

**COMMISSIONERS' COURT  
SPECIAL MEETING  
JANUARY 22, 2001**

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE TITUS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT met in *Special Session* on Monday, January 22, 2001, in the Titus County Courtroom with the following members present:

DANNY P. CROOKS.....COUNTY JUDGE  
BOB FITCH.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1  
MIKE FIELDS.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2  
BILLY J. THOMPSON.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3  
THOMAS E. HOCKADAY.....COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4  
JEAN CROVER.....DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK

ABSENT: NONE

**PUBLIC AND COUNTY OFFICIALS ATTENDING MEETING:**

CARL JOHNSON, COUNTY AUDITOR  
ARVEL P. SHEPARD, COUNTY SHERIFF  
CYNTHIA (SANDY) AGAN, COUNTY TREASURER

NITA MAY  
STEPHEN BUCHANN  
BOB GRAY  
LES ROSENBLATT

ED DEMETRI, SR.  
ANN RUNDLE  
LOGAN THURMAN

**IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING PURCHASING OF TWO (2) NEW TRUCKS  
(CAB AND CHASSIS ONLY)**

**ONE 1-TON FOUR WHEEL DRIVE**

Elliott Motors submitted a bid for \$23,528.74 and Cypress Ford submitted a bid for \$21,941.50 for a 1-ton cab and chassis with a four-wheel drive.

**ONE 2-TON TRUCK**

Cypress Ford submitted a bid of \$22,788.50 for a 2-ton truck cab and chassis.

Motion was made by Commissioner Mike Fields and seconded by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson to table this matter until next Commissioner's Court meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
CONSIDERING AND APPROVING RESOLUTION  
SUPPORTING THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF MHMR LEGISLATIVE  
BUDGET REQUEST FOR 2002 & 2003

Nita Mae representing MHMR requested the Court to approve the Resolution that would increase the funding for several needed programs of MHMR.

Motion was made by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson and seconded by Commissioner Bob Fitch to approve the Resolution In Support Of Texas Department of MHMR. Motion carried unanimously. *SEE ATTACHMENT "A"*

IN THE MATTER OF  
HEARING LEE ROSENBLATT REGARDING  
COMPENSATION PLAN

Mr. Lee Rosenblatt gave the Court an overview of a Compensation Plan from American General Financial Corporation. This plan is one volunteer interest only and could be a payroll deduction.

The Court would like to treat this just like the Cafeteria Plan. They would like to open it to any company wishing to present their plan being able to do so. Then one company would be chosen for payroll deduction.

IN THE MATTER OF  
CONSIDERING DEPUTATIONS OF JAMES W. TATMAN  
AND ROBERT LEO EDRINGTON AS DEPUTY SHERIFF

Motion was made by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson to approve the deputation of James W. Tatman and Robert Leo Edrington as Deputy Sheriff. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
CONSIDERING DEPUTATION OF  
GARY CLARK DEPUTY CONSTABLE FOR PRECINCT 2

Motion was made by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson to approve the deputation of Gary Clark as deputy constable for Precinct 2. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
HEARING SHERRY MARS  
REGARDING COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

To be continued until the next meeting.

IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING BUDGET AMENDMENTS

Motion was made by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson and seconded by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday to approve budget amendment number 81 of the 1999 - 2000 Budget. This amendment can be seen in the County Auditor's Office. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
SIGNING PAY ORDER AND PAYING BILLS

Motion was made by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson to approve signing pay orders and paying bills. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING COUNTY OFFICIAL REPORTS

Motion was made by Commissioner Bob Fitch and seconded by Commissioner Mike Fields to approve reports from County Auditor, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2, Titus County Environmental Inspection Service, Cookville Volunteer Fire Department, Sugar Hill Volunteer Fire Department, Winfield Volunteer Fire Department, City of Talco Fire Department, and annual report of the Mt. Pleasant Fire Department. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
CONSIDERING VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS  
NOTICE OF COMMUNICATION LINE INSTALLATION  
FM 1734 AND NW 13 IN PRECINCT 2

Motion was made by Commissioner Mike Fields and seconded by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday to approve the Verizon Communications installation of communication line on FM 1734 and NW 13 in Precinct 2 within the west right of way for approximately 10,250 feet with the exception of boring under all roads and driveways. Motion carried unanimously. *SEE ATTACHMENT "B"*

IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING APPOINTMENT OF DR. O. M. REICHERT  
AS LOCAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

Motion was made by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson to approve the appointment of Dr. O. M. Reichert as the Local Health Authority. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
CONSIDERING AND APPROVING SUBDIVISION  
REPLAT OF LOTS 1 - 5 BLOCK B HANES ADDITION  
INTO ONE SINGLE LOT 1R OF THE CITY OF MT. PLEASANT

Motion was made by Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson to approve the Replat of Lots 1 - 5 Block B Hanes Addition into one single Lot 1R of the City of Mt. Pleasant. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Court recessed at 9:46 am to consider legal matters. The Court returned at 10:55 am and no further action was taken.

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IN THE MATTER OF  
ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson and seconded by Commissioner Bob Fitch to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

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# Titus County Commissioners' Court

Mt. Pleasant, Texas

## RESOLUTION OF THE TITUS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT SUPPORTING THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND MENTAL RETARDATION LEGISLATIVE BUDGET REQUEST FOR 2002 AND 2003

WHEREAS, all Texans benefit when their families, friends, and neighbors can obtain the behavioral health services they need to maintain good health and be productive members of their community, and

WHEREAS, community mental health and mental retardation services have proven effective and efficient in meeting individual and community needs, and

WHEREAS, Texas ranks 43<sup>rd</sup> in per capita funding for community mental health and mental retardation services and has over 23,000 persons with serious mental disabilities waiting for needed support services statewide, and

WHEREAS, appropriation of new state funds would benefit Texans with mental disabilities by:


1. Repairing and strengthening the mental health safety net by funding new medications and intensive community-based mental health services that can prevent psychiatric crisis, incarceration, and homelessness;
2. Ending the waiting lists for essential community services which enable Texans with extraordinary needs to avoid more costly institutional placement;
3. Providing Texans with mental disabilities the same level of community services available to people in most other states by increasing Texas funding to just equal the national average by 2005.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TITUS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT, to support the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation's funding request for \$265 million in increases to community MHMR services for 2002 and 2003.

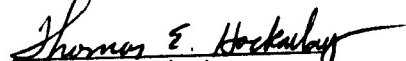
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2001.

  
Titus County Judge

  
Commissioner, Precinct 1

  
Commissioner, Precinct 2

  
Commissioner, Precinct 3

  
Commissioner, Precinct 4

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## NOTICE OF COMMUNICATION LINE INSTALLATION

DATE 11-21-00TO THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT OF Titus COUNTY

## ATTENTION COUNTY JUDGE:

Formal notice is hereby given that Verizon Communications will construct a communication line within the right-of-way of a County Road in Titus County, Winfield as follows:

Proposed construction will place a buried communications cable starting at the intersection of FM 1734 and N.W. 13th in a northerly direction within the west right of way for approximately 10,250 feet. This cable will replace existing facilities. See attached sketch. *Precinct 2*

The location and description of this line and associated appurtenances is more fully shown by five (5) copies of drawings attached to this notice. The line will be constructed and maintained on the County Road right-of-way in accordance with governing laws.

Notwithstanding any other provision contained herein, it is expressly understood that tender of this notice by Verizon Communications does not constitute a waiver, surrender, abandonment or impairment of any property rights, franchise, easement, license, authority, permission, privilege or right now granted by law or may be granted in the future and any provision or provisions so construed shall be null and void.

Construction of this line will begin on or after December 15 20 00.

Verizon Communications

Richard G Gaskin, SENIOR ENGR.

Signed By: Richard G. Gaskin  
ADDRESS: P. O. BOX 498  
SULPHUR SPRINGS, TEXAS 75483

TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS

☒ APPROVED ( ) DENIED

Danny P. Crooks  
COUNTY JUDGE DANNY P. CROOKS

WORK ORDER 3P0018HDATE: Jan. 22, 2001EXCHANGE Winfield, TX

ISSUED 11-21-77  
EFFECTIVE 10-4-76  
DOCKET 10

**GTE**  
GENERAL  
TELEPHONE  
COMPANY  
OF THE  
SOUTHWEST

TEXAS GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFF  
MAP SUPPLEMENT SECTION 8

WINFIELD, TEXAS  
Exchange Area Boundary

FIRST REVISED  
CANCELLING ORIGINAL

SHEET NO. 286A  
SHEET NO. 286A

SCALE 1 inch = 2 MI.

ALL BOUNDARIES ARE 600 FEET FROM  
ROADS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

R. REX BAILEY  
VICE PRESIDENT-REVENUE REQUIREMENTS





