

**COMMISSIONERS' COURT  
SPECIAL MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 22, 1998**

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE TITUS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT met in *Special Meeting* on Tuesday, September 22, 1998, in the Titus County Courtroom with the following members present.:

DANNY P. CROOKS.....COUNTY JUDGE  
MIKE PRICE.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1  
MIKE FIELDS.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2  
BILLY J. THOMPSON.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3  
THOMAS E. HOCKADAY.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4  
SHERRY MARS.....COUNTY CLERK

ABSENT: NONE

PUBLIC AND COUNTY OFFICIALS ATTENDING MEETING:

CARL JOHNSON, AUDITOR  
RICKY POOLE, SHERIFF  
KEN SCHINDLEY, CHIEF DEPUTY SHERIFF

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**IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING 1998-1999 BUDGET  
FOR TITUS COUNTY**

Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and Commissioner Billy J. Thompson had concerns about the County relying too much on the Wisconsin prisoners for income.

Commissioner Mike Price said, "We still need to stay focused on paying the county jail off early as we had planned."

Motion was made by Commissioner Mike Fields and seconded by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday to approve the 1998-1999 Proposed Budget.

**VOTING YES**

Commissioner Precinct 2 Mike Fields  
Commissioner Precinct 4 Thomas E. Hockaday  
County Judge Danny P. Crooks

**VOTING NO**

Commissioner Precinct 1 Mike Price  
Commissioner Precinct 3 Billy J. Thompson

Motion carried.

**IN THE MATTER OF  
ADOPTING 1998 TAX RATE**

Motion was made by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Mike Fields to adopt .25883 per \$100 for 1998 Tax Rate. Motion carried unanimously. *SEE ATTACHMENT "A"*

**IN THE MATTER OF  
ADJOURNMENT**

Motion was made by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Mike Fields to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

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## Titus County Commissioners' Court

Mt. Pleasant, Texas

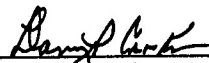
ORDER TO ADOPT TAX RATE

Article 26.05 of the Tax Code places the responsibility of adopting a tax rate each year for Titus County on the Commissioners' Court. The taxes generated by imposing this tax rate on the owners of taxable property in Titus County is necessary for the operation of the Titus County Government.

It is hereby ordered that the Commissioners' Court of Titus County adopt the tax rate on taxable property of Titus County for Maintenance and Operation purposes at .21193 per \$100. of taxable value.

It is hereby ordered that the Commissioners' Court of Titus County adopt the rate on taxable property of Titus County for Interest and Sinking Fund purposes at .0469 per \$100. of taxable value for a total tax rate of .25883 per \$100. of taxable value.

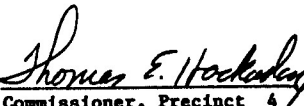
It is hereby ordered the 22nd day of September, 1998 by the Commissioners' Court, Titus County, Texas.

  
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Danny P. Crooks, County Judge

  
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Commissioner, Precinct 1

  
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