

**COMMISSIONERS' COURT  
SPECIAL MEETING  
JANUARY 28, 2002**

**BE IT REMEMBERED THAT THE TITUS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT met in *Special Session* on Monday, January 28, 2002, 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**

**CLARISSA CUTRELL**

**BOB GRAY**

**IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING PLAT OF FAIRWAY SOUTH ADDITION**

Commissioner Bob Fitch stated, "I understand the City of Mt. Pleasant has changed the name of this plat from Fairway South Addition to The Links Addition. Therefore, since it was not properly titled, so we will have to table this matter until the next meeting.

Motion made by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson and seconded Commissioner Bob Fitch to table this matter until the next meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

**IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING COUNTY OFFICIAL REPORTS**

Motion was made by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday and seconded by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson to approve reports from County Auditor, Tax Assessor - Collector, Titus County Environmental Inspection Service, and Tri - Lakes Volunteer Fire Department. Motion carried unanimously.

IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING BUDGET AMENDMENTS

None were presented.

IN THE MATTER OF  
APPROVING SIGNING PAY ORDERS  
AND PAYING BILLS

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

IN THE MATTER OF  
CONSIDER RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF  
THE GREEN CARPET MEMORIAL ROUTE

Motion was made by Commissioner Mike Fields and seconded by Commissioner Bob Fitch to approve the Resolution In Support Of The Green Carpet Memorial Route. Motion carried unanimously. *SEE ATTACHMENT "A"*

IN THE MATTER OF  
ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Commissioner Billy J. Thompson and seconded by Commissioner Thomas E. Hockaday to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

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**Titus County Commissioners' Court**  
Mt Pleasant, Texas

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the East Texas-Gulf Highway Association was organized in 1965; and

WHEREAS, it has been the objective of this Association for the past 37 years to develop a four-lane highway from Houston, Texas to the south border of Oklahoma, called the Green Carpet Route; and

WHEREAS, this association has made presentations to the commissioners of the Texas Department of Highways (now Transportation) for the past 37 years requesting completion of this project; and

WHEREAS, only 54 ½ miles remain to be four lanes to complete this project, 48 miles from Mount Pleasant to Paris, and 6 ½ miles on state 135 between Interstate 20 and U.S. 271; and

WHEREAS, the Green Carpet Route was made a part of the Texas trunk system in November, 1989, and is a U.S. Highway; and

WHEREAS, this route, when continuing north through Oklahoma and other states practically divides the United States. This is most important as a route for NAFTA traffic to Mexico and Canada.

WHEREAS, the County of Titus, Texas fully supports this project.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 28<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2002.

Danny P. Crooks  
Danny P. Crooks, County Judge

B. L. "Bud" Fitch  
Bob Fitch, Commissioner Precinct 1

Mike Fields  
Mike Fields, Commissioner Precinct 2

Billy Jack Thompson  
Billy Jack Thompson, Commissioner Precinct 3

Thomas E. Hockaday  
Thomas E. Hockaday, Commissioner Precinct 4

ATTEST:

Sherry Mars  
Sherry Mars, County Clerk

By Jean Crowe Deputy

