be paid from the tax of that year, an ad valorem tax in the amount and at the rate of each one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property in said district necessary to meet the requirements of interest and principal for each of such years shall be levied, assessed and collected during each of said years, and said ad valorem tax in the amount and at the rate necessary to meet the requirements of interest and principal for each of such years is hereby levied, and is ordered to be assessed and collected.

And such taxes so levied and collected, to the extent necessary for said purpose, shall be applied to said purpose and to no other.

IX.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the County Judge of this County be and he is hereby authorized to take and have charge of all necessary records pending investigation by the Attorney General, and shall also have charge and control of said bonds herein authorized pending their approval by the Attorney General and registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts, and shall also have authority to negotiate their sale, and to direct the delivery of said bonds to the purchaser.

The foregoing order having been read, it was moved by the Commissioner Ponder and seconded by the Commissioner Banks that it be passed, and upon the question being called it was unanimously passed, Commissioners BANFS, ROPER, WYKINS AND PONDER voting AYE: and no one voting NO.

Harry Taylor, County Judge

IN THE MATTER OF STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TITUS

We, the undersigned County Superintendent of Schools of Titus County, Texas, hereby certify that the following is a true and correct statement of the bonded indebtedness outstanding against Green Hill Common School District No. 24, of Titus County, Texas:

PRESENT ISSUE

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>AMOUNT OUTSTANDING</u>	<u>INT.</u>	<u>MATURITY</u>
Schoolhouse Bonds	4/15/55	\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00	5-1/2%	\$250 4/15/56-65 350 4/15/66-75 400 4/15/76-80

James V. Adams, County Superintendent,
Titus County, Texas.

(SEAL)

IN THE MATTER OF ASSESSED VALUATION CERTIFICATE:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TITUS

I, the undersigned Tax Assessor of Titus County, Texas, hereby certify that according to the tax rolls for the year 1954, which are the latest approved tax rolls for Titus County, the assessed valuation of taxable property in Green Hill Common School District No. 24 of Titus County, Texas is \$123,220, and is composed of real property and personal property in approximately the following proportion:

REAL PROPERTY \$ 116,750.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY 7,470.00

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this 13 day of April, 1955.

Wallace R. Fields, Tax Assessor
Titus County, Texas.

There being no further business before the Court, motion was made by Commissioner Roper and seconded by Commissioner Banks to adjourn, Motion carried.
