

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS met in regular session in the Courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas with the following members present:

CECIL FRANKLIN	COUNTY JUDGE	
CHARLIE DRIGGERS	CO COMMISSIONER PRECT # 1	
BERT B. PARR	CO COMMISSIONER PRECT #2	ABSENT
T. O. RANEY	CO COMMISSIONER PRECT# 3	
DAN BYNUM	CO COMMISSIONER PRECT #4	
ALLEN LAPRADE	COUNTY CLERK	

and the following proceedings were had to-wit:

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IN THE MATTER OF PARKING METERS ON THE COURTHOUSE SQUARE:

Motion was made by Commissioner Driggers and seconded by Commissioner Raney to adopt the agreement with the City of Mt. Pleasant, Texas for parking meters to be placed on the Courthouse Square of Titus County. Motion carried.

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IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING THE COUNTY TREASURERS MONTHLY REPORT:

Motion was made by Commissioner Raney and seconded by Commissioner Bynum to approve the County Treasurer's monthly report. Motion carried.

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IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING THE OFFICER'S MONTHLY EXPENSES:

Motion was made by Commissioner Bynum and seconded by Commissioner Driggers to approve the Officer's monthly expense accounts. Motion carried.

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IN THE MATTER OF CLOSING THE ROAD IN EASTERN PART OF THE COUNTY:

Motion was made by Commissioner Driggers and seconded by Commissioner Raney to table the closing of the road in the eastern part of the County until next court day as it was not a full court present. Motion carried.

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SEPTEMBER 23, 1966

CITY OF MT. PLEASANT  
September 23, 1966

Honorable Cecil Franklin  
County Judge  
Titus County  
Mt. Pleasant, Texas

Dear Mr. Franklin:

As per our conversation, and as directed by the City Council of the City of Mount Pleasant, I submit the following proposal for installation of Parking meters on the Titus County Court House Square.

The City of Mount Pleasant will purchase, install, and maintain said parking meters. The city will also police and collect the revenue from the meters. However, the city will pay into the county treasure, fifty (50) percent of the net revenue, the net revenue being that portion that remains after construction costs, monthly installment payments for the purchase of the meters and the pro-rata share of the parking meter attendant's salary.

Parking stalls for County Officials and officers will be reserved only upon designation of same by the County Court.

In as far as the life of a parking meter is approximately ten (10) years, it is proposed an agreement be entered into for this length of time, unless it is felt said agreement should be terminated at an earlier date by mutual consent.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly Yours  
/s/ John G. Sarris  
City Manager

WHEREAS, Titus County, acting by and through its Commissioners' Court; and the City of Mt. Pleasant, acting by and through its City Council, in order that parking meters may be placed on the courthouse square in Mt. Pleasant, Texas, make and enter into the following agreement, WITNESSETH:

- (1) The City of Mt. Pleasant will purchase at its expense all equipment, material and devices needed for the installation of parking meters on the courthouse square in the City of Mt. Pleasant, and will install the meters by City employees or agents and at its expense; and when installed, a statement of the cost of meters and installation expense shall be furnished to the County Judge. The cost of any additional meters purchased after the initial installation, together with the cost of installing, replacement or additional meters, shall be added to the City's cost and a statement shall be furnished County by City as such cost is incurred.
- (2) The City will determine where the meters shall be placed and the method and manner of installation. Places free of meters will be reserved for such County officials as the Commissioners' Court may request from time to time.
- (3) The City shall have the full responsibility of maintaining the meters, painting the parking places and traffic directions, installation of traffic signs, signals and devices, and printing of violation tickets, all of which will be a charge on the gross revenues of the meters, and City will furnish County a statement of this cost as it accrues. The City may make such rules, regulations and pass such penal ordinances as it may deem necessary for the regulation of parking on the courthouse square. The City shall have charge of policing the meters for violations with this cost to be shared as hereinafter stated. Penalties for violations of meter regulations on the courthouse square shall be the same as penalties for violations of off-square meters. However, no tickets for violation of failure to place a coin in a meter shall be issued prior to 9 A. M. of each day.
- (4) All monies from the meters on the square shall be collected separate from the monies from off-square meters and shall be deposited in a separate account in the City depository. All tickets issued for parking meter violations shall be issued in such a manner that the same can be distinguished from those issued on off-square meters; and all monies received from violation of parking meter regulations on the square shall be placed in the aforesaid account.
- (5) Out of gross revenues, City will pay the cost of the meters and installation, which will be paid on a monthly basis. A part of the parking meter attendant's salary will also be charged to the gross revenues of on-square meters and the items mentioned in Paragraph (3) above. This prorata part of the salary of the attendant to be charged to on-square meters will be computed by a formula of salary of the attendant divided by the percentage of on-square meters to total meters in the City. Each month City will furnish County an account of receipts and disbursements for the preceding month.
- (6) The net revenues from on-square meters shall be placed in a fund to be disbursed by joint action of both governing bodies for the improvement of public parking facilities in the City of Mt. Pleasant.

(7) This contract shall be for a period of five (5) years from the date the City notified the County in writing that the meters have been installed and are ready to be put in use, unless sooner terminated by joint agreement. The contract may be extended for an additional five (5) years by agreement of both parties, but if at the end of the first five (5) years the County does not desire to extend the contract, it shall pay to the City one-half (1/2) of the remainder owing on the cost of the meters and installation. On termination of the contract, the City will remove its meters and the cost, if any, of restoration of paving on the square will be shared equally by both parties.

(8) It being contemplated that some who have been heretofore parking on the square will move to the school area south of the Brice Gymnasium, the City agrees to have two (2) additional street lights installed on said lot and the cost of these lights to be charged to On-square parking meter revenues and will be shown on the monthly statements furnished by the City. In addition to this lighting, the City Police will periodically check said lot.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Commissioners' Court has authorized the execution of this contract by the County Judge, duly attested by the County Clerk; and the City of Mt. Pleasant has authorized the execution of this contract by its Mayor, and attested by the City Secretary, This, the 12th day of December, 1966.

ATTEST:

/s/ Allen LaPrade  
County Clerk

TITUS COUNTY

By: /s/ Cecil Franklin  
County Judge

ATTEST:

/s/ Mary Coker  
City Secretary

CITY OF MT. PLEASANT

By /s/ Otis McMinn  
Mayor

MOUNT PLEASANT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT PARKING RESOLUTION:

The Board of Trustees, hereby, resolves, that permission may be granted for off the street parking on the school parking lot adjacent to the present school football stadium.

This privilege of parking will be extended so long as such parking is not a hinderance to the carrying out of the school program and so long as such parking does not damage said parking lot.

Signed for the Board of Trustees of the Mount Pleasant Independent School District:

Attested: Terrell W. Ogg, Superintendent

/s/ H. M. Bruechner, President

Date: December 9, 1966.

The above and foregoing minutes were read and approved for December this the 31st day of December, 1966.

ATTEST:

Allen LaPrade  
County Clerk, Titus County, Texas

Cecil Franklin  
County Judge, Titus County, Texas