

THE STATE OF TEXAS)(

JANUARY 2, 1953.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON)(

BE IT REMEMBERED at a special meeting of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, held on the above mentioned date, at the Courthouse in 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:

The following named officials elected to office November 4, 1952, for 2 years terms beginning January 1st, 1953, were present and were given the oath of office by Judge Penn J. Jackson.

A. T. Griffin, District Clerk

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge

Jim Ferguson, County Attorney

Louis B. Lee, County Clerk

Mrs. Eula Landers, County Treasurer

Earl H. King, County Sheriff

Dennis McWilliams, County Tax Assessor & Collector

W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1

S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2

Vern Maddox, Commissioner Precinct 3

M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4

Floyd Steakley, County Surveyor

Lee Bizzell, Justice of the Peace, #1

Ben Field, Justice of the Peace, #2

J. W. Adcock, Justice of the Peace, #3

Robert W. Moore, Constable #1

Glen L. Davis, Constable #2

S. H. Bradley, Constable #3

Dan Cook, Constable #4

George L. Murphy, County Auditor

J. P. Seroyer, Delinquent Tax Collector.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland, Seconded by Commissioner Coward, that the official Bonds as presented by each of the above elected officials be approved. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland, Seconded by Commissioner Evans, that O. P. Stephens of Grandview, be appointed Justice of the Peace, Precinct #4 for the year, 1953, effective upon making sufficient and satisfactory bond as required by law. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, Seconded by Commissioner Maddox, that all bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and endorsed and examined in open court. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland, Seconded by Commissioner Coward, that the Commissioner Court request the State Highway Dept. to accept for maintenance the County road from F. M. 110 on East 2nd Street to intersection of State Highway #171 on S. Main Street. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, Seconded by Commissioner Maddox, that the following minutes be adopted:

Minute Order No. 33316

Texas Highway Commission

Johnson County, District 2

December 17, 1952

WHEREAS, IN JOHNSON COUNTY, the appropriate County Officials and the Texas Highway Department in cooperation with each other have selected for improvement the following roads:

From end of FM 1807, 2 miles East of Alvarado, East to Ellis County Line, a distance of approximately 6.5 miles.

From end of FM 1195, 8 miles west of Cleburne, West to Road Intersection, a distance of approximately 4.8 miles.

From State 171 at Cleburne Southwest to Road Intersection a distance of approximately 5.5 miles.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the above described roads be designated as Farm-to-Market roads and improved to provide two-lane dustless surfaces, subject to the condition that Johnson County will furnish all required right-of-way free of cost to the State.

Upon acceptance by the County and fulfillment of the condition of this order, the State Highway Engineer is directed to proceed with construction in the most feasible and economical manner, at an estimated cost of \$193.200, and to assume the roads for maintenance upon completion of construction.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland, Seconded by Commissioner Coward that the bid of Browning-Ferris for 1 Adams Model 414 Motorgrader, powered with International UD 14A, 76 H. P. diesel engine, 12' x ¾" moldboard with boots, tandem drive, leaning wheel front axel, 1300 x 24 tires; front and rear, hydraulic booster steering, for Precinct No. 4, for the net price of \$12,495.00 be accepted. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, Seconded by Commissioner Maddox, that the bid of Browning-Ferris for 1 Adams Model 414 Motorgrader, powered with International UD 14A, 76 H. P. diesel engine, 12' x ¾" moldboard with boots, tandem drive, leaning wheel front axel, 1300 x 24 tires; front and rear, hydraulic booster steering, with a trade in of one used Austin Western Motorgrader, net price being \$12,495.00 be accepted for Precinct No. 2. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward, Seconded by Commissioner Roland, that Mrs. Anna Parker be employed as Court House Matron effective January 1, 1953 at the salary of \$60.50 per month. All voted aye.

ATTEST:

_____ COUNTY CLERK _____ COUNTY JUDGE
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