

PRECINCT NUMBER	VOTING PLACES	ELECTION OFFICERS
16	Youth Center	<u>Mrs. Johnny Colley</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Irene Rutland</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
17	Fowler School	<u>George Gilpin</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. R. B. Levellen</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
18	Farmer's Academy	<u>Simp Hobbs</u> Presiding Judge <u>Daisy Harris</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
19	Annie Simms School	<u>Bob Palmer</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Jack Firmin</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
20	E. C. Brice School	<u>Fred Bright, Jr.</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Roger Reagan</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
21	Special Canvassing Board	<u>Paul Harbour</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Paul Harbour; Mrs. David Myers</u> Alternates

The polls for regular voting shall be open from 7:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, except as otherwise herein provided.

The ballots for said election shall have, among other things, written or printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

- FOR) the creation of a Hospital District; providing for the levy of a tax not to exceed seventy-five cents (75c) on the One Hundred Dollar valuation; and providing for the assumption by such District of all outstanding bonds heretofore issued by Titus County for hospital purposes.
- AGAINST)

Each voter shall place an "X" or other clear mark in the square beside the statement indicating the way the voter wishes to vote.

That said election shall be held and conducted in effect as two separate but simultaneous elections, to-wit: One election at which only the legally qualified property taxpaying voters thereof shall be entitled to vote, and another election at which all other resident legally qualified voters of the County shall be entitled to vote. The votes cast at each of said separate but simultaneous elections shall be recorded, returned and canvassed separately. Where the term "election" is used in this Order, it shall mean the separate but simultaneous elections. In further explanation, if need be, the taxpaying voters vote in one box and the non-taxpaying voters vote in the other box. Both elections may be considered as one for determining the outcome of same as to the qualified voters.

This election will be held simultaneously and in conjunction with the bond election hereafter to be ordered and same shall be held at the same time and place and in the same manner as for this election.

A notice in substantially the same language as this Order shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The County Judge is authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be posted at the County Courthouse door, in the Office of the County Clerk, and in each election precinct as provided by law prior to the date of the election.

The County Judge is further authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be published in some newspaper of general circulation published within said County, once each week on the same day for two successive weeks before the date of said election and the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a meeting open to the public, this the 15th day of December, 1972, after public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given and posted as required by law.

(Seal)

John W. Mason
County Judge, Titus County, Texas

ATTEST:

Allen LaPrade
County Clerk

SPECIAL SESSION

LET IT BE REMEMBERED That The Titus County Commissioners Court met in Special Session on Friday December 22, 1972 in the courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas at 9:00 o'clock A. M. The following were present:

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

IN THE MATTER OF PAYING PRECINCT EMPLOYEES:

Motion made by Commissioner Bynum and seconded by Commissioner Raney to pay precinct employees.

Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF PURCHASING TRUCK FOR PRECINCT #2:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr and seconded by Commissioner Bynum to purchase truck from Bob Sandlin Motors for Precinct #2 as bid. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING BOND FOR PROBATION OFFICER:

Motion made by Commissioner Taylor and seconded by Commissioner Bynum to approve bond of Pat Temples, Jr. as Probation Officer. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF PURCHASING CAR FOR SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT:

Motion made by Commissioner Bynum and seconded by Commissioner Taylor to accept bid from Bob Sandlin Motors for car for Sheriff Department as per bid. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF PAYING ON LOADER AND ACCEPTING AGREEMENT WITH GEO. P. BANE, INC. FOR PRECINCT #3:

Motion made by Commissioner Raney and seconded by Commissioner Bynum to pay Geo. P. Bane Inc. \$3,225.00 on loader and to accept lease agreement between Titus County and Geo. P. Bane Inc. for loader for Precinct #3. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF BOND ELECTION FOR HOSPITAL DISTRICT:

Motion made by Commissioner Raney and seconded by Commissioner Parr to order election for bonds of \$1,500,000.00 for hospital district at the same time of Hospital District election, this being January 16, 1973. Motion carried.

ORDER FOR ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS ()

COUNTY OF TITUS ()

On this the 22nd day of December, 1972, the Commissioners' Court of Titus County, Texas, convened in regular session at a Regular Term thereof, at the regular meeting place in the Courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas, with the

following members of the Court present, to-wit:

JOHN MASON,	County Judge,
RAFORD TAYLOR,	Commissioner Precinct No. 1,
BERT PARR,	Commissioner Precinct No. 2,
I. O. RANEY,	Commissioner Precinct No. 3,
DAN BYNUM,	Commissioner Precinct No. 4,
ALLEN LAPRADE	County Clerk,

when, among other proceedings had, were the following:

Commissioner Raney introduced an order and made a motion that it be passed. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Parr. The motion, carrying with it the passage of the order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Taylor, Parr, Raney, Bynum.

NOES: None.

The County Judge announced that the order had been finally passed.

The Order is as follows:

ORDER FOR ELECTION

WHEREAS, each and all of the members of the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, was duly and sufficiently notified, officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place and purpose of this meeting; and

WHEREAS, proper notice of this meeting has been duly and timely posted as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, the 58th Legislature of Texas, Regular Session, 1963, Chapter 298, authorized the authorization of bonds of the hospital district by election; and

WHEREAS, an election has been ordered by the Commissioners Court to be held on January 16, 1973, to be held through out said County to determine whether or not there shall be created a Hospital District coextensive with the boundaries of Titus County, Texas, with the authority to levy a tax not to exceed seventy-five cents (75c) on the \$100 valuation of taxable property therein, for the purpose of (1) paying the interest on and creating a sinking fund for bonds which may have been assumed or which may be issued by the Hospital District for hospital purposes as herein provided; (2) providing for the operation and maintenance of the hospital or hospital system; and (3) for the purpose of making further improvements and additions to the hospital system, and for the acquisition of necessary sites therefor, by purchase, lease or condemnation; and

WHEREAS, the petition which was submitted to the Commissioners Court petitioning for said election also petitioned for said election to contain a proposition for the issuance of bonds of the hospital district in the amount of \$1,500,000; and

WHEREAS, the Act authorizing the creation, establishment, maintenance and operation of the hospital district coextensive with Titus County, provides that the election for the authorization of bonds be held in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 22, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, relating to county bonds, which among other things requires that the election for the authorization of bonds shall be held not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date said election is ordered; and

WHEREAS, acting on said petition and also independently on its own motion, the Commissioners Court finds and determines that it is for the best interest of said county and its inhabitants to have such bond election as hereinabove stated.

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED BY THE COURT that an election be held throughout said county on the 16th day of January, 1973, which is not less than fifteen (15) days nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of this Order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION

SHALL the Commissioners Court be authorized to issue and sell as obligations of the Titus County Hospital District bonds to the amount of One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) bearing interest at such rate or rates as shall be determined within the discretion of the Commissioners Court, and maturing at such time or times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed forty (40) years from their date, for the purpose of providing funds for the purchase,

construction, acquisition, repair or renovation of buildings and improvements and equipping same, for hospital purposes and for the acquisition of sites therefor, and to levy taxes for the benefit of said District upon all all taxable property within said Hospital District, which if authorized to be created will be coextensive with Titus County, annually in an amount not to exceed 75c on the \$100 valuation of taxable property in said District to pay the principal of and interest on such bonds, provided, however, the bond tax and maintenance and operation tax shall never exceed 75c on the \$100 valuation if authorized at the election held for same, and further provided, however, the bond tax shall operate to reduce the maintenance and operation tax, so that said bond tax and maintenance and operation tax shall never exceed 75c on the \$100 valuation?

That absentee voting shall be conducted at the Office of the County Clerk in the County Courthouse, Mt. Pleasant, Texas, for the period absentee voting is permitted by law; the hours designated for absentee voting shall be from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., on each day except Saturdays, Sundays and official State holidays. The following persons are hereby appointed to serve as a special canvassing board for canvassing ballots of absentee voters:

Paul Harbour Mrs. Paul Harbour Mrs. David Myers

That the polling places, Presiding Judges, and Alternate Presiding Judges for said election shall be as follows:

PRECINCT NUMBER	VOTING PLACES	ELECTION OFFICERS
1	Corprew School	<u>John H. Brooks</u> Presiding Judge <u>F. E. Tucker</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
2	Greenhill	<u>W. E. Blackstone</u> Presiding Judge <u>Edwin Sanders</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
3	Bridges Chapel	<u>Clay Thomas</u> Presiding Judge <u>Roy Hensley</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
4	Monticello	<u>Mrs. Willie Narramore</u> Presiding Judge <u>Lady Smith</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
5	Wilkinson	<u>Mrs. Christine Harris</u> Presiding Judge <u>Morris Blalock</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
6	Cookville	<u>Mrs. J. B. Clawson</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. A. W. Connor</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
7	Chapel Hill	<u>Mrs. Johnnie Harkrider</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. J. T. Rust, Jr.</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
8	County Clerk's Office	<u>Mrs. F. W. Stephenson</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Florine Conroy</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
9	Talco	<u>Mrs. Martha Gipsan</u> Presiding Judge <u>Ivy Smith</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
10	Argo	<u>Mrs. J. M. Brown, Jr.</u> Presiding Judge <u>Jess McKelvey</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
11	Winfield	<u>Tom Carruth</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Holmes</u> Alternate Presiding Judge

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12	County Superintendent Office	<u>Burns Davis</u> Presiding Judge <u>Paul Arthur</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
13	County Tax Office	<u>Robert Thacker</u> Presiding Judge <u>Homer Bowden</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
14	Justice Peace Office	<u>Sam Austin</u> Presiding Judge <u>John Willis</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
15	Neville's Chapel	<u>Leo Wilson</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Fred Mercer</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
16	Youth Center	<u>Mrs. Johnny Colley</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. Irene Rutland</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
17	Fowler School	<u>George Gilpin</u> Presiding Judge <u>Mrs. R. E. Levelien</u> Alternate Presiding Judge
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The polls for regular voting shall be open from 7:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, except as otherwise herein provided.

The ballots for said election shall have, among other things, written or printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

- FOR) the issuance of bonds and the
- AGAINST) levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Each voter shall place an "X" or other clear mark in the square beside the statement indicating the way the voter wishes to vote.

That said election shall be held and conducted in effect as two separate but simultaneous elections, to-wit: one election at which only the legally qualified property taxpaying voters thereof shall be entitled to vote, and another election at which all other resident legally qualified voters of the County shall be entitled to vote. The votes cast at each of said separate but simultaneous elections shall be recorded, returned and canvassed separately. Where the term "election" is used in this Order, it shall mean the separate but simultaneous elections. In further explanation; if need be, the taxpaying voters vote in one box and the non-taxpaying voters vote in the other box. Both elections may be considered as one for determining the

outcome of same as to the qualified voters.

This election will be held simultaneously and in conjunction with the creation and other purposes election heretofore ordered and hereby reaffirmed and same shall be held at the same time and place and in the same manner as for this election.

A notice in substantially the same language as this Order shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The County Judge is authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be posted at the County Courthouse door, in the Office of the County Clerk, and in each election precinct as provided by law prior to the date of the election.

The County Judge is further authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be published in some newspaper of general circulation published within said County, once each week on the same day for two successive weeks before the date of said election and the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a meeting open to the public, this the 22nd day of December, 1972, after public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given and posted as required by law.

ATTEST: Allen LaPrade, County Clerk
(Seal)

John W. Mason, County Judge,
Titus County, Texas.

BID ON 1973 2 1/2 TON TRUCK FOR PRECINCT #2 ACCEPTED

December 18, 1972

Titus County Commissioners Court

Titus County Courthouse

Mt. Pleasant, Texas 75455

ATTN: Bert Parr, Prec. #2

Gentlemen:

Please accept our bid on a new 1973 Chevrolet 2 1/2 Ton Truck Cab & Chassis with the following options: 84" Cab to Axle (for 12' bed), 350 CID V-8 Engine, 4-Speed Transmission, 17,000# 2-Speed Rear Axle, 23,000# Rear Springs, 4,640# Auxiliary Rear Springs, 7,000# Front Axle, 9,000# Front Springs, Full Foam Seat, Heavy Duty Frame (Section Modulus 11.80), 8.25X20-E (10 ply) Tires & Tubes, 20X6.5 Cast Steel Spoke Wheels, 20X6.5 Cast Steel Spoke Spare Wheel and Vacuum Brake Booster.

List Price	\$5883.70
Less: Federal Tax	410.70
County Discount	<u>1179.00</u>
Cash Sale Price	\$4294.00

We appreciate the opportunity to quote you this bid and hope it will meet with your approval.

Yours truly,
SANDLIN MOTORS, INC.
James L. Clark, Sales Manager

JLC:drb
(See original minutes for other bids not accepted.)

ACCEPTED BID ON CAR FOR SHERIFF DEPARTMENT

December 18, 1972

Titus County Commissioners Court

Titus County Courthouse

Mt. Pleasant, Texas

SHERIFF CAR BID

Gentlemen:

Please accept our bid on a new 1973 Chevrolet Bel Air 4 Door Sedan (GM has discontinued the Biscayne)

equipped with 350 C. I. D. 4-bbl Carb. V-8 Engine, Dual Exhaust, Air Conditioning, Heavy Duty Battery, AM Pushbutton Radio, Vinyl Interior, 2 - Red Lights, Power Steering, Power Disc Brakes, Hydraulic Transmission and all factory standard and safety equipment such as 2-speed Windshield Washer & Wiper, Back-up Lamps, Turn Signals and Safety Flasher, Seat Belts & Shoulder Straps, Ect.

We will deliver this car to the Sheriff Department for \$3394.00 without the tires. Delivery date will be approximately 30 days after bid is awarded.

We appreciate the opportunity to quote you this bid and hope it will meet with your approval.

Yours truly,
SANDLIN MOTORS, INC.
James L. Clark, Sales Manager

JLC;drb

(See original minutes for other bids not accepted.)

(See original minutes for Lease Agreement between Titus County and George P. Bane, Inc. on one new 655 Allis-Chalmers Loader, Serial No. 655-7564 for Precinct #3)

(See original minutes for Financial Advisory Contract)

The above and foregoing minutes were read and approved for December on this 29th day of December, 1972.

Allen LaPrade
Allen LaPrade, County Clerk, Titus County, Texas.

John W. Mason
John W. Mason, County Judge, Titus County, Texas.

SUPPLEMENTAL TO SPECIAL SESSION

Friday December 22, 1972

NOTICE OF ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS |
COUNTY OF TITUS |

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF TITUS COUNTY WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION, AND TO ALL OTHER RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID COUNTY:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Titus County at the time and places and on the propositions as provided in the Order for Election, duly passed by the Commissioners' Court of Titus County, which Order for Election is substantially as follows:

ORDER

See Order of Election on Page 147.

AFFIDAVIT OF POSTING NOTICE OF ELECTION

STATE OF TEXAS |
COUNTY OF TITUS |

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared JOHN MASON, County Judge of Titus County, Texas, who, after being by me first duly sworn, says upon his oath:

1. That he caused to be posted a true and correct copy of the Notice of Election hereto attached at a public place in each election precinct in Titus County, Texas, to wit:

- At Corprow School
- At Greenhill Presbyterian Church
- At Bridges Chapel Meth. Church
- At Monticello Washerville
- At Wilkinson School

At Cookville School
 At Chapel Hill School
 At County Clerk Office Courthouse
 At Talco City Hall
 At Argo School
 At Winfield Fire Station
 At County Supt. Office Courthouse
 At County Tax Office Courthouse
 At Justice Peace Office
 At Neviles Chapel Community Center
 At Youth Center
 At Fowler School
 At Farmer's Academy Meth. Church
 At Annie Simms School
 At E.C. Brice School

At the County Courthouse door in Mt. Pleasant, Texas; and in the Office of the County Clerk of Titus County.

2. That all of said notices were posted by the 22 day of Dec., 1972.

3. That he caused a true and correct copy of the Notice of Election to be filed with the County Clerk of Titus County.

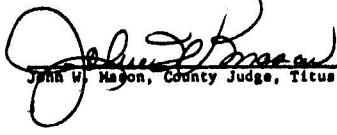
/s/ John W. Mason
 COUNTY JUDGE

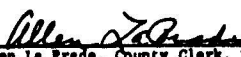
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, this the 22 day of Dec., 1972.

/s/ Pat Beck
 NOTARY PUBLIC, TITUS COUNTY,
 TEXAS.

(SEAL)

The above and foregoing minutes were read and approved for December on this the 29th day of December, 1972.


 John W. Mason, County Judge, Titus County, Texas


 Allen La Prade, County Clerk, Titus County, Texas

REGULAR SESSION

LET IT BE REMEMBERED THAT The Titus County Commissioners Court met in Regular session on January 8, 1973 at 9:00 o'clock A. M. in the courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas. The following members present:

John W. Mason	County Judge
Rayford Taylor	Commissioner Precinct #1
Bert B. Parr	Commissioner Precinct #2
Hubert Martin	Commissioner Precinct #3
Dan Bynum	Commissioner Precinct #4

IN THE MATTER OF ISSUING COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$200,000.00:

Motion made by Commissioner Taylor and seconded by Commissioner Parr to give notice for the intention for the issuing of \$200,000.00 Titus County Road and Bridge Warrants to bear interest with in the limits prescribed by law. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF RETAINING FINANCIAL ADVISOR:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr and seconded by Commissioner ^{Martin} to retain James E. Tucker and Company

for financial advisors. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF ACCEPTING RESIGNATION OF JOHN W. MASON, COUNTY JUDGE:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr and Seconded by Commissioner Taylor to accept the resignation of John W. Mason as County Judge. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING BOND AND DEPUTATION OF ANDREW FLEMING AS DEPUTY SHERIFF:

Motion made by Commissioner Taylor and seconded by Commissioner Martin to approve deputation and bond of Andrew Fleming as Deputy Sheriff and set salary at \$430.00 per month and approve bond of Jim Talley as J. P. Precinct #1 Place #2. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF TRANSFERRING FUNDS FROM REVENUE SHARING ACCOUNT TO VARIOUS OTHER FUNDS:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr and seconded by Commissioner Bynum to transfer \$88,127.80 from Revenue Sharing Account to Revenue Sharing Road and Bridge #1, Revenue Sharing Road and Bridge #2, Revenue Sharing Road and Bridge #3 and Revenue Sharing Road and Bridge #4, each precinct getting \$22,039.45 each. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF ENTERING CONTRACT WITH ARCHITECT FOR OFFICE BUILDING EXPANSION:

Motion made by Commissioner Bynum and seconded by Commissioner Martin to enter into contract with Louis Gohmert, Architect for office building expansion. Motion carried. (See original minutes for this agreement)

IN THE MATTER OF PURCHASING BOAT MOTOR FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Motion made by Commissioner Martin and seconded by Commissioner Parr to purchase boat motor for Mt. Pleasant Fire Department Rescue Unit for \$775.00. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF CANCELLING TAX RECEIPTS:

Motion made by Commissioner Taylor and Seconded by Commissioner Parr to cancel tax on Receipts No. #11 thru No. #30 for tax office. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF PAYING MONTHLY BILLS:

Motion made by Commissioner Martin and seconded by Commissioner Bynum to pay bills of County for month. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING MONTHLY REPORTS:

Motion made by Commissioner Bynum and seconded by Commissioner Taylor to approve monthly reports of County officers, including reassurers monthly and quarterly reports. Motion carried.

IN THE MATTER OF APPOINTING GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE FOR 1973:

Members picked for the County Grievance Committee for the year 1973 are as follows: Louis Allen, Randolph Bryant and Jerry B. Tigert.

IN THE MATTER OF PAYING ON SALARY BASIS:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr and seconded by Commissioner Taylor that the county/be paid on the salary basis. Motion carried. officials and employees

IN THE MATTER OF REDEPOSITING CERTIFICATES:

Motion made by Commissioner Parr and seconded by Commissioner Taylor to redeposit Certificates of

\$350,000.00 and \$253,000.00 and interest. Motion carried.

 IN THE MATTER OF A PUBLIC HEARING APPROVING 1973 BUDGET:

A Public hearing was held at 1:30 o'clock P. M. on January 8, 1973 in the courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas for the purpose of approving the 1973 budget.

A motion was made by Commissioner Parr and seconded by Commissioner Bynum to approve the budget of 1973 with the following amendments. The elected officials and county employees be granted a 10% raise and that the office deputy of Sheriff Department, the Secretary for County Agents, and the District Clerk Deputy be paid the same as deputies in tax office and clerk office. The salaries being as follows:

	Yearly	Monthly
County Judge	8,431.23	702.60
County Commissioners	7,887.28	657.27
Tax Assessor	7,615.30	634.60
County Clerk	7,343.33	611.94
County Sheriff	7,343.33	611.94
County Treasurer	7,071.35	589.27
County Attorney	7,071.35	589.27
District Clerk	6,527.40	543.95
Justice Peace		
Place #1	4,079.63	339.96
Place #2	4,079.63	339.96
Janitor	4,611.75	384.31
V. A. Officer	3,547.50	295.62
County Tax Deputies		360.67
County Clerk Deputies		360.67
Chief Deputy Sheriff		502.57
Sheriff Deputies		473.00
Office Sheriff Deputy		360.67
Part time Deputies		206.94
District Clerk Deputy		360.67
County Agent Secretary		360.67
County Judge Secretary		366.58

 RESIGNATION OF COUNTY JUDGE

January 8, 1973

The Honorable Commissioner Court
 Titus County, Texas
 Box 372
 Mt. Pleasant, Texas 75455

Gentlemen:

I would like to take this method of submitting my resignation as County Judge of Titus County. I will vacate the Office as of 10:00 A. M. January 20, 1973.

As I have accepted another position with the Titus County Fresh Water Supply District #1, this is my only reason for resigning. It has been a pleasure for me to serve this County and the people of the County and I will be doing so in the future. I will forever be grateful to the people for letting me serve. I have served with seven different Commissioners and know of no finer men. I am grateful for the Commissioners that I have served with. I pledge my support to the Court and will be glad to work with them in the future.

I wish to thank each of the other elected officials and employees of the County for there cooperation and I enjoyed working with each of them.

I remain

Sincerely yours,

/s/ John W. Mason

John W. Mason

 SPECIAL SESSION

LET IT BE REMEMBERED THAT The Titus County Commissioners Court met in Special Session on January 17, 1973 in the Courthouse in Mt. Pleasant, Texas at 1:30 P. M. The following members were present:

John W. Mason	County Judge
Rayford Taylor.	Commissioner Precinct #1
Bert B. Parr	Commissioner Precinct #2
Hubert Martin	Commissioner Precinct #3
Dan Bynum	Commissioner Precinct #4
Allen LaPrade	County Clerk