

THE STATE OF TEXAS : August 2, 1948.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT AT A MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF Johnson County, Texas, held in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: Honorable H. G. Littlefair, County Judge; Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No.2, Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No.3, and Louis B. Lee, County Clerk. Among other things they did the following:

A motion was made by Commissioner Wyatt, seconded by Commissioner Evans, that all proper and endorsed bills be allowed and ordered paid as submitted. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, seconded by Commissioner Maddox, that the amount of \$206.93 be accepted as full of all delinquent taxes assessed against J. H. Wicker, Abstract No. 636, McKinney & William Survey, 160 acres. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Wyatt, seconded by Commissioner Maddox, that the appointment of Avis Boyd as deputy in the office of Tax Collector-Assessors office at a salary of \$1680.00 per year, payable in equal monthly payments, be approved, effective 2nd day of August, 1948. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, seconded by Commissioner Wyatt, that Charles G. Lockett be appointed Constable in Justice Precinct 3, effective 2nd day of August, 1948, to December 31st 1948, subject to his making satisfactory bond and taking oath of office. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Maddox, seconded by Commissioner Wyatt, that the taxes on Abstract 891, J. Williams Survey ½ acre in the name of L. H. Hewgley estate be reassessed for the years 1946 and 1947, from \$600.00 valuation to \$250.00 valuation. All voted aye.

The school election returns were canvassed by the Commissioners in open court on elections at Hines school, Midway school, Brazos Valley school, Highland, Center League, Burton and Venus and declare the results as follows:

SHERIFF'S CERTIFICATE OF POSTING NOTICE OF
ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

I, the undersigned, Sheriff, of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Notice of Election to Consolidate Districts by me, giving notice of the election therein mentioned, and that I posted a true and correct copy of said Notice at the following places, to-wit:

1. In Venus Independent School District at the following three places:
 1. Bank Building
 2. Willmon Building
 3. Venus Theater
2. In Center League Common School District, at the following three public places:
 1. Light pole near Jim England home
 2. Light pole near A. D. Crane home
 3. Light pole near M. S. Casstevens home
3. In Hines Common School District, at the following three places:
 1. School House
 2. Light pole near W. V. Grubbs home
 3. Light pole near H. L. Henderson home

on the 2nd day of July, 1948, which posting was done not less than 20 full days prior to the date fixed for said election.

I further certify that the election order thereto attached and made a part of said Notice of Election to Consolidate Districts is a true and correct copy of an Order adopted by the County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, on the 2 day of July, 1948.

Witness my hand this 2 day of July, 1948.

J. Rice Finley

Johnson County, Texas

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE HEREINAFTER NAMED SCHOOL DISTRICTS:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 24 day of July, 1948, in Venus Independent, Center League Common and Hines Common at the places, in the manner and on the proposition set forth in the attached copy of an order for election to Consolidate Districts, duly entered by the County Judge of Johnson County, State of Texas, on the 2 day of July, 1948. Said attached Order for Election to Consolidate Districts being made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas.

ORDER OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1948, a petition was presented to me for an election to be held in each of the following named school districts located in Johnson County, Texas, to-wit:

1. Center League Common School District No. 10 of said County,

2. Hines Common School District No. 80 of said County,
3. Venus Independent School District No. Ind. of said County,

on the question of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of of said districts desire to be consolidated with each other and with the following districts located outside of said county, to-wit: None

It appearing that each of said contiguous districts have been properly established and created and are legally and validly existing school districts;

THEREFORE, I, in my capacity of County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 24 day of July, 1948, in Center League Common, Hines Common, and Venus Independent to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said Districts desire that they shall be consolidated as indicated above for school purposes.

I further order that said election shall be held at the following places in said districts and the following named person is hereby appointed presiding officer and he shall select tow Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election:

1. In Venus Independent at Willmon Building in Venus, Texas within said district, with W. M. Martin as presiding Judge;
2. In Center League at R. L. Davis home in Rt., Alvarado Texas, within said district, with R. L. Davis as presiding Judge;
3. In Hines Common at school building in Venus, Texas, within said district, with Cecil Ackimon as presiding Judge;

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident voters in said Districts shall be entitled to vote at said elections, and all voters who favor the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“FOR CONSOLIDATION”

And those opposed to the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“AGAINST CONSOLIDATION”

Notice of said Election shall be given by posting three notices thereof in three public places within the boundaries of said District for twenty days prior to the date of said election.

DATED this 2nd day of July, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge
Johnson County, Texas.

ORDER OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1948, a petition was presented to me for an election to be held in each of the following named school districts located in Johnson County, Texas, to-wit:

1. Center League Common School District No. 10 of said County,
2. Venus Independent School District No. Ind. of said County,

on the question of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said districts desire to be consolidated with each other and with the following districts located outside of said county, to-wit: None

It appearing that each of said contiguous districts have been properly established and created and are legally and validly existing school districts;

THEREFORE, I, in my capacity of County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 24 day of July, 1948, in Center League Common, and Venus Independent to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said Districts desire that they shall be consolidated as indicated above for school purposes.

I further order that said election shall be held at the following places in said districts and the following named person is hereby appointed presiding officer and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

1. In Center League Common at R. L. Davis home in Rt. Alvarado, Texas, within said district, with R. L. Davis as presidint Judge;

2. In Venus Independent at Willmon Building in Venus, Texas, within said district, with W. M. Martin as presiding Judge.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident voters in said Districts shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“FOR CONSOLIDATION”

And those opposed to the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“AGAINST CONSOLIDATION”

Notice of said Election shall be given by posting three notices thereof in three public places within the boundaries of said District for twenty days prior to the date of said election.

DATED this 2nd day of July, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas.

RETURNS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS (Center League and Venus)

THE STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS’ COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : SAID COUNTY:

We, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948, in Center League School District No. 10, of Johnson County, at the England Home Building, within said district for the purpose of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said District desire that Center League School District No. 10, of Johnson County, shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election.

HEREBY CERTIFY that at said election there were cast 34 votes, of which number there were cast:

“FOR CONSOLIDATION” - - - - 11 votes,

“AGAINST CONSOLIDATION” - - - - 23 votes.

We further certify that each of the election officials executing this return was duly appointed in the order calling this election or by the Presiding Judge or was elected by the voters present at the polls to serve at said election in the capacity stated under each of our signatures, That all persons appointed in the order calling said election not executing this return failed to appear at the polls to conduct said election.

We hereby enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, this the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948.

R. L. Davis, Judge

Mrs. J. Wm. England, Clerk

RETURNS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS (Venus and Center League)

THE STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : SAID COUNTY:

WE, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948, in Venus Ind. School District No. of Johnson County, at the Willmon Building, within said district, for the purpose of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said District desire that Venus Consolidated (Center League) District No. Ind. of Johnson County, shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election.

HEREBY CERTIFY that at said election there were cast 106 votes, of which number there were case:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION" - - - -	106 votes,
"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION" - - - -	0 votes.

We further certify that each of the election officials executing this return was duly appointed in the order calling this election or by the Presiding Judge or was elected by the voters present at the polls to serve at said election in the capacity stated under each of our signatures. That all persons appointed in the order calling said election not executing this return failed to appear at the polls to conduct said election.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, this the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948.

W. M. Martin, Presiding Officer

H. J. McElroy, Clerk

ORDER DECLARING RESULTS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS
(Center League and Venus)

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

On this the 2nd day of August, 1948, the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, State of Texas, convened in Regular session at its Regular meeting place in the County Courthouse, Johnson County, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

and the following absent: M. W. Roland, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Commissioners Court was the following:

There came to be considered the returns of an election held on the 24th day of July, 1948, in the Center League School District No. 10, of said County, for the purpose of determining whether said district shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 34 valid and legal votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION" - - - - 11 votes.

"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION" - 23 votes.

IT IS THEREFORE FOUND, DECLARED AND SO ORDERED BY the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that a majority of the qualified voters of said district, voting at said election, voted

against the proposition to consolidate said school district for school purposes as provided in the order calling said election and that therefore, this Court does hereby declare said proposition to have been defeated.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same to pass. Thereupon the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted AYE: Wyatt, Evans, Maddox, and the following voted No: None

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this the 2nd day of August, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

ORDER DECLARING RESULTS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS
(Venus and Center League)

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

On this the 2nd day of August, 1948, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, State of Texas, convened in Regular session at its regular meeting place in the County Courthouse, Johnson County, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

and the following absent: M. W. Roland, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Commissioners Court was the following:

There came to be considered the returns of an election held on the 24th day of July, 1948, in the Venus Independent School District of said County, for the purpose of determining whether said district shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 106 valid and legal votes, of which number there were case:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION" - - - -	106 votes,
"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION" -	0 votes.

IT IS THEREFORE FOUND, DECLARED AND SO ORDERED, by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that a majority of the qualified voters of said district, voting at said election, voted for the proposition to consolidate said school district for school purposes as provided in the order calling said election and that therefore, this Court does hereby declare said proposition to have been adopted.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same to pass. Thereupon the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted Aye: Wyatt, Evans, Maddox, and the following voted No: None

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this the 2nd day of August, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

RETURNS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS	:	TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT
COUNTY OF JOHNSON	:	OF SAID COUNTY:

WE, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948, in Consolidated School District No. ___ of Johnson County, at the Willmon Building, within said district, for the purpose of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said District desire that Consolidated with Hines School District No. Ind. of Johnson County, shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election.

HEREBY CERTIFY that at said election there were cast 106 votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION" - - - -	106 votes
"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION" -	0 votes.

We further certify that each of the elections officials executing this return was duly appointed in the order calling this election or by the Presiding Judge or was elected by the voters present at the polls to serve at said election in the capacity stated under each of our signatures. That all persons appointed in the order calling said election not executing this return failed to appear at the polls to conduct said election.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

WITNESS OUR HANDS this the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948.

W. M. Martin, Presiding Officer

H. J. McElroy, Clerk

ORDER DECLARING RESULTS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS
(Venus and Hines)

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

On this the 2nd day of August, 1948, the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, State of Texas, convened in Regular session at its regular meeting place in the County Courthouse, Johnson County, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

and the following absent: M. W. Roland, constituting a quorum and among other proceedings had by said Commissioners' Court was the following:

There came to be considered the returns of an election held on the 24th day of July, 1948, in the Venus Independent School District No. 80 of said County, for the purpose of determining whether said district shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were case at said election 106 valid and legal votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION" - - - - 106 votes

"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION" - 0 votes.

IT IS THEREFORE FOUND, DECLARED AND SO ORDERED, by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that a majority of the qualified voters of said district, voting at said election, voted for the proposition to consolidate said school district for school purposes as provided in the order calling said election and that therefore, this Court does hereby declare said proposition to have been adopted.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted aye: Wyatt, Evans, Maddox; and the voted No: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this the 2nd day of August, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

ORDER OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1948, a petition was presented to me for an election to be held in each of the following named school districts located in Johnson County, Texas, to-wit:

1. Hines Common School District No. 80 of said County,
2. Venus Independent School District No. Ind. of said County

on the question of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said districts desire to be consolidated with each other and with the following districts located outside of said county, to-wit: None

It appearing that each of said contiguous districts have been properly established and created and are legally and validly existing school districts;

THEREFORE, I, in my capacity of County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 24 day of July, 1948, in Hines Common, and Venus Independent to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said Districts desire that they shall be consolidated as indicated above for school purposes.

I further order that said election shall be held at the following places in said districts and the following named person is hereby appointed presiding officer and he shall select two Judge and two Clerks to assist him in holding he same and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election:

1. In Hines Common at school building in Venus, Texas, within said district, with Cecil Ackimon as presiding Judge;

2. In Venus Independent at Willmon Building in Venus, Texas, within said district, with W. M. Martin as presiding Judge;

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident voters in said Districts shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION"

And those opposed to the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION"

Notice of said Election shall be given by posting three notices thereof in three public places within the boundaries of said District for twenty days prior to the date of said election.

DATED this 2nd day of July, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge
Johnson County, Texas.

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RETURNS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS
(Hines and Venus)

THE STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : SAID COUNTY:

WE, the undersigned officers, holding an election on the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948, in Hines School District No. 80 of Johnson County, at the Hines Schoolhouse Building, within said district, for the purpose of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said District desire that Hines Common School District No. 80, of Johnson County, shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election.

HEREBY CERTIFY that at said election there were cast 5 votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION" - - - - 5 votes.
"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION" - - - 0 votes.

We further certify that each of the election officials executing this return was duly appointed in the order calling this election or by the Presiding Judge or was elected by the voters present at the polls to serve at said election in the capacity stated under each of our signatures. That all persons appointed in the order calling said election not executing this return failed to appear at the polls to conduct said election.

We herewith enclose poll list and tally sheet of said election.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, this the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948.

Cecil L. Achimon, Presiding officer

Ted Combs, Clerk

ORDER DECLARING RESULTS OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS
(Hines and Venus)

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

On this the 2nd day of August, 1948, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, State of Texas, convened in Regular session at its regular meeting place in the County Courthouse, Cleburne, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

and the following absent: M. W. Roland, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Commissioners Court was the following:

There came to be considered the returns of an election held on the 24th day of July, 1948, in the Hines School District No. 80, of said County, for the purpose of determining whether said district shall be consolidated as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were case at said election 5 valid and legal votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR CONSOLIDATION" - - - - 5 votes

"AGAINST CONSOLIDATION" - - - 0 votes.

IT IS THEREFORE FOUND, DECLARED AND SO ORDERED, by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that a majority of the qualified voters of said district, voting at said election, voted for the proposition to consolidate said school district for school purposes as provided in the order calling said election and that therefore, this Court does hereby declare said proposition to have been adopted.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted Aye: Wyatt, Evans and Maddox; and the following voted no: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this the 2nd day of August, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

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ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT CONSOLIDATING DISTRICTS

THE STATE OF TEXAS : IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS:
COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

On this the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1948, the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened in regular session, all the members thereof, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

being present, and, among other proceedings, passed the following order:

WHEREAS, at an election held for the purpose on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1948, a majority of the legally qualified voters of each of the following districts:

Venus Independent School District of Johnson County, Texas,

Hines School District No. 80 of Johnson County, Texas.

voted in favor of consolidating said school districts with each other, for school purposes:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF Johnson County, Texas:

That in accordance with Chapter 65 of the General Laws passed by the Thirty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, at its Second Called Session in 1919, and the Constitution and laws of said State, the following school districts:

Hines School District No. 80 of Johnson County, Texas,

Venus Independent School District of Johnson County, Texas, are hereby consolidated, shall hereafter be known as Venus Independent School District of Johnson County, and is by this order established within the following metes and bounds, to-wit:

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The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same be adopted. The following Aye: Commissioners Wyatt, Evans, Maddox, the following No: Commissioners None:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge.

Attest: Louis B. Lee, County Clerk

(Seal)

NOTICE OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT
(BRAZOS VALLEY)

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

NOTICE IF HEREBY GIVEN
THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON THE

24TH day of July, 1948 at school grounds in Brazos Valley, Texas in Brazos Valley Common School District No. 56, of this County, to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, desire to increase the Maintenance Tax rate in said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 25 cents, in addition to the present 75 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

Mrs. L. E. Wilbanks has been appointed Presiding Officer for said election and shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist in holding the same and shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered

the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the aforesaid additional taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX.”

And those opposed to such additional taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX.”

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County by order made on the 29th day of June, 1948, and this notice is given in pursuance of this order.

Houston Walling, Sheriff

Johnson County, Texas.

By Grady Elliott, Deputy

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared W. T. Lain known to me to be ___ Johnson County, Texas, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, said:

That he posted a true copy of the within Election Notice in three public places in said District, to-wit:

One at New Hope Church, one at Burney's Store and one at intersection of Hwy. 174 and farm road to Brazos Valley on the 1st day of July, A. D. 1948, which was not less than ten days before the date of said election.

W. T. Lain,

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME the undersigned authority, on this the 1st day of July,
A. D. 1948.

H. G. Littlefair

County Judge

ORDER OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : (BRAZOS VALLEY)

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

WHEREAS, On the 29th day of June, 1948, a petition was presented to me praying for an election to be held in Brazos Valley Common School District No. 56 of this County, on the question of authorizing an additional tax of and at the rate of 25 cents, in addition to the present tax of 75 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of the qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property, in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and being in every respect in conformity with law; and

IT APPEARING That said district is a valid and legally constituted Common School District of Johnson County, Texas, and;

It further appearing that said petition is signed by the requisite number of resident property taxpaying qualified voters of said school district and is otherwise in conformity with law;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, H. G. Littlefair, in my official capacity as County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 24th day of July, 1948, at ____ building in ____ Texas, in said Brazos Valley Common School District No. 56 to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, desire to increase the Maintenance Tax rate

in said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 25 cents in addition to the present tax of 75 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

Mrs. L. E. Wilbanks is hereby appointed Presiding Officer for said election and shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist in holding the same and shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the aforesaid additional taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX"

And those opposed to such additional taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX."

The Sheriff of this County shall give notice of said election by posting three notices of said election in three public places in said District for not less than ten days prior to the date of said election.

DATED this 29th day of June, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas.

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ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX

IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT (BRAZOS VALLEY)

THE STATE OF TEXAS : IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : JOHNSON COUNTY:

On this, the 2 day of August, A. D. 1948, came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 24 day of July, A. D. 1948, in Brazos Valley Common School District No. 56, of this County, for the purpose of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, desire to further tax themselves by increasing the present Maintenance Tax rate of said District as hereinafter set out, for the purpose of further supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 25 cents, in addition to the present tax of 75 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of and at the rate of 100 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District for said purpose; and

IT APPEARING that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 39 votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX" - - - -	38 votes
"AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX - -	1 vote

AND IT APPEARING TO THE COURT from said returns that a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, voting at said election, voted for said increase of school tax, the Court does hereby declare the proposition to levy the said tax to have been adopted, and that this

Court is authorized to levy, and have assessed and collected said tax as increased from 75 cents to \$1.00.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT LEVYING TAXES IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : JOHNSON COUNTY:

On this, the 2 day of August, A. D. 1948, it is hereby ordered by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that there is hereby levied for the year 1948 on all taxable property in Brazos Valley Common School District No. 56, of said County, on the first day of January of the current year, the following taxes:

(1) An ad valorem tax of and at the rate of 100 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District, estimated in lawful currency of the United States of America, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools in said District.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge
Johnson County, Texas.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS CERTIFICATE FOR LEVY OF TAXES IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : OF SAID COUNTY:

I, J. B. Bright, County Superintendent of Johnson County, respectfully represent:

(1) That at a meeting of the Trustees of Brazos Valley Common School District No. 56 in Johnson County, Texas, on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948, in which meeting I was present and participated, it appearing that at an election held on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1948, in said District wherein a tax of and at the rate of "not exceeding \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District" for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools therein was authorized by the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and it appearing to the satisfaction of said Trustees and myself that for the ensuing scholastic year a tax of and at the rate of \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District will produce sufficient funds for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District, it was agreed by the Trustees and myself that said rate of tax should be certified to your Honorable Court.

(2) That the rate to be levied by your Honorable Court in Brazos Valley common School District No. 56 in said County, for the year 1948-9, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District is \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

(3) And it further appearing that the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, at an election held on the ___ day of ___ A. D. 19___, had authorized the issuance of bonds of said District to the amount of \$___, date the ___ day of ___ A. D. 19___ payable in ___ years, and bearing ___ per cent interest, on the faith and credit of said District, and the levy of a tax in said District sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, it was agreed by said Trustees and myself that for the year ___, a tax of and a the rate of ___ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District should be levied therefor; and

(4) That the rate of tax to be levied by your Honorable Court in ____ Common School District No. ____ of said County, for the year 19____, to pay the current interest on and provide one years' sinking fund for the outstanding bonds of said District as aforesaid, is ____ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

DATED THIS 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948.

J. B. Bright, County Superintendent
Johnson County, Texas.

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NOTICE OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON THE

31st day of July, 1948

at school building in Highland Texas, in Highland Common School District No. 59, of this County, to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District who own taxable property in said District, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, desire to increase the Maintenance Tax rate in said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 50 cents, in addition to the present tax of 50 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

M. D. Todd has been appointed Presiding Officer for said election and shall select two Judges and two clerks to assist in holding the same and shall, within five days after said election has been held,

make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County, as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the aforesaid additional taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX."

And those opposed to such additional taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX."

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County by order made on the 3rd day of July, 1948, and this notice is given in pursuance of this order.

Houston Walling, Sheriff

Johnson County, Texas.

By Grady Elliott, Deputy

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ORDER OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

WHEREAS, On the 2 day of July, 1948, a petition was presented to me praying for an election to be held in Highland Common School District No. 59 of this County, on the question of authorizing an additional tax of and at the rate of 50 cents, in addition to the present tax of 60 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable

property in said District, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of the qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property, in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and being in every respect in conformity with law; and

IT APPEARING that said district is a valid and legally constituted Common School District of Johnson County, Texas, and;

It further appearing that said petition is signed by the requisite number of resident property taxpaying qualified voters of said school district and is otherwise in conformity with law;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, H. G. Littlefair, in my official capacity as County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 31 day of July, 1948, at school building in Highland Texas, in said Highland Common School District No. 59 to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, desire to increase the Maintenance Tax rate in said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 50 cents, in addition to the present tax of 50 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

M. D. Todd is hereby appointed Presiding Officer for said election and shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist in holding the same and shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly

rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the aforesaid additional taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX.”

And those opposed to such additional taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX.”

The Sheriff of this County shall give notice of said election by posting three notices of said election in three public places in said District for not less than ten days prior to the date of said election.

DATED this 3rd day of July, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas.

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ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN
COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

STATE OF TEXAS :
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : TO THE COMMISSIONERS COURT

On this the 2nd day of August, 1948, the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas,
convened in regular session with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

and the following absent: M. W. Roland, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings, passed the following order:

There came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 31 day of July, 1948, in Highland Common School District No. 59 on the proposition of increasing the maintenance tax in said District as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 20 valid and legal votes, of which number there were cast:

“FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX” - - - - 19 votes.

“AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX” - - 1 vote

IT IS THEREFORE, FOUND AND DECLARED AND SO ORDERED, BY THE Commissioners’ Court of Johnson County, Texas, that a majority of the legally qualified voters in said School District voting at said election voted for increasing the maintenance tax in said school district as provided in the order calling said election, therefore this Court does hereby declare the proposition to increase the tax to have been adopted, and that this Court is authorized to levy, and have assessed and collected a tax of not to exceed 100 cents per \$100 assessed valuation in said school district.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the court voted Aye: Wyatt, Evans, Maddox, and the following voted No: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, this the 2nd day of August, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT LEVYING TAXES IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : JOHNSON COUNTY:

On this, the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1948, it is hereby ordered by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that there is hereby levied for the year 1948 on all taxable property in Highland Common School District No. 59, of said County, on the first day of January of the current year, the following taxes:

(1) An ad valorem tax of and at the rate of 100 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District, estimated in lawful currency of the United States of America, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District for the support and maintenance of the public schools in said District.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge
Johnson County, Texas.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S CERTIFICATE FOR LEVY OF TAXES
IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : SAID COUNTY:

I, J. B. Bright, County Superintendent of Johnson County, Texas, respectfully represent:

(1) That at a meeting of the Trustees of Highland Common School District No. 59, in Johnson County, Texas, on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948, in which meeting I was present and participated, it appearing that at an election held on the 31st day of July, A. D. 1948, in said District

wherein a tax of and at the rate of “not exceeding \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District” for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools therein was authorized by the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and it appearing to the satisfaction of said Trustees and myself that for the ensuing scholastic year a tax of and at the rate of \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District will produce sufficient funds for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District, it was agreed by the Trustees and myself that said rate of tax should be certified to your Honorable Court.

(2) That the rate of tax to be levied by your Honorable Court in Highland Common School District No. 59 in said County, for the year 1948-9, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District is \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

(3) And it further appearing that the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, at an election held on the ___ day of ___ A. D. 19___, had authorized the issuance of bonds of said District to the amount of \$___, dated the ___ day of ___ A. D. 19___, payable in ___ years, and bearing ___ per cent interest, on the faith and credit of said District, and the levy of a tax in said District sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, it was agreed by said Trustees and myself that for the year ___, a tax of and a the rate of ___ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District should be levied therefor; and

(4) That the rate of tax to be levied by your Honorable Court in ___ Common School District No. ___ of said County, for the year 19___, to pay the current interest on and provide one years’ sinking fund

for the outstanding bonds of said District as aforesaid, is ___ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

DATED THIS 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948.

J. B. Bright, County Superintendent

Johnson County, Texas.

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NOTICE OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AN ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON THE

31 day of July, 1948

at school building in Burton, Texas, in Burton Common School District No. 91, of this County, to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, desire to increase the Maintenance Tax rate in said District, and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 50 cents, in addition to the present tax of 50 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

Malcolm Honea has been appointed Presidint Officer for said election and shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist in holding the same and shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the aforesaid additional taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX.”

And those opposed to such additional taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

“AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX.”

Said election was ordered by the County Judge of this County by order made on the 1st day of July, 1948, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

Houston Walling, Sheriff,

Johnson County, Texas.

By Grady Elliott

THE STATE OF TEXAS :

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally A. T. Burton known to me to be the ____ County, Texas, and who, after being by me first duly sworn, upon his oath, said:

That he posted a true copy of the within Election Notice in three public places in said District, to-wit:

One at Burton School House; one at Fork of road top of Hill at County Club; and one at Fork of Road at Chaney Springs & County club; on the ____ day of July, A. D. 1948, which was not less than ten days before the date of said election.

A. T. Burton,
Johnson County, Texas.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned authority, on this the __ day of July, A. D.
1948.

ORDER OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS :
COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

WHEREAS, on the 1 day of July, 1948, a petition was presented to me praying for an election to be held in Burton Common School District No. 91 of this County, on the question of authorizing an additional tax of an at the rate of 50 cents, in addition to the present tax of 50 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of the qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and being in every respect in conformity with law; and

IT APPEARING that said district is a valid and legally constituted Common School District of Johnson County, Texas, and;

It further appearing that said petition is signed by the requisite number of resident property taxpaying qualified voters of said school district and is otherwise in conformity with the law.

NOW, THEREFORE, I H. G. Littlefair, in my official capacity as County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 31 day of July, 1948 at school building in Burton Texas, in said Burton Common School District No. 91, to determine whether or not a majority of the

legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation desire to increase the Maintenance Tax rate in said District and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 50 cents, in addition to the present tax of 50 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

_____ is hereby appointed Presiding Officer for said election and shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist in holding the same and shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the aforesaid additional taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX."

And those opposed to such additional taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX."

The Sheriff of this County shall give notice of said election by posting three notices of said election in three public places in said District for not less than ten days prior to the date of said election

DATED this 1st day of July 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas.

ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL

DISTRICT (BURTON)

STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE COMMISSIONERS COURT

COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

On this the 2nd day of August, 1948, the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas,
convened in regular session with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

and the following absent: M. W. Roland, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings, passed
the following order:

There came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 31 day of July 1948, in
Burton Common School District No. 91, on the proposition of increasing the maintenance tax in said
District as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all
respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said
election 22 valid and legal votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX - - - 21 votes.

"AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX" - 1 votes.

IT IS THEREFORE FOUND AND DECLARED AND SO ORDERED, by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that a majority of the legally qualified voters in said School District voting at said election voted for increasing the maintenance tax in said school district as provided in the order calling said election, therefore this Court does hereby declare the proposition to increase the tax to have been adopted, and that this Court is authorized to levy, and have assessed and collected a tax of not to exceed 100 cents per \$100 assessed valuation in said school district.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon the question being called for, the following members of the court voted Aye: Wyatt, Evans, Maddox, and the following voted No; None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 2nd day of August, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct 3

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ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT LEVYING TAXES IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS	::	IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON	::	JOHNSON COUNTY:

On this, the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1948, it is hereby ordered by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that there is hereby levied for the year 1948, on all taxable property in Burton Common School District No. 91, of said County, on the first day of January of the current year, the following taxes:

(1) An ad valorem tax of and at the rate of 100 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District, estimated in lawful currency of the United States of America, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools in said District.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas.

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COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S CERTIFICATE FOR LEVY OF TAXES IN COMMON

SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : SAID COUNTY:

I, J. B. Bright, County Superintendent of Johnson County, Texas, respectfully represent:

(1) That at a meeting of the Trustees of Burton Common School District No. 91 in Johnson County, Texas, on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948, in which meeting I was present and participated, it appearing that at an election held on the 31st day of July, A. D. 1948 in said District wherein a tax of and at the rate of "not exceeding \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District" for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools therein was authorized by the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and it appearing to the satisfaction of said Trustees and myself that for the ensuing scholastic year a tax of and at the rate of \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District will produce sufficient funds for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District, it was agreed by the Trustees and myself that said rate of tax should be certified to your Honorable Court.

(2) That the rate of tax to be levied by your Honorable Court in Burton Common School District No. 91, in said County, for the year 1948-9, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District is \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

(3) And it further appearing that the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, at an election held on the ___ day of ___ A. D. 19___, had authorized the issuance of bonds of said District to the amount of \$___, dated the ___ day of ___ A. D. 19___, payable in ___ years, and bearing ___ per cent interest, on the faith and credit of said District, and the levy of a tax in said District sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, it was agreed by said Trustees and myself that for the year ___, a tax of and a the rate of ___ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District should be levied therefor; and

(4) That the rate of tax to be levied by your Honorable Court in ___ Common School District No. ___ of said County, for the year 19___, to pay the current interest on and provide one years' sinking fund for the outstanding bonds of said District as aforesaid, is ___ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

DATED THIS 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948.

J. B. Bright, County Superintendent
Johnson County, Texas.

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ORDER OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS :
COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

WHEREAS, on the 30 day of June, 1948, a petition was presented to me praying for an election to be held in Midway Common School District No. 44, of this County, on the question of authorizing an additional tax of an at the rate of 50 cents in addition to the present tax of 50 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District, said petition bearing the requisite number of signatures of the qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and being in every respect in conformity with law; and

IT APPEARING that said district is a valid and legally constituted Common School District of Johnson County, Texas, and;

It further appearing that said petition is signed by the requisite number of resident property taxpaying qualified voters of said school district and is otherwise in conformity with the law.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, H. G. Littlefair, in my official capacity as County Judge of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 17th day of July, 1948 at school building in Midway, Texas, in said Midway Common School District No. 44, to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, desire to increase the Maintenance Tax rate in said District and to determine whether the Commissioners' Court of said County shall be authorized to levy, assess and collect annually an additional tax of and at the rate of 50 cents, in addition to the present tax of 50 cents heretofore voted, aggregating a total annual tax of not to exceed \$1.00 on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

A. T. Keeton is hereby appointed presiding officer for said election and shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist in holding the same and shall, within five days after said election has been held,

make due return thereof to the Commissioners' Court of this County as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident property taxpayers in said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the aforesaid additional taxation for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX."

And those opposed to such additional taxation shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX."

The Sheriff of this County shall give notice of said election by posting three notices of said election in three public places in said District for not less than ten days prior to the date of said election

DATED this 30th day of June, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge
Johnson County, Texas.

ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION TO INCREASE TAX IN COMMON
SCHOOL DISTRICT (MIDWAY)

STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE COMMISSIONERS COURT
COUNTY OF JOHNSON :

On this the 2nd day of August, 1948, the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas,
convened in regular session with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

and the following absent: M. W. Roland, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings, passed
the following order:

There came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 17th day of July, 1948, in
Midway Common School District No. 44, on the proposition of increasing the maintenance tax in said
District as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all
respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said
election 5 valid and legal votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX" - - - 5 votes

"AGAINST INCREASE OF SCHOOL TAX - - - 0 votes.

IT IS THEREFORE FOUND AND DECLARED AND SO ORDERED, by the Commissioners' Court of
Johnson County, Texas, that a majority of the legally qualified voters in said School District voting at said
election voted for increasing the maintenance tax in said school district as provided in the order calling
said election, therefore this Court does hereby declare the proposition to increase the tax to have been
adopted, and that this Court is authorized to levy, and have assessed and collected a tax of not to
exceed 100 cents per \$100 assessed valuation in said school district.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the court voted Aye: Wyatt, Evans, and Maddox; and the following voted No: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 2nd day of August, 1948.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Roy Wyatt, Commissioner Precinct No. 1

Sam Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

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ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT LEVYING TAXES IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT

COUNTY OF JOHNSON : OF JOHNSON COUNTY:

On this, the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1948, it is hereby ordered by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, that there is hereby levied for the year 1948, on all taxable property in Midway Common School District No. 44, of said County, on the first day of January of the current year, the following taxes:

(1) An Ad valorem tax of and at the rate of 100 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District, estimated in lawful currency of the United States of America, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools in said District.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas.

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COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S CERTIFICATE FOR LEVY OF TAXES IN COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT

THE STATE OF TEXAS : TO THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
COUNTY OF JOHNSON : SAID COUNTY:

I, J. B. Bright, County Superintendent of Johnson County, Texas, respectfully represent:

(1) That at a meeting of the Trustees of Midway Common School District No. 44 in Johnson County, Texas, on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948, in which meeting I was present and participated, it appearing that at an election held on the 17th day of July, A. D. 1948 in said District wherein a tax of and at the rate of "not exceeding \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District" for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools therein was authorized by the legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and it appearing to the satisfaction of said Trustees and myself that for the ensuing scholastic year a tax of and at the rate of \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District will produce sufficient funds for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District, it was agreed by the Trustees and myself that said rate of tax should be certified to your Honorable Court.

(2) That the rate of tax to be levied by your Honorable Court in Midway Common School District No. 44, in said County, for the year 1948-9, for the purpose of supplementing the State School Fund apportioned to said District is \$1.00 cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

(3) And it further appearing that the legally qualified property taxpaying voters of said District, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, at an election held on the ___ day of ___, A. D. 1948, had authorized the issuance of bonds of said District to the amount of \$___ dated the ___ day of ___ A. D. 19___ payable in ___ years, and bearing ___ per cent interest, on the faith and credit of said District, and the levy of a tax in said District sufficient to pay the interest

on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal at maturity, it was agreed by said Trustees and myself that for the year, a tax of and a the rate of __ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District should be levied therefor; and

(4) That the rate of tax to be levied by your Honorable Court in ____ Common School District No. ____ of said County, for the year 19____, to pay the current interest on and provide one years' sinking fund for the outstanding bonds of said District as aforesaid, is __ cents on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of all taxable property in said District.

DATED THIS 3rd day of August, A. D. 1948.

J. B. Bright, County Superintendent
Johnson County, Texas.

Attest: _____ County Clerk _____ County Judge

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