

SPECIAL SESSION
January 22, 1971

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Titus County Commissioners' Court met in special session in the Courtroom of the Courthouse at 9:00 A.M. in Mt. Pleasant, Texas on January 22, 1971. The following members were present:

John W. Mason	County Judge
Rayford Taylor	Commissioner Pract. #1
Bert B. Parr	Commissioner Pract. #2
T. O. Raney	Commissioner Pract. #3
Dan Bynum	Commissioner Pract. #4
Allen LaPrade	County Clerk

Motion made by Commissioner Parr to pay Pract. employees. Motion seconded by Commissioner Taylor.
Motion carried.

REGULAR SESSION
February 8, 1971

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Titus County Commissioners' Court met in Regular Session on February 8, 1971 in the Courtroom of the Courthouse at 9:00 A.M. with the following members present:

John W. Mason	County Judge
Rayford Taylor	Co. Comm. Prec. #1
Bert B. Parr	Co. Comm. Prec. #2
T. O. Raney	Co. Comm. Prec. #3
Dan Bynum	Co. Comm. Prec. #4

IN THE MATTER OF PAYING MONTHLY BILLS:

Motion made by Commissioner Taylor to pay monthly bills. Motion seconded by Commissioner Bynum.
Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING MONTHLY REPORTS & TREASURES REPORT:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr to approve monthly reports including Treasures report. Motion seconded by Commissioner Raney. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING BID FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY FOR NEXT 2 YEARS:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr to approve bid of First National Bank for County Depository for the next 2 years. Motion seconded by Commissioner Bynum. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF ACCEPTING BID FROM BILLY LYNCH FOR 1953 INTERNATIONAL AND FLOAT TRAILERY

Motion made by Commissioner Bynum to accept bid for 1953 International and float trailer owned by Prec. #4 from Billy Lynch. Motion seconded by Commissioner Taylor. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF ACCEPTING EASEMENT FROM H. L. HESS, JR. FOR ROAD:

Motion made by Commissioner Bynum to accept easement from H. L. HESS, JR. for road. Motion seconded by Commissioner Taylor. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING A JUVENILE PROBATION OFFICER FOR TITUS COUNTY:

Motion made by Commissioner Taylor and seconded by Commissioner Raney to appoint a Juvenile Probation Officer for Titus County. Motion carried.

COUNTY DEPOSITORY PLEDGE CONTRACT

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TITUS

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That First National Bank in Mt. Pleasant, Texas of Titus County, Texas, does hereby pledge and deposit the following securities with the Commissioners' Court of Titus County, in the amount of Ninety Thousand Dollars, upon the terms and conditions and for the purposes hereinafter set forth:

SECURITIES	AMOUNT
U.S. Treasury Bonds, 2½%, of 1967-72 Nos. 19265E/19268J, 31494D/31496F, 32771A, 32772B - \$10M each	\$90,000.00
TOTAL <u>2</u>	\$90,000.00

Signed, sealed and dated this the 8th day of February, A.D. 1971.

The condition of the above contract are such that, whereas, the above bounden pledgor First National Bank was on the 8th day of February, A.D. 1971, duly and legally chosen by the Commissioners' Court of Titus County, Texas, as County Depository for said county for a period of two years ending sixty days from the time fixed by law for the next selection of a depository, upon its bidding and agreeing to pay the County of Titus interest on "time deposits" on daily balances kept in said depository of said County of Titus at the rate of N.Y. Prime per cent per annum, said interest payable monthly.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the above bounden pledgor First National Bank in Mt. Pleasant, Texas shall faithfully do and perform all the duties and obligations devolving on it by law as the county depository of Titus County, and shall upon demand deposit all monies drawn on it by the county treasurer of Titus County, Texas; on "demand deposits" accounts in such depository; and all checks drawn upon any "time deposit" account upon presentation, after the expiration of the period of notice required in the case of "time deposits", and shall faithfully keep said county funds, and account for same according to law, and shall faithfully keep and account for all funds belonging to the county which are deposited with it under the requirements of Article 2547, Vernon's Annotated Revised Civil Statutes, and shall include State funds collected by the tax collector, and shall pay the interest at the time and at the rate hereinbefore stipulated on "time deposits"; and shall, at the expiration of the term for which it has been chosen, turn over to its successor all the funds, property, and other things of value, coming into its hands as depository, then and in that event this contract is to be and become null and void and the securities above shall be returned to the pledgor, otherwise to remain in full force and effect, hereby specially authorizing the Commissioners' Court of Titus County, Texas to sell at public or private sale, with or without notice to the pledgor, the securities, or any part thereof, and apply the proceeds of sale to the satisfaction of any indebtedness arising by virtue of the violation of any or all the conditions of this contract.

The above provision is given in addition to any remedy the pledgee may have in any suit brought on this contract in any court in this State.

Any suit arising out of or in any way connected with this contract, shall be tried in the County of Titus and State of Texas in any Court therein having jurisdiction of the subject matter thereof.

IN WITNESS of all which we have hereunto set our hands and the said First National Bank in Mt. Pleasant, Texas has caused these presents to be signed with its name and by its president and attested and sealed with its corporate seal the day and year first above written.

First National Bank, Mt. Pleasant, Texas

By /s/ W. L. Means
President, as Principal

(SEAL)

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF TEXAS,
 COUNTY OF TITUS } Before Me, Johnnie Strother on this day personally appeared
 W. L. Means President of The First National Bank, Mt. Pleasant, Texas known to me to be the person whose
 name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same as the
 act and deed of the First National Bank, Mt. Pleasant, Texas a corporation, for the purpose and considera-
 tion, ~~for the purpose and~~ therein expressed and in the capacity therein stated.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the 8th day of February, A.D. 1971.

/s/ Johnnie Strother
 Notary Public in and for

(SEAL)

Titus County, Texas.

SPECIAL SESSION
 February 19, 1971

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Titus County Commissioners' Court met in Special Session on February 19, 1971
 in the Courtroom of the Courthouse at 9:00 A.M. with the following members present;

John W. Mason
 Rayford Taylor
 Bert B. Parr
 T. O. Raney
 Dan Bynum

County Judge
 County Comm. Prec. #1
 County Comm. Prec. #2
 County Comm. Prec. #3
 County Comm. Prec. #4

IN THE MATTER OF PAYING PREC. EMPLOYEES:

Motion made by Commissioner Taylor to pay Prec. employees. Motion seconded by Commissioner Bynum.

Motion carried.

SPECIAL SESSION
 February 26, 1971

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Titus County Commissioners' Court met in Special Session on February 26, 1971
 at 10:00 A. M. in the courtroom of the Courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas with the following member present:

John W. Mason
 Rayford Taylor
 Bert B. Parr
 T. O. Raney
 Dan Bynum

County Judge
 County Commissioner Prec. #1
 County Commissioner Prec. #2
 County Commissioner Prec. #3
 County Commissioner Prec. #4

IN THE MATTER OF CONTINUING BLUE CROSS-BLUE SHIELD INSURANCE:

Motion made by Commissioner Raney to continue group hospital insurance with Blue Cross-Blue Shield of Texas.
 Motion seconded by Commissioner Taylor. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF ADVERTISING FOR BIDS FOR TRACTOR FOR PREC. #2:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr to advertise for bids for tractor with loader for Prec. #2. Motion
 seconded by Commissioner Taylor. Motion carried.

The above and foregoing minutes were read and approved for January and February this 28th day of February, 1971.

John W. Mason
 County Judge, Titus County, Texas

ATTEST:

Allen LaPrade
 County Clerk, Titus County, Texas