

THE STATE OF TEXAS ()

January 8, 1950***

COUNTY OF JOHNSON ()

BE IT REMEMBERED, That at a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, held in the Court House at Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: Honorable H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans Commissioner Precinct 2, V. L. Maddox Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland Commissioner Precinct 4, and Louis B. Lee, County Clerk. Among other things they did the following:

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland, seconded by Commissioner Maddox that all proper and duly endorsed bills against the County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland, seconded by Commissioner Coward that at the request of Sheriff Earl H. King, the following named men be appointed deputies in the office of Johnson County Sheriff, effective January 1st, 1951 at monthly salaries as listed. All voted aye. The names are as follows:

M. E. Cashion, -Monthly salary	\$190.00.
H. W. Pitts, -Monthly salary	\$190.00
Boyd Crook, -Monthly salary	\$190.00
Claud Allen, -Monthly salary	\$190.00

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, seconded by Commissioner Roland that the auditor be authorized to issue a County Check out of the general fund in the amount of \$100.00 payable to the Godley Fire Department as a donation to apply on the purchase of new hose line. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Maddox, seconded by Commissioner Coward that the auditor be authorized to issue County Check out of the general fund in the amount of \$100.00 payable to the Alvarado Fire Department as a donation to be applied on equipment purchased for rural fire truck. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward, seconded by Commissioner Evans that at the request of County Attorney, Jack C. Altaras, Miss Lucille Crook be appointed secretary in the County and District Attorneys office at a salary of \$110.00 per month effective January 1, 1951. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, seconded by Commissioner Coward that the overage in the accounts of former County Tax Assessor-Collector, S. O. Rosser in the amounts of \$204.44 Tax Account, and \$323.93 Hiway Account, be

placed in the County Clerks Trust Fund to be held in Trust until further orders of the Commissioner Court. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, seconded by Commissioner Roland that the following named persons be appointed deputies in Tax Assessor-Collector Clifford Duff's office at yearly salaries as listed.

J. P. Seroyer	\$2178.00
Edith Wilbanks	\$2178.00
Olga Brockett	\$2178.00

Salaries to be paid in equal monthly payments, and that J. P. Seroyer be allowed an additional \$100.00 per year as traveling expense. The following named persons be appointed as extra employees to be used as needed at yearly salaries as listed:

Laverne Smith	\$1980.00
Nelda Stewart	\$1980.00
Louise Mahanay	\$2112.00

Salaries to be paid at the rate of equal monthly paymens. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward, seconded by Commissioner Evans that the following order be approved. All voted aye.

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On this the 8th day of January, 1951, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas convened in regular session at a Regular Term thereof at the Court House in Cleburne, Texas, with the following members present, to wit:

- H. G. Littlefair, County Judge
- W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1
- S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2
- V. L. Maddox, Commissioner Precinct 3
- M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4
- Louis B. Lee, County Clerk,

when, among other proceedings had, the following order was passed:

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, has heretofore passed an order authorizing the issuance of JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS, SERIES OF 1949, dated February 15, 1949, Numbers 1 to 100, inclusive, in the denomination of \$1000.00 each, aggregating \$100,000., bearing 3 ½%

interest per annum, and maturing on February 15th, \$10,000 in each year of the years 1959 and 1968 inclusive; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court deems it advisable and to the best interest of Johnson County, Texas, to cancel \$50,000.00 of the above described warrants by the issuance of refunding bonds in lieu thereof: and

WHEREAS, it is now proper that the County give notice of its intention to issue said refunding bonds;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That the County Judge be and he is hereby authorized and directed to give notice, as required by Article 2368a, Vernon's Civil Statutes, as amended of the intention of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, to issue Road and Bridge Refunding Bonds of said County, in an amount not exceeding \$50,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not exceeding three and one half (3 ½%) per cent per annum, and maturing serially, the maximum maturity thereof to be not later than twenty five (25) years from their date, for the purpose of cancelling, refunding and in lieu of a like amount of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1949, dated February 15, 1949.

2. That the notice of intention to issue said bonds shall provide for the passage of the order authorizing the issuance of said refunding bonds at the Regular Term of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, on the 12th day of February, 1951.

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: Coward, Evans, Maddox, Roland, and the following voted No: None.

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

ATTEST:

Louis B. Lee, County Clerk

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I, the undersigned, Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by said Commissioners Court on the 8th day of January, 1951, and of the minutes

pertaining to its adoption, as said order appears of record in volume 14, page 74, et seq., Minutes of said Court.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Commissioners Court, this the 8th day of January, 1951.

Louis B. Lee, Clerk of the County Court and
Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of
Johnson County, Texas.

(Seal)

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE REFUNDING
BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS)(
COUNTY OF JOHNSON)(

In compliance with the provisions of Article 2368a, Vernon's Civil Statutes, as amended, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, to pass an order on the 12 day of February, 1951, authorizing the issuance of JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS in the maximum amount of \$50,000.00, for the purpose of refunding, canceling and in lieu of a like amount of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1949, dated February 15, 1949; said refunding bonds to bear interest at a rate not to exceed Three and one half (3 ½%) per cent per annum, and to mature serially with a maximum maturity not later than twenty five (25) years from their date.

This notice is given in pursuance of an order passed by the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, on the 8th day of January, 1951.

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

A motion was made by Commissioner Maddox, seconded by Commissioner Coward that the order for tax election be approved. All voted aye.

ORDER FOR ADDITIONAL AD VALOREM TAX ELECTION
House Bill 107, 51st Legislature, Regular
Session 1949

THE STATE OF TEXAS)(
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On this the 8th day of January, 1951, the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened in regular session at the regular meeting place thereof at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, with the following members of the Court present, to wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

W. M. Coward, Commissioner Pct. 1

Sam W. Evans, Commissioner Pct. 2

Vern L. Maddox, Commissioner Pct. 3

M. W. Roland, Commissioner, Pct. 4

Louis B. Lee, County Clerk

and the following absent: None, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings passed the following order:

WHEREAS, this court has investigated the submission to the resident property taxpaying qualified voters the question of submitting to said voters the proposition of voting additional ad valorem tax as provided by House Bill No. 107, Acts of the 51st Legislature Regular Session, 1949, and this Court after said investigation is of the opinion that it would be beneficial to this county to call said election.

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

That an election be held in said County on the 10th day of February, 1951, which date is sufficient to allow the posting and publishing of notices of said election as herein provided at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the resident property taxpaying qualified voters of said county for their action thereupon:

PROPOSITION

To determine whether or not said county shall be authorized to levy, assess, and collect ad valorem taxes upon all property within said county, except the first \$3000.00 valuation of residential homesteads, not to exceed 30 cents on each \$100.00 valuation in addition to all other advalorem taxes authorized by the Constitution of the State of Texas, provided the revenue therefrom shall be used for the construction and maintenance of Farm-to-Market and lateral roads, or for flood control, either or both, as the Commissioners' Court of said County may determine as provided in House Bill No. 107, Acts, 51st Legislature, Regular Session, 1949.

That said election shall be held at the following places in said county and the following named persons are hereby appointed Presiding Judges for said election:

PRECINCT NO.	VOTING PLACE	PRESIDING JUDGE
1	Court House	Mrs. E. L. Officer
2	Court House	Mrs. Leslie Ball
3	Court House	Mrs. E. W. Rawls
4	Court House	E. L. Harris
5	Rio Vista	Doyle Ball
6	Brazos Valley	Mrs. L. E. Wilbanks
7	Bono	H. J. Dickey
8	Lone Willow	W. M. Farmer
9	Cresson	G. W. Smith
10	Godley	A. D. Smith
11	Joshua	P. C. Turner
12	Burleson	Clayton Griffing
13	Egan	Mrs. E. K. Richardson
14	Lillian	E. D. James
15	Lone Star	J. W. Patterson
16	Venus	Haskel Dean
17	Grandview	R. L. Carter
18	Grandview	G. W. Benton
19	Barnesville	D. A. Harbison
20	Alvarado	D. N. Shropshire
21	Alvarado	Hal Teague
22	Highland	Lee Ince
23	Parker	Mrs. M. Hassell
24	Keene	W. H. Duncan
25	Junior High School	W. S. Ownsby
26	Senior High School	John R. Jordan
27	J. N. Long	Mrs. W. E. Nowlin
28	Irving	Mrs. John Bales
29	City Hall	Mrs. W. A. Sanders

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE TAX OF NOT EXCEEDING 30 CENTS ON EACH ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$100.00) VALUATION"

"AGAINST THE TAX OF NOT EXCEEDING 30 CENTS ON EACH ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$100.00) VALUATION"

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote. The manner of holding said election shall be governed as near as may be by the General Laws of the State, except as modified by the provisions of House Bill No. 107, Acts, 51st Legislature, Regular Session, 1949, and none but resident property taxpaying qualified voters of said County who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be allowed to vote at said election.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order on the same day in each of two consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen full days prior to the date set for said election. In addition thereto, a copy of this order shall be posted in each voting precinct in said county not less than fourteen full days next before said election.

The County Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause said notice to be published and posted as hereinabove directed and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officials and received by this court.

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: W. M. Coward, Sam W. Evans, Vern L. Maddox, M. W. Roland, and the following voted NO: None

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 8th day of January, 1951.

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

W. M. Coward, Commissioner Pct. 1 Sam W. Evans, Commissioner Pct. 2
Vern L. Maddox, Commissioner Pct. 3 M. W. Roland, Commissioner, Pct. 4

ATTEST: _____ COUNTY CLERK _____ COUNTY JUDGE

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