

bid of Browning-Ferris Machinery Company, Dallas, Texas, for:

One Galion model 503 motorgrader, tandem drive, 50 H. P. gasoline engine with hydraulic power control, electric starter and generator, 10' moldboard, manual steering, leaning front wheels, power circle reverse, tropical radiator, deluxe cab, per attached specifications.

F. O. B., any point Johnson County . . . . . \$ 6,515.00

Trade-in allowance for:

One Austin Western model 99, now owned by Johnson County . . . . . 2,000.00

Net difference . . . . . 4,515.00

be accepted. All voted aye.

ATTEST:

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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STATE OF TEXAS

JANUARY 2, 1957.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, and Mrs. Margaret Powell, Secretary to the County Judge. Roland presiding.

W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, and Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, were sworn in by Justice of the Peace, Lee Bizzell, as County Commissioners. S. H. Bradley, Constable of Precinct 1 and Robert W. Moore, Constable of Precinct 1, were sworn in by Justice of the Peace, Lee Bizzell, as Constables of Johnson County.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Evans that all due bills be approved and paid. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Evans, that Mrs. Anna Parker be re-appointed to serve as matron of the Courthouse for the year 1957. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Walters that the Commissioners' Court contribute \$50.00 to the "Secretary-Treasurer of the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas" to pay expenses to promote better county government. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Coward that the following schedule be used in assessing the 1957 taxes, and that Tax Assessor be paid at the rate of Fifty (50¢) Cents per sheet. All voted aye.

#### SCHEDULE

##### GRADE CATTLE

Milk cows	\$ 35	to	\$ 50
Springers	25	to	40
Yearlings (1 yr. to 2 yrs.)	15	to	25
Calves (under 1 yr.)	10	to	20
Stock Cattle	35	to	50
Steers	40	to	65
Bulls	30	to	50

##### REGISTERED CATTLE

Milk Cows	\$ 70	to	\$150
Springers	50	to	75
Yearlings (1 yrs. to 2 yrs.)	30	to	50
Calves (under 1 yrs.)	30	to	40
Bulls (Service)	80	to	150
Bulls (Imported)	150	to	250

Sheep	\$ 6	to	10
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Hogs

Market Price

Mules	(under 8 yrs.)	\$ 20	to	\$ 40
Mules	(over 8 yrs.)	20	to	30
Horses	(under 8 yrs.)	15	to	30
Horses	(over 8 yrs.)	10	to	25
Horses	(saddle, gaited or show)	100	to	250

TRACTORS		
1954-56	50%	of purchase price
1953	45%	of purchase price
1952	40%	of purchase price
1951	35%	of purchase price
1950	30%	of purchase price

MERCHANDISE	60%	of Inventory
AUTOMOBILES (Beginning with 1951 Models	50%	Cash Value
FIXTURES	50%	of Inventory

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee COUNTY CLERK \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY JUDGE \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE OF TEXAS I  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON I JANUARY 14, 1957.

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, and Louis B. Lee, County Clerk. M. W. Roland presiding.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters that the County Judge be authorized to advertise for Depository for Johnson County and School funds for two years, beginning Feb. 15, 1957. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Walters that Bobby E. Lay be appointed Justice of the Peace for Justice Precinct No. 2, Johnson County, Texas. The appointment being in compliance with petition of 14 residents of the Precinct effected. Appointment to be effective upon receipt of a good and sufficient bond and taking proper oath of office. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Coward that the appointment of Virginia Glover, secretary to James E. Ferguson, District Attorney, be continued at present salary on a month to month basis effective January 1st, 1957, until further notice from this court. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the monthly salary of Joe L. Townes, County Veterans' Service Officer, be adjusted effective January 1, 1957, to be: Salary \$225.00 plus \$80.00 car allowance. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Walters that the maximum monthly salary of all county commissioners' employees be and is hereby set at \$255.00. Adjustment among employees to be made at the discretion of each commissioner among his own employees. This order effective January 1st 1957.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee COUNTY CLERK \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY JUDGE \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE OF TEXAS I  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON I February 1, 1957.

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner

Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor. Roland Presiding.

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

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the Quarterly Report of the Treasurer for quarter ending Dec. 31, 1956, be approved. All voted aye.

ATTEST:

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE.

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STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

FEBRUARY 11, 1957.

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Roland that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Walters that the financial report of the Johnson County Memorial Hospital, for the month of January, 1957, be approved. All voted aye.

#### MINUTE ORDER

JOHNSON COUNTY

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DISTRICT NO. 2

In JOHNSON COUNTY, IT IS ORDERED that the following described roads be designated as FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS, subject to the condition that Johnson County will furnish all required right-of-way clear of obstructions and free of cost to the State.

From end of F. M. Road 917 at Lillian, Northeast to Tarrant County Line, a distance of approximately 5.5 miles.

From State Highway 174 at Rio Vista, Southwest toward Klondike to Road Intersection, a distance of approximately 5.0 miles.

At such time as the County shall accept the provision of this Order and agree to the furnishing of the required right-of-way, the State Highway Engineer is directed to proceed with the engineering development and construction of the projects in the most feasible and economical manner, at an estimated cost of \$215,000, and to assume the roads for State maintenance upon completion of the construction herein authorized.

This Order is subject to acceptance by the County, and, if not accepted within 90 days of the date hereof, the action herein contained shall be automatically cancelled.

MINUTE NUMBER 41543

DATE PASSED Jan. 24, 1957.

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE PROVISIONS OF  
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION MINUTE ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS

Cleburne, Texas

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

2/11/57

MOTION WAS made by W. M. Coward and seconded by J. L. Walters that the Johnson County Commissioners' Court accept the provisions contained in Minute Order No. 41543 passed by the State Highway Commission on Jan. 24, 1957, for the improvement by the Texas Highway Department

of the roads described below and that Johnson County agrees to furnish all required right-of-way free of cost to the State:

From end of F. M. Road 917 at Lillian, Northeast to Tarrant County Line, a distance of approximately 5.5 miles.

From State Highway 174 at Rio Vista, Southwest toward Klondike to Road Intersection, a distance of approximately 5.0 miles.

VOTE on the motion was as follows:

W. M. COWARD PRECT. 1	FOR	M. W. ROLAND, PRECT. 4	FOR
S. W. EVANS, " 2	"		
J. L. WALTERS " 3	"		

WHEREUPON the motion was declared carried.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of order passed by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, on February 11, 1957.

LOUIS B. LEE

Clerk of County Court Johnson County,  
Texas.

(Seal)

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the bid of The Cleburne National Bank to act as Depository for Johnson County Funds and School Funds for the years 1957 & 1958, be accepted. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Walters that T. F. Yater, M. D. be re-appointed County Health Officer. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Roland that the following named persons be appointed Election Judges in Voting Precincts, as indicated for 1957-1958, to act in all Special and General County-Wide Elections to be held. All voted aye.

ELECTION JUDGES  
1957-1958

PRECINCT NO.	PRESIDING JUDGE	ADDRESS	
1 Courthouse	Mrs. Imogene Mitchell	202 Adams	Cleburne
2 Courthouse	Mrs. Leslie Ball	Rt. 3	"
3 Courthouse	Mrs. E. W. Rawls	1107 E. Henderson	"
4 Courthouse	E. L. Harris	Rt. 1	"
5 Rio Vista	W. H. Smith	Rio Vista	
6 Brazos Valley	Mrs. L. E. Wilbanks	Rt. 2	"
7 Bono	L. C. Jones, Sr.	Rt., Godley	
8 Lone Willow	Will Roden	Rt. 2	"
9 Cresson	Mrs. W. R. York	Cresson	
10 Godley	J. A. Hill	Godley	
11 Joshua	Claude Steed	Joshua	
12 Burleson	C. L. Booth	Burleson	
13 Egan	Mrs. E. K. Richardson	Egan	
14 Lillian	E. D. James	Rt. - - Alvarado	
15 Lone Star	J. W. Patterson	Mansfield	
16 Venus	Haskell Dean	Venus	
17 Grandview	Louis Barnes	Grandview	
18 Grandview	G. W. Benton	Grandview	
19 Barnesville	D. A. Harbison	Rt.-- Grandview	
20 Alvarado	Pope Johnson	Alvarado	

21 Alvarado	Mrs. Lola Bowden	Alvarado	
22 Highland	Lee Ince	Rt. --	Cleburne
23 Parker	Mrs. M. Hassell	Rt. -- Grandview	
24 Keene	Mrs. J. D. Marshall	Keene	
25 Jr. High School	W. S. Ownsby	407 Prairie	"
26 High School	Agnes Barnard	612 W. Chambers	"
27 J. N. Long School	Walter Breeding	514 W. Heard	"
28 Irving School	E. M. Sanders	701 Kilpatrick	"
29 City Hall	Mrs. W. A. Sanders	N. Main,	"
30 County Clerk's Office	(Absentee)	Courthouse	"

ATTEST:

COUNTY CLERK

COUNTY JUDGE.

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STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

MARCH 1, 1957.

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Roland that all due bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans that:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, the Commissioners Court of Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas, in consideration of the premises and the benefits to be derived by us on account of the City of Cleburne, Texas, from time to time, cleaning, grading and mowing the banks of West Buffalo Creek and the maintaining of said Creek in a condition to better care for the storm drainage, in order to better safeguard the health of the people residing in the vicinity of said Creek, do hereby Give and Grant to said City of Cleburne, Texas, the perpetual right to go upon that portion of our property now occupied by West Buffalo Creek, including the banks thereof, from time to time, for the purpose of cleaning, mowing, grading, excavating and filling the same; it being understood that said City shall have the right to do any excavation it deems necessary and any excess dirt from any such excavations may be disposed of by the City in any manner that is deemed most convenient to said City.

Witness our hands at Cleburne, Texas, this 1st day of March, A. D. 1957.

W. M. Coward

S. W. Evans

J. L. Walters

M. W. Roland

all voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Roland that the County Auditor be authorized to advertise for bids for 1, 2-ton truck, 2 speed axles, 8:25 Tube Tires all around, H. D. Springs, radiator and wheels - short wheel-base. 1, 6-8 yard Trailer Cable Dump, with 8:25 Tube Tires, include trailer mounted on truck by bidder, on truck supplied by County. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids will be opened March 14, 1957, on or before 9:00 o'clock A. M. All voted aye.



A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward that the Cleburne National Bank of Cleburne, Texas, having this day deposited with the County Clerk a good and sufficient Depository pledge covering County and School Funds deposited in said Bank, do hereby designate the Cleburne National Bank of Cleburne, Texas, the official depository for all County and School Funds. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the following named men of Johnson County, Texas, be appointed Fire Commissioners For the Johnson County Rural Fire Prevention District - terms effective March 1, 1957 - to January 1st, 1958. All voted aye.

N. D. Smith	Godley, Texas.
J. P. Hamilton	Grandview, Texas
A. L. Cresswell	Alvarado, Texas.
Vernon Forbes	Venus, Texas
Marion Gilbert,	Rio Vista, Texas.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward, seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, hereby enters this order finding that the Court has investigated the benefits to be derived from the creation of the district and that all of the properties and persons within the territorial confines of the district will be benefited by the creation or existence of such district with the powers authorized under this law and under the provisions of Article III, Section 48-d, of the Constitution of Texas. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans, and seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the following order be approved:

WHEREAS, at an election duly and regularly held on the 6th day of November, 1956, within Johnson County, State of Texas, described as county-wide district, there was submitted to the legal voters thereof the question whether the above described territory shall be formed into a Rural Fire Prevention District under the provisions of the laws of this State; and

WHEREAS, at such election 5001 votes were cast in favor of formation of said district and 1201 votes were cast against such formation; and

WHEREAS, the formation of such Rural Fire Prevention District received the affirmative vote of the majority votes cast at such election as provided by law;

Now, therefore, the County Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, does hereby find, declare and order that the tract hereinbefore described has been duly and legally voted into a Rural Fire Prevention District under the name of Johnson County Rural Fire Prevention District, under and pursuant to Article III, Section 48-d, of the Constitution of Texas, and with the powers vested in such district conferred by law.

All voted aye.

ATTEST:

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

March 11, 1957.

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct No. 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters that all

just and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Roland that the financial report of the Johnson County Memorial Hospital for the month of February, 1957, be approved as submitted. All voted aye.

ATTEST:

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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STATE OF TEXAS

MARCH 14, 1957.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Coward that the bid of Fruehauf Trailer Company, Dallas, Texas, for:

Model-FH 137 Lower Permanent 5th Wheel and M6-15 Winch Package Unit Including I-Beam Mounting, Winch Mounting Angles, M6-15 Braden Winch. Quick Detachable Cable Holder, 5th. Wheel Hold Down Bracket, U-Bolts.

1 and 1 Drive and Mounting Kit including Flexible Controls.

Labor installing Cable Dump on your Truck and Hooking up Winch.

Delivered at our Dallas Texas Branch Tax included	\$ 3581.45
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Less Excise Tax	<u>282.45</u>
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Mounted and Delivered at Dallas Texas Branch	\$ 3299.00
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For 10 Hole Budd wheels add net	<u>84.00</u>
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	\$ 3383.00
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be accepted. All voted aye, and

the bid of George Liser Motor Company for:

One Ford F-600 Truck with the following equipment; Wheel Base 130"

2 Speed Axle  
H. D. Front Springs  
H. D. Rear Springs  
6 Tires 8;25 x 20 10 Ply.  
H. D. Wheels

	\$ 2274.94
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Plus V-8 Engine

	<u>87.80</u>
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	\$ 2362.74
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for Precinct #2, be accepted. All voted aye.

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GEORGE LISER MOTOR CO.  
CLEBURNE, TEXAS.

March 19, 1957.

Johnson County,  
Precinct #2,  
Cleburne, Texas.

Gentlemen:

In regard to bid that we were low on, this will advise you that delivery can not be made before April 10, 1957.

This will release you from the bid in the event unit is needed before that time.

Yours truly,

GEORGE LISER MOTOR CO.

(Signed)

George Liser.

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ATTEST:

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE.

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STATE OF TEXAS

APRIL 1, 1957.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor. Floyd Carroll, City Manager, representing City of Cleburne, Ben Wilmoth, Bill Ewing, Floyd Fuston and Wm. Dickey, representing the Cleburne Cemetery Association.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Evans that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Roland that:

"THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

IN RE: Petition of Calvin C. Fidler et al for Discontinuance of Part of Public Alley in the Town of Cresson, Texas, in Commissioner's Precinct No. 2.

This April 1, 1957, came on to be heard the petition of Frank Scarbrough, Roy Putteet, Mrs. C. S. Lanham, R. H. Wood, W. R. York, G. W. Smith, W. F. Robinson, Miss Eva Bobo, J. O. Robertson, and Miss Sallie Bobo to discontinue a part of a public alley in the town of Cresson in Commissioner's Precinct No. 2, Johnson County, hereafter described, and it appearing to the Court and the Court finds that the petition is signed by more than eight freeholders in the said precinct, that the petition is in due form of law, and that the petitioners have given twenty days notice thereof by written advertisement of such application posted at the Court House door of Johnson County and at Two other public places in the vicinity of the route of such alley, and that no objections thereto have been made, and upon and after a full investigation of the proposed change, the court finds that the public interest will be better served by making the change, thereupon, on motion of Commissioner Evans, seconded by Commissioner Roland, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, all the commissioners elected voting therefor, to-wit:

"BE IT ORDERED that a part of a public alley in the town of Cresson in Commissioner's Precinct No. 2, Johnson County, Texas, commencing at Juanita Street, running through to Lancaster Street, a distance of approximately Two Hundred Seventy-Five feet (275 ft.), said alley Twenty (20) feet wide, be changed by discontinuing the above described portion of an alley in the town of Cresson in Commissioner's Precinct No. 2, Johnson County, Texas.

All voted aye."

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Coward that Abe Weinberg, Joe Weinberg and Morris Weinberg, be appointed Public Independent Weighers for Precinct #3, Johnson County, Texas, and that the bonds of each in the amount of \$2500.00 also be approved. Appointment effective April 1, 1957.

An agreement between the City of Cleburne, Johnson County and the Cemetery Association to gravel roads in the old Cemetery. The City of Cleburne and Johnson County to supply trucks and other equipment necessary for the work and the Cemetery Association to pay for all gravel used.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Roland that Winnie Fay Gibson be employed as Clerk-Typist in the office of the County Clerk, effective April 1st, 1957, at starting salary of \$180.00 per month. All voted aye.



ATTEST:

COUNTY CLERK

COUNTY JUDGE

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STATE OF TEXAS

APRIL 8, 1957.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Roland that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as presented and examined in open Court. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Coward that the bond of B. E. Lay, in the amount of \$1000.00, payable to the County Judge of Johnson County, as Justice of the Peace for Justice Precinct No. 2, be approved. Appointment effective the 8th day of April, 1957. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward that the monthly report of Johnson County Memorial Hospital for March, 1957, be approved as presented and examined in open court. All voted aye.

ATTEST:

COUNTY CLERK

COUNTY JUDGE.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

On this the 12th day of April, 1957 the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened in called session with the following members present, to-wit: H.G. Littlefair County Judge, W. M. Coward Commissioner Precinct No. 1, S. W. Evans Commissioner Precinct No. 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, M. W. Roland Commissioner Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee County Clerk, 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 6 day of April, 1957 in the Lillian Independent School District for the purpose of electing 3 trustees to the Board of Trustees of said School District, and it appearing that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 60 valid and legal votes; and that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

NAME OF CANDIDATE	TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES CAST
Waufield Brown	18
J. A. Chapin	15
Lyman Cronkrite	14
Edward Hughes	8
W. C. Singleton	3
O. M. Whitehead	2

It is, therefore, found, declared and so ordered that Waufield Brown, J. A. Chapin, and Lyman Cronkrite received the highest number of votes at said election, and are hereby declared duly elected members of the Board of Trustees of said School District, subject to the taking of their oaths and qualifying as provided by the laws of the State of Texas. A copy of this order shall be duly forwarded by the Clerk of this Court to the above named School District.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same do pass. Thereupon the

question being called for the following members of the Court voted AYE: W. M. Coward, S. W. Evans, Jimmie L. Walters, M. W. Roland, and the following voted NO: None

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 12th day of April, 1957.

H. G. Littlefair County Judge

W. M. Coward Commissioner Precinct No. 1

S. W. Evans Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

M. W. Roland Commissioner Precinct No. 4

THE STATE OF TEXAS I

COUNTY OF JOHNSON I

On this the 12th day of April, 1957 the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened in called session with the following members present, to-wit: H. G. Littlefair County Judge, W. M. Coward Commissioner Precinct No. 1, S. W. Evans Commissioner Precinct No. 2, Jimmie L. Walters Commissioner Precinct No. 3, M. W. Roland Commissioner Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee County Clerk, 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 6 day of April, 1957 in the Parker Independent School District for the purpose of electing 2 trustees to the Board of Trustees of said School District, and it appearing that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 19 valid and legal votes, and that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

NAME OF CANDIDATE	TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES CAST
Pearl Ellis	9
Floyd Hays	10

It is, therefore, found, declared and so ordered that Pearl Ellis and Floyd Hays received the highest number of votes at said election, and are hereby declared duly elected members of the Board of Trustees of said School District, subject to the taking of their oaths and qualifying as provided by the laws of the State of Texas. A copy of this order shall be duly forwarded by the Clerk of this Court to the above named School District.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same do pass. Thereupon the question being called for the following members of the Court voted AYE: W. M. Coward, S. W. Evans, Jimmie L. Walters, M. W. Roland, and the following voted NO: None

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 12th day of April, 1957.

H. G. Littlefair County Judge

W. M. Coward Commissioner Precinct No. 1

S. W. Evans Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct No. 3

M. W. Roland Commissioner Precinct No. 4

#### ELECTIONS RETURNS, APRIL 6, 1957

#### BONO COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT #54

Trustee: C. J. Williamson	21
Alfred Kennon	4
E. D. Johnson	1

County Board, Precinct #1: John T. Kennon	19
Alfred Kennon	3

County at Large: B. J. Jackson	22
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#### FRIENDSHIP COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT #34

Trustee: John T. Gordon	37
Robert D. Mitchell	29

County Board, Precinct #4: W. C. Cottingame	5
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County at Large: B. J. Jackson	5
LIBERTY CHAPEL COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT #33	
Trustee: Anton J. Doerr, Jr.	10
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	10
CRESSON COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT #28	
Trustee: Shirley Smith	5
Haley King	2
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	7
PARKER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Trustee: Pearl Ellis	9
Floyd Hays	10
(2 to be elected)	
County Board, Precinct #1: John T. Kennon	10
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	8
LILLIAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Trustee: Waufield Brown	18
J. A. Chapin	15
Lyman Cronkrite	14
Edward Hughes	8
W. C. Singleton	3
O. M. Whitehead	2
(3 to be elected)	
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	0
KEENE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Trustee: William M. Harper	10
E. Russell Owens	10
Roy Young	9
(3 to be elected)	
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	0
GODLEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Trustee: L. B. Harp	52
Homer Gilliam	46
L. S. Moore	36
Robert Smelley	25
R. L. Savage	4
J. D. Jernigan	3
(2 to be elected)	
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	0
JOSHUA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Trustee: S. E. Johnson	72
Melvin Davis	68
Dewey Lowe	16
X. L. Sherrill	8
(2 to be elected)	
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	0
GRANDVIEW INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Trustee: Byron Senter	30
Keith Welsh	26
Harry Covington	1
Mrs. Joe Holloway	1
Mrs. Ted Watson	1
E. J. Patton	1
(2 to be elected)	
County Board, Precinct #4: W. C. Cottingham	30
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	30
RIO VISTA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	
Trustee: Floyd Atwood	22
John Beauchamp, Jr.	28
John C. Carroll	26
C. C. Clifton	18
Loren Crouch	18
W. E. Huggins	20
(3 to be elected)	
County Board, Precinct #1: John T. Kennon	0
County at Large: B. J. Jackson	0

Totals: County Board, Precinct #1:	John T. Kennon	29
	Alfred Kennon	3
County Board, Precinct #4:	W. C. Cottingame	35
County at Large:	B. J. Jackson	82

There being no further business the Court adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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STATE OF TEXAS

May 1, 1957.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

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

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and Seconded by Commissioner Evans that the Bond of H. Wall in the amount of \$2,500.00 as public weigher in Prec. 1 be approved. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and Seconded by Commissioner Roland, 1 Automobile, 4 Door Sedan, V-8 Engine, 200 HP or more, Automatic Transmission & Heater, Color Black, for the Sheriff's Department. Bids to be opened May 15, 1957, 9:00 A.M. Delivery date on or before June 1st, 1957, less trade of 1, 1953 V-8 Ford.  
1, New Crawler type Tractor, with Hyd Front end loader, 1½ Cubit yard bucket, with Hydo-Spring and skid shoes, 4 cycle Diesel Engine, Draw-bar, HP 54 or more, with a trade in of 1 TD 9 crawler tractor with Drott front end loader, for Prec. 4. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and Seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the Quarterly report of the County Treasurer covering period from January through March, 1957, are approved. All voted aye.

There being no further business the Court adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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STATE OF TEXAS

May 13, 1957

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, Glyndon M. Hague, County Attorney and Sam Mann, County Agent.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and Seconded by Commissioner Coward that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and Seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the Commissioner Court meet in the capacity of County Equalization Board to review Tax renditions

for 1957, the 14th, 15th and 16th days of May, 1957, at 9:00 A. M. in the office of the County Tax Assessor-Collector. And on the 4th, 5th and 6th days of June, 1957 for the purpose of hearing any interested citizen who may desire to appear before the board.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Evans that the monthly financial report of the Johnson County Memorial Hospital for the month of April, 1957 be approved and submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Coward that the Court adjourn until 9:00 A. M., May 14th, 1957.

All voted aye

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

May 14, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas the following members were present: H.G. Littlefair County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, at 9:30 A. M.

#### BOARD OF EQUALIZATION, OATH OF MEMBERS

"We, H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, S. W. Evans, Jimmie Walters and M. W. Roland, Commissioners, members of the board of equalization of Johnson County, for the year A.D. 1957, hereby solemnly swear that, in the performance of our duties as members of such board for said year, we will not vote to allow any taxable property to stand assessed on the tax rolls of said county for said year at any sum which we believe to be less than its true market value, or if it has no market value, then its real value; that we will faithfully endeavor and as members of said board will move to have each item of taxable property which we believe to be assessed for said year at less than its true market value, or real value, raised on the tax rolls to what we believe to be its true cash market value, if it has a market value, and if not, then to its real value; and that we will faithfully endeavor to have the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation within said county stand upon the tax rolls of said county for said year at its true cash market value, or, if it has no market value, then its real value. We further solemnly swear that we have read and understand the provisions contained in the Constitution and laws of this State relative to the valuation of taxable property, and that we will faithfully perform all the duties required of us under the Constitution and laws of this State. So held us God."

H.G. Littlefair

County Judge

W.M. Coward

Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

S.W. Evans

Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

J.L. Walters

Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

M.W. Roland

Commissioner, Precinct No. 4



Adjourned until 8:00 A. M., May 15, for continued work on Tax Renditions and such other business as may properly come before the court.

ATTEST Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON | May 15, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas the following members were presents: H.G. Littlefair County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Evans that bids for equipment purchase or previously advertised for were opened. That the bid of Geo. Liser; Fairlane 500, 4 Dr., with the same equipment;

List - - - - - 2512.00  
Trade In - - - - - 700.00  
Difference - - - - - 1812.00

be accepted. Delivery June 1. 1957 or before. All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Walters, that the bid of B. Ferris:

1 - New TD-9-424-1 (91 Series) IHC tractor with 9K3 Drott skid shovel; shovel complete with hydrospring and counterweight, bucket teeth with hydraulic track adjusters - - - - - \$14,330.00  
Less: trade-in of one used Drott loader S/N 53202 - - - - - 6,330.00  
Total net difference F. O. B., any point Johnson County - - - - - \$ 8,000.00

be accepted. All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and Seconded by Commissioner Walters, that the changes to the Courthouse and the transfer of certain offices as recommended to the Commissioner court be approved.

All voted aye

There being no further business the Court adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON | June 1, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas the following members were presents; H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct 1; S.W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct 3; M.W. Roland, commissioner of Precinct 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, and Harry Ratliff.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Evans that all proper and duly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and Seconded by Commissioner Roland, that Mrs. Janie Wilson be employed as Secretary in the District Attorney's office, beginning, June 1st, 1957, at a monthly salary of \$75.00.

All voted aye

FOLLOW UP ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

On this the 1st day of June, 1957, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened in regular session at a June Term thereof at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

H. G. Littlefair, County Judge,

W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct No. 1,

S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2,

J.L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct No. 3,

M.W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct No. 4,

LOUIS B. LEE, County Clerk,

when, among other proceedings had, were the following:

Commissioner J. L. Walters introduced an order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner W. M. Coward. The motion, carrying with it the adoption of the order, prevailed by the following vote:

**AYES:** Commissioners W. M. Coward, J. L. Walters,

S.W. Evans, M. W. Roland;

NOES: NONE.

The order is as follows:

WHEREAS, heretofore the Commissioners court of Johnson County, Texas, has authorized the issuance of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956, Numbers 1 to 100, inclusive of the denomination of \$1,000 each, aggregating \$100,000, bearing 3-~~1~~<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>% interest per annum, and maturing on April 1st, \$10,000 in each of the years 1966 to 1975, inclusive; and levied a tax sufficient in amount for the payment thereof, according to the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, which warrants were duly authorized to be issued for the purpose of evidencing indebtedness of said county to be incurred in constructing premanent road and bridge improvements in said County, including claims for labor, material, equipment, and supplies, and purchasing necessary right-of-way for public roads in the County and incidental expenses in connection therewith; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authorization of said warrants, certain claims have been incurred for the purposes above mentioned, and

WHEREAS, said claims have been duly approved by the County Judge and audited and allowed by the Commissioners Court and have been found and determined to be valid claims against Johnson County; and

WHEREAS, claims in the aggregate amount of \$81,917.66 have been duly and legally transferred and assigned to McClung & Knickerbocker, Houston, Texas; and

WHEREAS, it was provided in said order authorizing the issuance of said warrants that said warrants above described should be executed, issued and delivered in payment of claims approved by the County Judge and duly audited and allowed by the Commissioners Court of Johnson County; and that said Commissioners Court in auditing and allowing said claims should designate the numbers of warrants to be delivered to evidence said claims so that the proceedings of this Court should show to whom each of said warrants were delivered and the purpose for which same was delivered.

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

That the following claims, heretofore approved by the County Judge and duly audited and allowed by the Commissioners Court

JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS

LIST OF CLAIMS APPROVED AND PAID BY COMMISSIONERS COURT

IN CONNECTION WITH \$100,000 ROAD AND BRIDGE

WARRANTS AUTHORIZED ON MARCH 12, 1956

DATE	PAYEE	WARRANT NO	AMOUNT	PURPOSE
3-13-56	Allhands & Swatzell	1001	\$ 616.19	Labor for clearing right of way
3-13-56	Layland Plumbing Co.	1002	\$ 216.10	Labor for clearing right of way
3-14-56	Ed Crisp	1003	187.30	Posts for fences
3-17-56	W.A. Flow	1004	40.00	Labor on installing fences
3-17-56	H.F. Alexander	1005	66.66	Labor on installing fences
3-17-56	W.E. Harrison	1006	91.44	Labor on installing fences
3-17-56	Boyd Heine	1007	188.26	Labor on installing fences
3-19-56	Omer C. Roland	1008	893.00	Material - barbed wire for fences
3-19-56	Ed Crisp	1009	70.00	Posts for fences
3-23-56	Ed Crisp	1010	60.00	Post for fence
3-24-56	H. F. Alexander	1011	42.55	Labor on installing fences
3-24-56	W. E. Harrison	1012	40.25	Labor on installing fences
3-24-56	Boyd Heine	1013	88.11	Labor on installing fences
3-30-56	Omer C. Roland	1014	344.00	Materials - barbed wire for fences
3-31-56	Boyd Heine	1015	88.36	Labor on installing fences
3-31-56	W.E. Harrison	1016	40.50	Labor on installing fences
3-31-56	H.F. Alexander	1017	40.50	Labor on installing fences
4- 4-56	Ed Crisp	1018	86.00	Posts for fences
4- 4-56	Mrs. Jennie Conner	1019	160.80	Purchase of right of way
4- 6-56	Income Tax Department	1020	39.90	Withholding tax on labor
4- 6-56	Ed. Reeves	1021	37.20	Labor on installing fences
4- 7-56	W.E. Harrison	1022	40.25	Labor on installing fences
4- 7-56	H.F. Alexander	1023	44.60	Labor on installing fences
4- 7-56	Boyd Heine	1024	88.11	Labor on installing fences
4-10-56	Social Security Dept	1025	26.39	Withholding Tax on Labor
4-13-56	Ed Crisp	1026	156.00	Posts for fences
4-14-56	W.E. Harrison	1027	40.50	Labor on installing fences
4-14-56	H.F. Alexander	1028	42.55	Labor on installing fences
4-14-56	Boyd Heine	1029	88.36	Labor on installing fences
4-21-56	W.D. Skiles	1030	25.60	Labor on installing fences
4-21-56	H.F. Alexander	1031	38.80	Labor on installing fences
4-21-56	W.E. Harrison	1032	36.50	Labor on installing fences
4-21-56	Boyd Heine	1033	88.36	Labor on installing fences
4-23-56	W.D. Skiles	1034	61.80	Labor on installing fences
4-23-56	L.F. Bingham	1035	60.40	Labor on installing fences
4-23-56	Ed Crisp	1036	83.60	Posts for fences
4-26-56	Ed Crisp	1037	90.40	Posts for fences
4-28-56	Boyd Heine	1038	88.36	Labor for installing fences
4-28-56	W.E. Harrison	1039	40.50	Labor for installing fences
4-28-56	H.F. Alexander	1040	43.05	Labor for installing fences

4-30-56	L.F. Bingham	1041	82.00	Labor for installing fences
5- 3-56	L.F. Bingham	1042	64.00	Labor for installing fences
5- 4-56	L.F. Bingham	1043	44.00	Labor for installing fences
5- 4-56	Ed Crisp	1044	48.00	Posts for fences
5- 5-56	Boyd Heine	1045	61.24	Labor for installing fences
5- 5-56	H.F. Alexander	1046	15.68	Labor for installing fences
5- 5-56	W.E. Harrison	1047	30.16	Labor for installing fences
5- 9-56	Income Tax Department	1048	42.60	Withholding Tax on labor
5- 9-56	R.T. Hadley	1049	680.00	Material Barbed wire for fences
5-19-56	Ownbey & Jones Lbr.	1050	173.90	Materials staples and nails
5-11-56	Ed Crisp	1051	94.30	Posts for fences
5-12-56	Boyd Heine	1052	88.36	Labor for installing fences
5-12-56	W.E. Harrison	1053	40.50	Labor for installing fences
5-12-56	H.F. Alexander	1054	42.80	Labor for installing fences
5-19-56	Boyd Heine	1055	74.70	Labor for installing fences
5-19-56	W.E. Harrison	1056	33.28	Labor for installing fences
5-19-56	H.F. Alexander	1057	23.52	Labor for installing fences
5-25-56	Boyd Heine	1058	186.25	Labor for installing fences
5-25-56	Void	1059		
6- 1-56	Omer C. Roland	1060	882.00	Posts for fences
6- 1-56	E. I. Ray	1061	159.45	Posts for fences
6- 1-56	Income Tax Department	1062	20.20	Withholding Tax on labor
6- 1-56	Boyd Heine	1063	61.24	Labor for installing fences
6- 1-56	W.E. Harrison	1064	15.68	Labor for installing fences
6- 1-56	H.F. Alexander	1065	26.46	Labor for installing fences
6- 1-56	A.W. Heine	1066	15.00	Labor for installing fences
6- 4-56	Omer C. Roland	1067	860.00	Materials hog wire for fence
6- 4-56	Ed Crisp	1068	148.70	Posts for fences
6- 7-56	Jake Bennett	1069	20.00	Labor for installing fences
6- 8-56	Allhands & Swatzell	1070	1,792.65	Labor for clearing right of way
6- 9-56	Boyd Heine	1071	61.24	Labor for installing fences
6- 9-56	W.E. Harrison	1072	23.52	Labor for installing fences
6- 9-56	A.W. Heine	1073	14.70	Labor for installing fences
6-11-56	Ray's Shoe Shop	1074	9.28	Materials - nails
6-11-56	Boyd Heine	1075	450.00	Materials - wire for fences
6-12-56	Omer C. Roland	1076	860.00	Materials - Hog wire for fences
6-15-56	M.L. Mullen	1077	50.00	Purchase of right of way
6-16-56	A.W. Heine	1078	23.90	Labor for installing fences
6-16-56	H.F. Alexander	1079	23.52	Labor for installing fences
6-16-56	W.E. Harrison	1080	36.50	Labor for installing fences
6-16-56	Boyd Heine	1081	88.36	Labor for installing fences
6-18-56	Omer C. Roland	1082	80.00	Materials - wire for fences
6-18-56	M.W. Roland	1083	40.57	Materials - wire for fences
6-23-56	M.W. Roland	1084	87.20	Materials - wire for fences
6-23-56	Boyd Heine	1085	81.58	Labor for installing fences
6-23-56	W.E. Harrison	1086	36.50	Labor for installing fences
6-23-56	H.F. Alexander	1087	38.80	Labor for installing fences

6-23-56	A.W. Heine	1088	24.50	Labor for installing fences
6-29-56	Keith Welsh	1089	750.00	Purchase of right of way
6-29-56	Lannie Walraven	1090	150.00	Purchase of right of way
6-30-56	Boyd Heine	1091	83.58	Labor for installing fences
6-30-56	W.E. Harrison	1092	36.50	Labor for installing fences
6-30-56	H.F. Alexander	1093	38.80	Labor for installing fences
6-30-56	A.W. Heine	1094	9.84	Labor for installing fences
7- 2-56	George B. Sartor	1095	500.00	Purchase of right of way
7- 2-56	James & Mahanay	1096	300.00	Purchase of right of way
7- 7-56	Boyd Heine	1097	83.58	Labor for installing fences
7- 7-56	W.E. Harrison	1098	30.16	Labor for installing fences
7- 7-56	H.F. Alexander	1099	38.80	Labor for installing fences
7- 7-56	A.W. Heine	1100	24.50	Labor for installing fences
7- 7-56	Income Tax Department	1101	45.36	Withholding Tax on labor
7-10-56	Ben C. Wilmoth	1102	11,500.00	Purchase of Right of way
7-10-56	E.J. Holt	1103	8,000.00	Purchase of right of way
7-10-56	Social Security Fd.	1104	65.12	Labor (S.S.)
7-12-56	F.E. Gardner	1105	1,500.00	Purchase of right of way
7-12-56	State Treasurer	1106	1,350.00	Purchase of right of way
7-12-56	Fred McCorkle	1107	75.00	Labor for installing fences
7-14-56	A.W. Heine	1108	24.50	Labor for installing fences
7-14-56	W.E. Harrison	1109	36.50	Labor for installing fences
7-14-56	Boyd Heine	1110	83.58	Labor for installing fences
7-16-56	W.F. Johnson	1111	25.00	Purchase of right of way
7-16-56	James & Mahanay	1112	261.40	Purchase of right of way
7-16-56	District Clerk (con-			
	demnation Proceedings)	1113	396.00	Purchase of right of way
7-16-56	District Clerk (Con-			
	demnation Proceedings)	1114	123.55	Purchase of right of way
7-17-56	Farmer Home Administration	1115	250.00	Purchase of right of way
7-17-56	Lee Roden	1116	100.00	Purchase of right of way
7-17-56	O.L. Pickle	1117	1,000.00	Purchase of right of way
7-17-56	Tom Frank Jones	1118	1,500.00	Purchase of right of way
7-20-56	M.W. Roland	1119	124.90	Posts for fences
7-21-56	A.W. Heine	1120	24.50	Labor for installing fences
7-21-56	Boyd Heine	1121	83.58	Labor for installing fences
7-21-56	H.E. Harrison	1122	36.50	Labor for installing fences
7-26-56	Burton Gustafson	1123	102.75	Labor - clearing right of way
7-30-56	W.Z. Glasscock	1124	150.00	Purchase of right of way
7-31-56	James & Mahanay	1125	318.00	Purchase of right of way
8- 1-56	Wiley, Emory Trustee	1126	4,500.00	Purchase of right of way
8- 2-56	W.E. Harrison	1127	47.04	Labor - moving fences . .
8- 2-56	A.W. Heine	1128	42.00	Labor - moving fences
8- 2-56	Boyd Heine	1129	110.32	Labor - moving fences . .
8- 3-56	D.F. Crowder	1130	1,250.00	Purchase of right of way
8- 7-56	Income Tax Department	1131	38.80	Withholding Tax on labor
8- 8-56	District Clerk (Con-			



	demnation Proceedings)	1132	792.50	Purchase of right of way
8- 8-56	W.F. Johnson	1133	25.00	Labor on right of way purchase
8- 8-56	James & Mahanay	1134	113.24	Purchase of right of way
8-14-56	J.V. Woods & Son	1135	51.78	Materials - staples
8-14-56	Cleburne Hardware	1136	25.15	Materials - staples
8-15-56	State Treasurer	1137	50.00	Purchase of right of way
8-21-56	Walker, Baker & Altaras	1138	200.00	Purchase of right of way
8-21-56	W.F. Johnson	1139	25.00	Purchase of right of way
8-21-56	District Clerk (con-			
	demnation Proceedings)	1140	59.00	Purchase of right of way
8-21-56	District Clerk (con-			
	demnation Proceedings)	1141	55.05	Purchase of right of way
8-21-56	District Clerk (con-			
	demnation Proceedings)	1142	2,000.00	Purchase of right of way
8-21-56	District Clerk (Con-			
	demnation Proceedings)	1143	4,000.00	Purchase of right of way
9- 8-56	Boyd Heine	1144	61.24	Labor on fences
9- 8-56	W.E. Harrison	1145	30.16	Labor on fences
9- 8-56	Edward Crisp	1146	31.36	Labor on fences
9-12-56	Cleb. Natl Farm	1147	144.50	Purchase of right of way
9-12-56	Cleb. Natl Farm	1148	144.50	Purchase of right of way
9-12-56	Carl Doyle	1149	504.60	Purchase of right of way
9-12-56	Estes F. Ellis	1150	320.00	Purchase of right of way
9-12-56	W.A. Berry	1151	200.00	Purchase of right of way
9-13-56	F.F. Dixon	1152	532.40	Purchase of right of way
9-17-56	W.A. Berry	1153	200.00	Purchase of right of way
9-20-56	D.C. James	1154	1,500.00	Purchase of right of way
9-21-56	T. J. Groom	1155	94.50	Posts for fences
9-22-56	Boyd Heine	1156	70.02	Labor on fences
9-22-56	W.E. Harrison	1157	30.36	Labor on fences
9-22-56	Edward Crisp	1158	31.36	Labor on Fences
9-22-56	Alex Post Yard	1159	340.09	Posts for Fences
9-27-56	Melvin Westbrook	1160	4,000.00	Purchase of right of way
9-29-56	Boyd Heine	1161	88.36	Labor on Fences
9-29-56	W.E. Harrison	1162	42.94	Labor on Fences
9-29-56	Edward Crisp	1163	47.04	Labor on Fences
10-1-56	A. Vidler	1164	1,000.00	Purchase of right of way
10-1-56	Allhands & Swatzell	1165	164.64	Clearing right of way - labor
10-3-56	Alex Guterrez	1166	332.70	Posts for fences
10-3-56	Income Tax Department	1167	117.40	Withholding Tax on labor
10-3-56	Wade Woods	1168	350.00	Purchase of right of way
10-5-56	T.J. Groom	1169	67.60	Posts for fences
10-6-56	Boyd Heine	1170	88.36	Labor on fences
10-6-56	W.E. Harrison	1171	40.50	Labor on Fences
10-6-56	Edward Crisp	1172	36.26	Labor on fences
10-10-56	Lambard Reed	1173	495.00	Purchase of right of way
10-10-56	E.A. Simms	1174	10.50	Labor on fences

10-10-56	Cleb. Hardware	1175	7.20	Materials - Nails
10-10-56	E.A. Simms	1176	8.00	Labor on fences
10-10-56	State Treasurer	1177	800.00	Purchase right of way
10-10-56	James & Mahanay	1178	100.00	Purchase right of way
10-10-56	District Clerk (Con-			
	demnation Proceedings)	1179	127.85	Purchase of right of way
10-12-56	W.E. Harrison	1180	36.50	Labor on fences
10-12-56	Boyd Heine	1181	81.58	Labor on fences
10-13-56	Social Security Fund	1182	36.20	Social Security Withholding tax
10-16-56	Alex Guterrez	1183	312.00	Posts for fences
10-20-56	W.E. Harrison	1184	30.16	Labor on fences
10-20-56	Boyd Heine	1185	61.24	Labor on Fences
10-20-56	Alex Guterrez	1186	351.78	Posts for fences
10-22-56	Jas M. Sides	1187	10.00	Purchase of right of way
10-22-56	C.M. Bretz	1188	185.00	Purchase of right of way
10-27-56	W.E. Harrison	1189	39.72	Labor on fences
10-27-56	Boyd Heine	1190	88.36	Labor on fences
10-27-56	Void	1191		
11- 1-56	Allhands & Swatzell	1192	1,000.00	Purchase of right of way
11- 1-56	Allhands & Swatzell	1193	499.79	Purchase of right of way
11- 3-56	Boyd Heine	1194	72.47	Labor on Fences
11- 3-56	W.E. Harrison	1195	30.16	Labor on Fences
11- 3-56	T.J. Groom	1196	80.00	Posts for fences
11-10-56	Boyd Heine	1197	61.24	Labor on Fences
11-10-56	W.E. Harrison	1198	15.68	Labor on fences
11-10-56	W.J. Rux	1199	16.00	Labor on fences
11-10-56	Chas C. Groom	12000	23.52	Labor on Fences
11-10-56	James G. Jones	1201	24.00	Labor on fences
11-10-56	A.T. Crocker	1202	24.00	Labor on fences
11-10-56	T.J. Groom	1203	60.00	Posts for fences
11-13-56	Allhands & Swatzell	1204	1,734.89	Purchase of right of way
11-15-56	Income Tax Department	1205	30.20	Withholding Tax on labor
11-16-56	T.J. Groom	1206	75.00	Posts for fences
11-17-56	W.E. Smith	1207	20.00	Labor on Fences
11-17-56	James G. Jones	1208	40.64	Labor on Fences
11-17-56	Chas C. Groom	1209	17.64	Labor on Fences
11-17-56	W.E. Harrison	1210	42.94	Labor on Fences
11-17-56	Boyd Heine	1211	88.36	Labor on fences
11-24-56	J.G. Jones	1212	34.20	Labor on fences
11-24-56	James E. Jones	1213	34.20	Labor on fences
11-24-56	Boyd Heine	1214	88.36	Labor on fences
11-24-56	W.E. Harrison	1215	40.50	Labor on fences
11-24-56	W.E. Smith	1216	24.00	Labor on fences
12- 1-56	Boyd Heine	1217	74.70	Labor on fences
12- 1-56	W.E. Harrison	1218	38.80	Labor on fences
12- 1-56	H.E. Kernon	1219	36.50	Labor on fences
12- 1-56	A.W. Heine	1220	8.00	Labor on Fences

12- 1-56	Cleb. National Bank	1221	42.40	Labor on fences
12- 8-56	Boyd Heine	1222	83.58	Labor on fences
12- 8-56	W.E. Harrison	1223	36.50	Labor on fences
12- 8-56	H.E. Kennon	1224	31.36	Labor on Fences
12- 8-56	E.J. McCollum	1225	30.16	Labor on Fences
12- 8-56	John Jones	1226	16.00	Labor on fences
12-10-56	Transit Mix Concrete	1227	31.00	Materials -Cement for gates
12-10-56	Cleb. Hardware	1228	27.65	Materials - staples for fences
12-10-56	Alex Guterrez	1229	124.80	Posts for fences
12-14-56	J. D. Armstrong	1230	18.75	Posts for fences
12-15-56	W.E. Harrison	1231	36.50	Labor on fences
12-15-56	H.E. Kennon	1232	38.80	Labor on fences
12-15-56	E.J. McCollum	1233	36.50	Labor on Fences
12-15-56	Boyd Heine	1234	81.58	Labor on fences
12-18-56	Boyd Heine	1235	173.94	Posts for fences
12-18-56	Alex Guterrez	1236	170.04	Posts for fences
12-22-56	A.W. Heine	1237	8.00	Labor on fences
12-22-56	E.J. McCollum	1238	7.84	Labor on fences
12-22-56	H.E. Kennon	1239	7.84	Labor on fences
12-22-56	Boyd Heine	1241	41.40	Labor on fences
12-22-56	W.E. Harrison	1240	15.68	Labor on fences
12-22-56	E.A. Simms	1242	5.00	Labor on fences
1- 1-57	A.W. Heine	1243	25.46	Labor on fences
1- 1-57	E.J. McCollum	1244	30.16	Labor on fences
1- 1-57	H.E. Kennon	1245	31.36	Labor on fences
1- 1-57	W.E. Harrison	1246	30.16	Labor on Fences
1- 1-57	Boyd Heine	1247	61.24	Labor on fences
1- 1-57	J.G. Groom	1248	21.00	Labor on fences
1- 1-57	Cleb. National Bank	1249	37.20	Labor on fences
1- 1-57	Boyd Heine	1250	68.00	Labor on fences
1- 5-57	W.E. Harrison	1251	24.00	Labor on fences
1- 5-57	H.E. Kennon	1252	13.00	Labor on fences
1- 5-57	E.J. McCollum	1253	14.00	Labor on fences
1- 5-57	A.W. Heine	1254	8.00	Labor on fences
1-12-57	Ernest Williamson	1255	18.05	Labor on fences
1-12-57	Allhands & Swatzell	1256	9.00	Labor on fences
1-14-57	Cleb. Hardware Co.	1257	69.75	Materials - Staples for fences
1-14-57	Void	1258		
1-17-57	Social Security Fund	1259	70.60	Social Security Withholding Tax
1-18-57	Winclair Pipe Line	1260	741.58	Labor - removing pipe line from right of way
1-21-57	Boyd Heine	1261	402.50	Labor - removing pipe line from right of way
1-22-57	Alex Guterrez	1262	102.50	Posts for fences
2- 1-57	Texas P & L Co.	1263	1,054.00	Labor - removing poles from right of way
2- 1-57	Lone Star Gas Company	1264	2,424.60	Labor - removing pipe lines from

				Right of Way
2 -9-57	E.J. McCollum	1265	35.19	Labor - removing pipe line from Right of way
2- 9-57	Boyd Heine	1266	106.72	Labor - removing pipe line from Right of way
3-16-57	Boyd Heine	1267	62.92	Labor - removing pipe line from right of way
2-16-57	E.J. McCollum	1268	3.91	Labor - removing pipe line from right of way
2-16-57	J.E. Thetford	1269	20.00	Labor - removing pipe line from right of way
3- 2-57	H.T. Groom	1270	38.40	Posts for fences
3-22-57	J.E. Thetford	1271	40.00	Labor on fences
3- 2-57	E.J. McCollum	1272	46.92	Labor on Fences
3- 2-57	Boyd Heine	1273	100.24	Labor on fences
3-11-57	Cleb. Hardware Co.	1274	3.33	Materials- nails
3-11-57	Allhands & Swatzell	1275	419.69	Labor - removing posts for right of way
3-11-57	Void	1276		
3-19-57	Johnson Co. Elec Corp.	1277	1,204.15	Moving poles from right of way
4- 8-57	Cleburne Hardware	1278	41.21	Materials - staples
4-10-57	Allhands & Swatzell	1279	18.00	Labor - removing posts from right of way
4-11-57	E.M. Smith	1280	75.00	Purchase of right of way
4-11-57	T.E. Vaughn	1281	400.00	Purchase of right of way
5- 1-57	Brazos Electric Co.	1282	<u>267.76</u>	Relocating poles from right of way
TOTAL			\$81,917.66	

## II

That the assignment of claims to McClung & Knickerbocker, Houston, Texas, be, and the same is hereby approved.

## III.

That in accordance herewith and with the order of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, passed on March 12, 1956, there shall be executed and delivered to McClung & Knickerbocker Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956, numbers 1 to 20, inclusive, 31, and 41 to 100, inclusive, of the denomination of \$1,000 each, aggregating \$81,000, evidencing indebtedness due by Johnson County to McClung & Knickerbocker, as assignees of said claims; and that the excess of \$917.66, as shown by said list of claims, shall be carried forward to the next exchange of claims for warrants.

## IV.

The County of Johnson having received full value and consideration of the warrants herein above described, the County Judge and County Treasurer are hereby authorized and instructed to register said warrants, and after registration thereof, to deliver said warrants to McClung & Knickerbocker, and the County Judge, County Clerk, and County Treasurer are hereby authorized and instructed to execute such other and further instruments, certificates or statements as shall be necessary, convenient or appropriate to reflect the entire validity of said warrants.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 1st day of June, 1957.

ATTEST:

Louis B. Lee, County Clerk

H.G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas

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THE STATE OF TEXAS |

COUNTY OF JOHNSON |

On this the 1 day of June, 1957, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened in regular session at a June term thereof, at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

✓ H. G. Littlefair, County Judge  
W. M. Coward, Commissioner Precinct No. 1,  
S.W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2,  
J.L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct No. 3,  
M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct No. 4,  
Louis B. Lee, County Clerk

when, among other proceedings had, were the following:

Commissioner S. W. Evans, introduced a proposed order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner M. W. Roland. The motion, carrying with it the adoption of the order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners W. M. Coward, S. W. Evans,  
J.L. Walters, M. W. Roland;

NOES: None

The County Judge announced that the order had been finally passed. The Order is as follows:

WHEREAS, on the 12th day of March, 1956, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas; passed an order authorizing the issuance of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956, Numbers 1 to 100, inclusive, of the denomination of \$1,000 each, aggregating \$100,000, bearing 3½% interest per annum, and maturing on April 1st, \$10,000 in each of the years 1966 to 1975, inclusive; of which issue there are now outstanding and unpaid Warrants Nos 1 to 20, inclusive, 31, and 41 to 100, inclusive, aggregating \$81,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court deems it advisable and to the best interest of said County to cancel \$80,000.00 of the above described outstanding 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 to exceed \$80,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed three and one-half (3½%) per cent per annum, and maturing over a period of years not exceeding fifteen (15) years from their date, for the purpose of canceling, refunding and in lieu of a like amount of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956.

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 8th day of July, 1957.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 1st day of June, 1957.

ATTEST:

LOUIS B. LEE, County Clerk

H.G. Littlefair, County Judge

Johnson County, Texas

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THE STATE OF TEXAS |

COUNTY OF JOHNSON |



We, the undersigned officers of Johnson County, Texas, indicated by the official title opposite our names, do hereby certify that we did officially sign \$81,000.00, Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956, Numbers 1 to 20 inclusive 31, and 41 to 100, inclusive, bearing 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ % interest per annum, maturing on April 1st, \$10,000 in each of the years 1966 and 1967, \$1,000 in 1969, and \$10,000 in each of the years 1970 to 1975, inclusive (being part of a total authorized issue of \$100,000), authorized to be issued for the purpose of evidencing indebtedness of said County to be incurred in constructing permanent road and bridge improvements in said County, including claims for labor, material, equipment and supplies, and purchasing necessary right-of-way for public roads in the County and incidental expenses in connection therewith, and that we were at the date of such signatures the duly chosen, qualified and acting officers indicated therein and authorized to execute the same.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that claims covering the construction of permanent road and bridge improvements in said County, including claims for labor, material, equipment and supplies, and purchasing necessary right-of-way and incidental expenses in connection therewith, have been duly audited and allowed and declared to be the lawful indebtedness of said county, and said indebtedness has been evidenced by the issuance and delivery to McClung & Knickerbocker, of Houston, Texas, the holders of said claims of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956, Numbers 1 to 20, inclusive, 31 and 41 to 100, inclusive, for \$1,000 each, aggregating \$81,000; and that said County of Johnson has received full value and consideration for said Warrants Numbers 1 to 20, inclusive, 31, and 41 to 100, inclusive under the laws of the State of Texas now in force.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that there is no litigation, pending or threatened growing out of the issuance of said warrants, nor in any way affecting the titles of the within named officers of said County to their respective offices.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, this the 1 day of June, 1957.

H.G. Littlefair, County Judge

Louis B. Lee, County Clerk

Eula L. Higgins, County Treasurer

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#### 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 8th day of July, 1957, authorizing the issuance of Johnson County Road and Bridge refunding Bonds, in the maximum amount of \$80,000.00, for the purpose of refunding, canceling and in lieu of a like amount of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956; said Refunding Bonds to bear interest at a rate not to exceed three and one half (3 $\frac{1}{2}$ %) per cent per annum, and to mature over a period of years not to exceed fifteen (15) years from their date.

THIS NOTICE is given in pursuance of an order passed by the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, on the 1st day of June, 1957.

H.G. Littlefair, County Judge,

Johnson County, Texas

(SEAL)

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THE STATE OF TEXAS     |

COUNTY OF HARRIS     |

I, Harry Ratliff, representative of McClung & Knickerbocker, of Houston, Texas, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that said Company has received from - -

H.G. Littlefair, County Judge,

Louis B. Lee, County Clerk,

Eula L. Higgins, County Treasurer

of Johnson County, Texas, \$81,000.00, JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS, SERIES OF 1956 dated April 1, 1956, Numbers 1 to 20, inclusive, 31, and 41 to 100, inclusive, in denomination of \$1,000 each, bearing 3½% interest per annum, and maturing on April 1st, \$10,000 in each of the years 1966 and 1967, \$1,000 in 1969, and \$10,000 in each of the years 1970 to 1975, inclusive.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the said McClung & Knickerbocker, of Houston, Texas, are the owners and holders of certain claims or accounts, aggregating the sum of \$81,917.66 duly audited and allowed by that certain order adopted by the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, on the 1 day of June, 1957, and which claims or accounts are described in detail in said order, and reference thereto is hereby made for a full, complete and accurate description of said claims or accounts.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the said McClung & Knickerbocker have delivered to the County Officials above named, each and all of such claims or accounts described in the aforesaid order of the Commissioners Court, and which said claims or accounts are to be cancelled by said officials the deliver of said claims or account being in lieu of the above mentioned \$81,000 JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS, SERIES OF 1956, dated April 1, 1956, this day received by said McClung & Knickerbocker from the County officials hereinabove named.

WITNESS MY HAND, at Houston, Texas, this the 1 day of June, 1957.

Harry Ratliff

SUBSCRIBED AND sworn to before me, this the 1 day of June, 1957.

Kathleen L. Fitzgibbon, Notary Public

Harris County, Texas

(SEAL)

There being no further business the court adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS     |

COUNTY OF JOHNSON     |

June 10, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were presents: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S.W. Evans, Commissioner, of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M.W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters, that all proper and duly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Evans, that the financial report of the County Hospital for the month of May, 1957, be approved and submitted.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and Seconded by Commissioner Coward that the resignation of Mrs. Mildred Holmes as Secretary in the County Agent and Home Dem. Agents office be accepted, effective June 15th, 1957, Salary to be paid to July 1, 1957.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and Seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the position of secretary to the County Extension Service be dis-continued, effective July 1st, 1957.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS     |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON     |     JULY 1, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S.W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M.W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, and Noel Wofford.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that the lease contract with G.C. & S.F. R.R. in the amount of 72.00 per year, for Prec. 2 at Joshua be approved.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that the extra help in the County Tax Assessor-Collector office be paid \$7.00 per day effective June 1, 1957.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS     |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON     |     JULY 8, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S.W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M.W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, Sam Man, and Mrs. Roberta Forgy.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and Seconded by Commissioner Roland, that all proper and endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid, as presented and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Evans, that the financial report of the Johnson County Memorial Hospital for June 1957 be approved as presented and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and Seconded by Commissioner Coward, that the 2

million Road Ref. Bonds, Fund be closed and the amount of \$973.23 be transferred in equal shares to R & B Funds, Precinct 1, 2, 3 & 4, that it also be ordered that the Jail Bonds I & S Fund be closed and the amount of \$269.68 be transferred to the Courthouse & Jail Fund.

All voted aye

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# ORDER AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF REFUNDING BONDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS     I

COUNTY OF JOHNSON     I

✓ On this the 8th day of July, 1957, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened in regular session at a Regular Term thereof, at the Courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, with all members of the Court present, to-wit:

H.G. Littlefair

County Judge

W.M. Coward

Commissioner Precinct No. 1

S.W. Evans,

Commissioner Precinct No. 2

J.L. Walters,

Commissioner Precinct No. 3

M.W. Roland,

Commissioner Precinct No. 4,

LOUIS B. LEE,

County Clerk,

and, among other proceedings had were the following:

Commissioner W.M. Coward introduced an order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner M.W. Roland. The motion, carrying with it the adoption of the order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners

W.M. Coward

S.W. Evans

J.L. Walters

M.W. Roland

NOES: None

The County Judge announced that the order had been finally passed. The order is as follows :

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, has heretofore authorized the issuance of JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE WARRANTS, SERIES OF 1956, dated April 1, 1956, Numbers 1 to 100, inclusive, of the denomination of \$1,000 each, aggregating \$100,000.00, bearing 3½% interest per annum, and maturing on April 1st, \$10,000 in each of the years 1966 to 1975, inclusive; of which issue there are now outstanding and unpaid warrants Nos 1 to 20, inclusive, 31, and 41 to 100, inclusive, aggregating \$81,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court deems it advisable and to the best interest of said County to cancel \$80,000.00 of the above described outstanding warrants by the issuance of refunding bonds in lieu thereof, the warrants to be so refunded being Warrants Nos. 1 to 20, inclusive, and 41 to 100, inclusive; and

WHEREAS, the County Judge has been heretofore directed to give notice of the intention of the Commissioners Court to refund said warrants, as required by Article 2368a, Vernon's Civil Statutes, as amended; and

WHEREAS, said notice was duly given by publication of said notice of intention to refund said warrants in a newspaper of general circulation published in said County, and which notice was published once a week for three consecutive weeks, the date of first publication thereof being at least thirty (30) days prior to July 8, 1957, the date set for the passage of the order authorizing the issuance of the refunding bonds; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court affirmatively finds that no petition was presented to the court to submit the question as to the issuance of said refunding bonds for such purpose to a referendum vote; and

WHEREAS, it is now in order that the Commissioners Court proceed with the issuance of said refunding bonds;

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

I.

That the bonds of said County of Johnson, to be known as JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES OF 1957, be issued under and in strict conformity with the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, in the principal sum of Eighty Thousand (\$80,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of canceling, refunding and in lieu of a like amount of outstanding warrants hereinabove described.

II.

That said bonds shall be numbered consecutively from 1 to 80, inclusive, and shall be of the denomination of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars each, aggregating Eighty Thousand (\$80,000.00) dollars.

III.

That said bonds shall bear interest from date until paid at the rate of three and one-half (3½%) per cent per annum, interest payable July 15, 1958, and semi-annually thereafter on January 15th, and July 15th, in each year; that principal of and interest on said bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America upon presentation and surrender of bonds or proper coupons at the Mercantile National Bank at Dallas, Texas, without exchange or collection charges to the owner or holder.

IV.

That said bonds shall be dated July 15, 1957, and shall become due and payable as follows:

BOND NUMBERS (Inclusive)	MATURITY DATES	AMOUNTS
1 - 5	July 15, 1959	\$ 5,000
6 - 10	July 15, 1960	5,000
11 - 15	July 15, 1961	5,000
16 - 20	July 15, 1962	5,000
21 - 30	July 15, 1963	10,000
31 - 40	July 15, 1964	10,000
41 - 55	July 15, 1965	15,000
56 - 80	July 15, 1966	25,000

The Commissioners Court hereby affirmatively adjudges and decrees that the financial condition of said County will not permit the issuance of said refunding bonds in such installments as will make the burden of taxation to support the same approximately uniform throughout the term of said bond issue, save and except as said object is accomplished by the schedule of maturities hereinabove set out, which maturities are hereby found to be necessitated by the financial condition of said county.

V,

That the form of said bonds shall be substantially as follows: No. \_\_\_\_\_ \$1,000

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BOND, SERIES OF 1957

THE COUNTY OF JOHNSON, a duly organized and existing political subdivision of the State of Texas, acknowledges itself indebted to, and FOR VALUE RECEIVED, hereby promises to pay to bearer the sum of



## ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

(\$1,000.00), in lawful money of the United States of America, on the 15th day of July 19\_\_\_\_, with interest thereon from date hereof at the rate of three and one-half (3½%) per cent per annum, interest payable July 15, 1958, and semi-annually thereafter on January 15th and July 15th in each year, as evidenced by proper coupons attached hereto, until the principal sum shall be paid.

BOTH PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST of this bond are payable at the Mercantile National Bank at Dallas, Dallas, Texas, without exchange or collection charges to the owner or holder.

THIS BOND is one of a series of eighty (80) bonds, numbered consecutively from one (1) to eighty (80), inclusive, of the denomination of One thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars each, aggregating eighty thousand (\$80,000.00) dollars, issued for the purpose of refunding, canceling and in lieu of a like par amount of outstanding indebtedness of Johnson County, Texas, chargeable against its Road and Bridge Fund; and this bond, and the series of which it is a part, is issued in strict conformity with the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and in pursuance of an order duly passed by the Commissioners court of Johnson County, Texas, which order is duly recorded in the Minutes of said Court.

The date of this bond, in conformity with the order above referred to, is July 15, 1957.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, RECITED AND REPRESENTED that all acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, and the series of which it is a part, in order to make them legal, valid and binding obligations of said County, have been done, have happened and been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law; that the faith and credit of said county are hereby irrevocably pledged for the prompt payment of the principal of and interest on these bonds at maturity; that due provisions have been made for levying and collecting annually by taxation an amount sufficient to pay the interest on these bonds as it falls due and to provide a sinking fund for the final redemption of said bonds at maturity; and that the issue of bonds of which this is one, together with all other indebtedness of said county, is within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas.

IN ADDITION TO all other rights, the holder or holders of this bond, and of the series of which it is a part, is and are subrogated to all the rights and has and have all of the remedies of the holders of the original indebtedness refunded by this issue of bonds.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, has caused the seal of said court to be affixed hereto, and this bond and its appurtenant coupons to be executed with the imprinted facsimile signatures of the County Judge and County Clerk, and to evidence the registration of this bond by the County Treasurer the facsimile signature of the County Treasurer has been imprinted hereon, in accordance with the provisions of Article 717j, Vernon's Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Judge, Johnson County, Texas

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk, Johnson County, Texas

REGISTERED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Treasurer, Johnson County, Texas

VI.

That the form of interest coupons to be attached to each of said bonds shall be substantially as follows:

NO. \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

ON THE 15TH DAY OF

19\_\_\_\_.

THE COUNTY OF JOHNSON, in the State of Texas, hereby promises to pay to bearer, in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Mercantile National Bank at Dallas, Dallas, Texas, without exchange or collection charges to the owner or holder, the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ (\$\_\_\_\_) Dollars, being \_\_\_\_\_ months' interest then due on JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BOND, SERIES OF 1957, dated July 15, 1957, No. \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Judge

VII.

That substantially the following certificate shall be printed on the back of each bond:

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER  
STATE OF TEXAS

REGISTER NO. \_\_\_\_

I HEREBY CERTIFY that there is on file and of record in my office a certificate of the Attorney General of the State of Texas to the effect that this bond has been examined by him as required by law and that he finds that it has been issued in conformity with the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and that it is a valid and binding obligation upon said Johnson County, Texas, and said bond has this day been registered by me.

WITNESS MY HAND and seal of office at Austin, Texas, this \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Comptroller of Public Accounts of the  
State of Texas.

VIII.

That said bonds and interest coupons appurtenant thereto shall be executed by the imprinted facsimile signatures of the County Judge and County Clerk of Johnson County, with the seal of the Commissioners Court affixed, and execution in such manner shall have the same effect as if such bonds and coupons had been signed by the County Judge and County Clerk in person by their manual signatures; that each of said bonds shall be registered by the County Treasurer, and to evidence such registration, the facsimile signature of the County Treasurer shall be imprinted on each of said bonds and shall have the same effect as if such bonds had been signed in person and by the manual signature of the County Treasurer. Inasmuch as such bonds are required to be registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, only his signature, or that of a deputy designated in writing to act for the Comptroller, shall be required to be manually subscribed to such bonds in connection with his registration certificate to appear thereon as above provided, all in accordance with the provisions of Article 717j, Vernon's Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

IX.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, that while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding and unpaid, there shall be, and it is hereby ordered that there be levied, assessed and collected in due time, form and manner a tax upon each \$100.00 valuation of all taxable property in Johnson County, Texas, out of the Constitutional Road and Bridge Tax of said County sufficient to pay the current interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal at maturity, and there is hereby levied for the year 1957 out of the Constitutional Road and Bridge Tax of said County, a sufficient tax on each \$100.00 valuation of taxable property in said County, and the same shall be assessed and collected and applied to the purpose named; and while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding and unpaid, a tax for each year at a rate from year to year, as will be ample and sufficient to provide funds to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide the necessary sinking fund to pay the principal, full allowance being made for delinquencies and costs of collection, or to provide at least two (2%) per cent of the principal as a sinking

fund, whichever amount is greater, shall be, and is hereby levied for each year, respectively, while said bonds, or any of them, are outstanding and unpaid, and said tax shall be assessed and collected and applied to the payment of the interest on and principal of said bonds.

X.

That all moneys in the sinking fund and all taxes heretofore levied or in process of collection for the benefit of the warrants being refunded by said refunding bonds, shall be, and the same are hereby appropriated and transferred to the benefit of said refunding bonds.

XI.

That the County Judge of Johnson County shall be and he is hereby authorized to take and have charge of all necessary orders and records pertinent to said refunding bonds pending their investigation by the Attorney General, and the County Judge shall also take and have charge and control of the bonds herein authorized pending their approval by the Attorney General and their registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts. The State Comptroller is hereby authorized to accept from McClung & Knickerbocker, or their duly authorized agent, in installments or otherwise, the obligations hereby refunded, and, after cancellation thereof, register a like amount of the bonds herein authorized and deliver same to McClung & Knickerbocker, or their agent.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 8th day of July, 1957.

H.G. Littlefair,  
County Judge

W.M. Coward  
Commissioner Precinct No. 1  
S.W. Evans  
Commissioner Precinct No. 2

J.L. Walters  
Commissioner Precinct No. 3  
M.W. Roland  
Commissioner Precinct No. 4

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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 8th day of July, 1957, authorizing the issuance of JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS, in the maximum amount of \$80,000.00, for the purpose of refunding, canceling and in lieu of a like amount of Johnson County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1956, dated April 1, 1956; said Refunding Bonds to bear interest at a rate not to exceed three and one-half (3½%) per cent per annum, and to mature over a period of years not to exceed fifteen (15) years from their date.

THIS NOTICE is given in pursuance of an order passed by the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, on the 1st day of June, 1957.

(SEAL)

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

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THE STATE OF TEXAS    |  
COUNTY OF JOHN SON    |

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared William Rawland who, after being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the publisher of Cleb. Times Rev., a newspaper of general circulation published in Johnson County, Texas, and that he published a true copy of the NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE REFUNDING BONDS hereto attached in

said paper on the following dates.

June 3, 1957  
June 10, 1957  
June 17, 1957

the date of its first publication being not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date fixed for the passage of the order authorizing the issuance of said refunding bonds.

William Rawland

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me by Wm. Rawland, on this the 18th day of June, 1957.

Peyton Lawson, Notary Public,  
Johnson County, Texas

(SEAL)

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THE STATE OF TEXAS    |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON    |

I, the undersigned authority, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that a tax re-allocation election was held throughout Johnson County, under the provisions of the amendment to Section 9, of Article 8, of the Constitution of Texas, on the 6th day of March, 1954, the rates established by such reallocation election being as follows:

GENERAL FUND . . . . . 30¢  
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND . . . 20¢  
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND . . . . . 25¢  
JURY FUND . . . . . 5¢

I FURTHER CERTIFY that no election has been held in said county on the question of the further re-allocation of County taxes since said 6th day of March, 1954.

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Commissioners Court, this the 8th day of July, 1957.

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

(SEAL)

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THE STATE OF TEXAS    |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON    |

We, the undersigned authorities, do hereby certify that none of the warrants being refunded by the \$80,00 JOHNSON COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES OF 1957, were ever held in or purchased by the sinking fund created for the payments of said warrants; that none of said warrants being refunded are now held in or owned by the sinking fund created for the purpose of paying off or redeeming any of said warrants; that none of said warrants will be taken up and paid for with money from said sinking fund; and that there is no money in said sinking fund with which to pay the principal of any of said warrants.

WE FURTHER CERTIFY that there has never been and there is not now pending any litigation in any wise affecting the validity of said warrants being refunded, nor has there ever been nor is there now pending any litigation affecting the power of the Commissioners Court to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal of and interest on same.

WITNESS OUR HANDS and the seal of the Commissioners Court of Johnson County, Texas, this the 8th day of July, 1957.

Louis B. Lee, County Clerk  
Johnson County, Texas

(SEAL)

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THE STATE OF TEXAS     |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON     |

I, the undersigned, County Treasurer of Johnson County, Texas, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of all indebtedness of said County now outstanding against the Road and Bridge Fund of said County;

I. OUTSTANDING BONDS:

PURPOSE	DATE	INT. RATE	DUE	AMOUNT OUTSTDG.
R & B Refdg.				
Series 1	6-20-1948	3½%	\$17,000 6-20-1958	\$17,000
R & B Refdg.	2- 1-1951	3½%	\$17,000 2- 1-1959	
			18,000 1960	
			15,000 1961	\$50,000
R & B Refdg.	11-15-1952	3½%	\$ 5,000 11-15-1961	
			20,000 1962	\$25,000
R & B Refdg.	7- 1-1955	3½%	\$ 7,000 7- 1-1963	
			8,000 1964	
			10,000 1965	\$25,000

II. OUTSTANDING WARRANTS:

R & B	4- 1-1956	3½%	\$10,000 4- 1-1966/67	
			1,000 1969	
			10,000 1970/75	\$81,000

III. PROPOSED BONDS:

R & B Refdg.	7 -15-1957	3½%	\$ 5,000 7- 15-1959/62	
			10,000 1963/64	
			15,000 1965	
			25,000 1966	\$80,000

WITNESS MY OFFICIAL SIGNATURE, this the 8 day of July, 1957.

Eula L. Higgins, County Treasurer,  
Johnson County, Texas

STATEMENT OF TAXABLE VALUES

THE STATE OF TEXAS     |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON     |

I, the undersigned authority, Tax Assessor-Collector for Johnson County, Texas, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the assessed value of property in said County for the year 1956, as shown by the tax rolls of said County for said year, the same being the last approved tax rolls of Johnson County, Texas, is \$23,469.030.

WITNESS MY HAND and seal of office, this the 8th day of July, 1957.

Dennis McWilliams, Tax Ass'r-Co.

Tax Assessor-Collector, Johnson County, Texas

(SEAL)

By J.P. Seroyer, Deputy

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THE STATE OF TEXAS     |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON     |

On this the 24th day of July, 1957 a special called meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, convened with the following members present, to-wit: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward Commissioner Precinct No. 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner Precinct No. 2,



Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor and Glyndon Hague, County Attorney.

A motion was made by W. M. Coward and seconded by J. L. Walters that the resignation of Mrs. Carlton Bratcher as secretary in the County Attorney's office effective July 21, 1957 be accepted and that Miss Lucille Crook be employed as secretary in the County Attorney's office effective July 22, 1957. The motion carried by all voting aye.

A motion was made by M. W. Roland and seconded by S. W. Evans that Norma Kelley be employed as secretary in the District Attorney's office effective July 1, 1957. The motion carried by all voting aye.

There being no further business the court adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS     |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON     |     AUGUST 1, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas the following members were present: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S.W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M.W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor, Sam Man, Mrs. Forgy, and Ted Martin.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and Seconded by Commissioner Walters, that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid or submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Evans, that, WHEREAS, Johnson County, Texas, has a portion of the surplus in the County and District Road Highway Fund as of Aug. 31, 1957, in the amount of \$41,747.68; the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, hereby request that the Board of County and District Indebtedness refund to Johnson County in the amount of \$41,747.68 which represents Johnson County's portion of the surplus in the County and District Road Highway Fund.

This is to certify that the amount of \$41,747.68 which is to be returned to Johnson County will be placed in the Road & Bridge Fund of Johnson County, Texas to be used for the construction and improvements of County Rural Roads.

All voted aye

A motion made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Coward that public hearing be held on the Johnson County Budget for the year beginning, Jan. 1, 1958, at the Courthouse in Cleburne at 9:00 o'clock A.M., September 17, 1957.

All voted aye

No action on Sec'y in County Agent Office.

A motion made by Commissioner Walters and Seconded by Commissioner Roland that the plat submitted by Floyd Steakley for Terry Town Sub-Division in a part of the John B. Kerr Survey be approved.

All voted aye

A motion made by Commissioner Walters and Seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the plat submitted by Scott McDonald, for McDonald Sub-division in a part of Jose Fermin Salas Survey be approved.

All voted aye

A motion made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans, that the Quarterly report of the County Treasurer ending June 30, 1957, be approved as presented and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the Salary of Winnie Faye Gibson be increased to \$200.00 per month effective August 1st, 1957.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court adjourned.

ATTEST

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

AUGUST 12, 1957

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE it remembered at a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas the following members were present: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M.W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, Judge John A. James and Noel Wofford.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Roland that all just and due bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid when properly endorsed, as submitted.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the Resignation of Powell as Janitor at the Courthouse effective August 1st, 1957, be accepted and that A.P. Permenter be employed as Janitor at the Courthouse effective August 1, 1957, salary same.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters that the monthly financial report of the Johnson County Memorial Hospital for the month of July, 1957 be approved as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

Texas Highway Department

Right of Way Division

Form D-15-CS-2

Sheet 1 of 5

#### CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT

FOR

RIGHT OF WAY PROCUREMENT

(COUNTY FORM)

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY Johnson

COUNTY OF TRAVIS

PROJECT: R.W.-260-1-14

ACCT. NO. - -

HIGHWAY U.S. 67

This agreement entered into this 6th day of August, 1957 by and between the State of Texas, acting by and through the Texas Highway Department, hereinafter called the State and Johnson Co., Texas, acting by and through its duly authorized officers under Commissioner's Court order dated 24 day of July, 1957, hereinafter called the County.

WHEREAS, the State has deemed it necessary to make certain highway improvements in conjunction with Highway No. U.S. 67 located between a point approx. 1500' West of M.K. & T. R. R. and a Point 1 mile East of Alvarado, and which section of Highway improvements will necessitate the acquisition of certain right of way, and

WHEREAS, it is agreed that such right of way purchase shall be by joint effort of the State and the County;

NOW, THEREFORE be it AGREED that acquisition of such right of way shall be in accordance with

Highway Commission Minute Order No. 42113 dated May 31, 1957. The State hereby authorizes and requests the county to proceed with acquisition and the State agrees to reimburse the County for its share of the cost of such right of way providing such acquisition and reimbursement is accomplished according to the provisions outlined herein and agreed to by both parties hereto.

LOCATION SURVEYS AND PREPARATION OF RIGHT OF WAY DATA: The state, without cost to the County will do the necessary preliminary engineering and title search in order to supply to the County the data and deed instruments required for right of way purchase.

DETERMINATION OF RIGHT OF WAY VALUES: The County agrees to make a determination of property values for each right of way parcel by methods acceptable to the County and to submit to the State's District Office a tabulation of the values so determined, signed by the appropriate County representative. Such tabulation shall list the parcel numbers, ownership, acreage and recommended compensation. Compensation shall be shown in the component parts of land taken, itemization of improvements taken, and (if a partial taking) damages to the remainder. This tabulation shall be accompanied by an explanation to support the determined values, together with copy of information or reports used in arriving at determined values. Such work will be performed by the County at its expense without cost participation by the State. The State will review the data submitted and may base its reimbursement on the values as determined by this review. The state, however, reserves the right to perform at its own expense any additional investigation deemed necessary, including supplemental appraisal work by State employees or by employment of fee appraisers, all as may be necessary for determination of values to constitute the basis for State reimbursement.

If at any stage of the project development it is determined by mutual agreement between the County and the State that there should be waived the requirement that the county submit to the State property value determinations for any part or all of the required right of way, the State will make appropriate written notice to the County of such waiver, such notice to be acknowledged in writing by the County. In instances of such waiver, the State by its due processes and at its own expense will make a determination of values to constitute the basis for State reimbursement.

NEGOTIATIONS: The state will notify the county as soon as possible as to the State's determination of value. Negotiation and settlement with the property owner will be the responsibility of the county without participation by the State. The County will deliver properly executed deeds with title in the name of the state Supported by an acceptable Title Insurance Policy for each right of way parcel involved. The costs incidental to such negotiation and the costs of recording of the right of way instruments will be the responsibility of the County. The cost of Title Insurance will be the responsibility of the State.

CONDEMNATION: Condemnation proceedings will be initiated at the election of the County and will be the County's responsibility at its own expense. Eligibility for State reimbursement of values determined by such condemnation proceedings shall be subject to the conditions as hereinafter outlined under the section titled "Reimbursement".

DISPOSAL OF IMPROVEMENTS: It is agreed that the State's participation in the cost of improvements will be based upon approved values. The disposition of improvements may be in accordance with State Highway Department Administrative Order 8-57, a copy of which is attached hereto and marked Exhibit "A", In the event the improvements are not disposed of in accordance with Administrative Order 8-57, the State shall dispose of said improvements by competitive bids. Such revenue derived from the disposition of any improvements will be credited to the cost of the right of way procured.

RELOCATION OF UTILITIES: If the required right of way to be acquired for its project encroaches

upon an existing utility located upon its own right of way acquired for utility purposes, the State will participate with the County in the cost of the necessary adjustment, removal or relocation of the utility. The State's participation shall be limited to the cost of making such changes in the utility after deducting any resulting increase in the value of the new utility and any salvage value derived from the old utility. Such utility relocation costs will be an appropriate item of right of way cost. the adjustment, removal or relocation of any utility line on publicly owned right of way by sufferance or permit will not be eligible for State reimbursement.

The term "utility" shall include publicly, privately and cooperatively owned utilities.

#### FENCES AND FENCING:

When right of way values are determined, damages to existing fences or the need for replacement or new fences will not be considered and included in the compensation due the property owner. This is based upon the agreement that the County will construct all fences as are required due to the right of way taking at no cost to the property owner. The State will participate in the amount of 50 per cent of the cost of required fencing performed by the County on an actual cost basis less value of any salvage fencing material, and exclusive of any overhead costs of the county. The county in billing the State for fencing will attach an itemized estimate supported by a certificate to this effect. Such fencing work shall be considered an appropriate item of right of way cost.

REIMBURSEMENT: The State will reimburse the County after March 1, 1958, in an amount not to exceed 50% of the cost of the right of way acquired in accordance with the terms and provisions of this agreement. The State's reimbursement will be in the amount of 50% of the State's predetermined value of each parcel, or the net cost thereof, whichever is the lesser amount. If condemnation is necessary the participation by the State shall be based on the final judgment, conditioned that the State has been notified in writing prior to the filing of such suit and prompt notice is also given as to all action taken therein. The State shall have the right to become a party to the suit at any time for all purposes, including the right of appeal at any stage of the proceedings. All other items of cost shall be borne by the State and the County as provided by other provisions of this agreement.

GENERAL: It is understood that the terms of this agreement shall apply only to right of way authorized and requested by the Texas Highway Department which is needed and not yet dedicated, in use, or previously acquired in the name of the State or County for Highway, Street, or road purposes.

It is further understood that if unusual circumstances develop in the right of way acquisition which are not clearly covered by the terms of this agreement, such unusual circumstances or problems will be resolved by mutual agreement between the State and the County/

COMMISSIONERS COURT OF  
JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS

BY: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge  
By: W.M. Coward, Commissioner, Precinct Number 1  
By: S.W. Evans, Commissioner, Precinct Number 2  
By: J.L. Walters, Commissioner, Precinct Number 3  
By: M.W. Roland, Commissioner, Precinct Number 4

#### RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:

R.A. Bossy, District Engineer  
P.C. Goode, Program Engineer  
T.S. Huffer, Engineer of Road Design (CSK)  
A.H. Christian, Right of Way Engineer  
Certified as being executed for the purpose and effect of activating and/or carrying out the orders, established policies, or work program heretofore approved and authorized by the State Highway Commission:

By: D.C. Greer, Executed as State Highway Engineer  
and approved for State Highway Commission.

There being no further business, court is hereby adjourned.

ATTEST: Louis B. Lee  
County Clerk

COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON

SEPTEMBER 3, 1957.

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, S.W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters that all proper bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as presented and endorsed. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Coward that Noel Wofford be appointed Adult Probation Officer for Johnson County, effective September 1st, 1957, to August 31st, 1958, at an additional salary of \$50.00 per month. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Roland that Mrs. Illene Beckham be appointed Deputy in the County Tax Assessor-Collector Office at a salary of \$208.17 per month, effective August 1st, 1957. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Roland that the resignation of Mrs. Juanice Boyd as Assistant Home Demonstration Agent be accepted, effective September 1st, 1957. All voted aye.

Following is the Farm-to-Market road program recommended by the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, for the year 1957-58.

1. From Godley north to Tarrant County line. . . . . 6 miles
2. From F. M. 110 (Liberty Chapel) to old U. S. 81 via (Greenfield Community). . . . . 7 miles

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON

SEPTEMBER 9, 1957.

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge, W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner Precinct 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward that all proper bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as presented and endorsed. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the Hospital Report for August, 1957, be approved. All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the assessing of taxes shall be by notice by mail in lieu of personal contact by field assessors



other than the business areas for the tax year 1958. All voted aye.

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

SEPTEMBER 12, 1957

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED AT A SPECIAL MEETING, of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, S.W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, M.W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A special called meeting of the Court to consider the County Budget for the year 1958, setting the Tax rate, and such other business as may properly come before the Court. The Public having been previously notified of such meeting and the purpose of the meeting. The proposed Budget was read in open court by County Judge Littlefair, and carefully considered by the court and adopted as presented and prepared by County Auditor Epperson, motion to adopt Budget was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans.

All voted aye

Jury	.05
General	.40
Road and Bridge	.25
Road and Bridge Special	.10
Courthouse and Jail	.10
Right of Way	.05
Hospital	.10
Fire District	.03
Lateral Road	.30
TOTAL	\$1.38

A Motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that 10% increase of care license as passed by Legislature be set aside as a part of right-of-way fund.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

OCTOBER 1, 1957

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H.G. Littlefair, County Judge, W.M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S.W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M.W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J.T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters, that all proper and duly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward that Janice

Barclay Earley be employed as Secretary in the District Attorney's office, effective October 1st, 1957, at salary of \$75.00 per month.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Coward and seconded by Commissioner Walters that the Commissioners' Court authorize Attorney fees in felony cases where pauper oaths are executed, in the amount of \$10.00 per day, when the Attorney actually appears in court, and when the attorney has previously been appointed by the District Judge.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans, that B.B. Ingle, Hunter Pearson, and Miss Johnnie Gordon be reappointed Members of the Johnson County Memorial Hospital Board of managers, each for 2 year terms, effective October 1st, 1957.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
County Clerk

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County Judge

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

October 14, 1957

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were presents: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge; W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that all due and properly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Roland, that the bid of Steakley Bros. Chevrolet Co., "Bid on one (1) 1958 Chevrolet 2 ton truck, 132 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Wheelbase 150 HP engine, Model 6103) 6 cylinder engine.

Total price of truck	\$3,209.45
Less Federal Tax	210.00
Less dealer discount	<u>580.24</u>
Net price	<u>\$2,419.21</u>
Heater & defroster is available for extra	<u>36.00</u>
	\$2,455.51

be accepted.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans, that the financial report for the Johnson County Memorial Hospital for the month of September, 1957 be approved as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
County Clerk

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County Judge

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

November 1, 1957

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were presents: H. G. Littlefair

County Judge, S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters that all bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans that the resignation of R. E. Markus as Deputy Sheriff be accepted effective November 1st, 1957, and that Bob K. Ferguson be appointed Deputy Sheriff effective November 1st, 1957. Salary \$120.00 per month.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walter that Winnie Faye Gibson's Salary be raised from \$200.00 per month to \$217.75 per month, effective November 1st, 1957.

All voted aye.

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
County Clerk

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County Judge

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

NOVEMBER 12, 1957

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge; W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walter and seconded by Commissioner Roland, that all duly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted and examined in open court.

All voted aye

MINUTE ORDER

JOHNSON COUNTY

District No. 2

In JOHNSON COUNTY a FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD is hereby designated extending from State 171 near Godley North, a distance of approximately 5.6 miles, subject to the availability of funds in the Farm-to-Market Road fund as established by Senate Bill 287, 51st Legislature, and subject to the condition that Johnson County will furnish all required right of way clear of obstructions and free of cost to the State.

At such time as the County shall accept the provisions of this Order and agree to the furnishing of the required right of way, the State Highway Engineer is directed to proceed with the engineering development and construction of the project in the most feasible and economical manner, at an estimated cost of \$122,000 and to assume the road for State maintenance upon completion of the construction herein authorized.

This Order is subject to acceptance by the County and if not accepted within 90 days of the date hereof, the action herein contained shall be automatically cancelled.

Minute Number 42843

Date Passed-Oct. 31, 1957

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE PROVISIONS OF  
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION MINUTE ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS       |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON       |

Cleburne, Texas  
November 12, 1957

MOTION was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Roland that the Johnson County Commissioners' Court accept the provisions contained in Minute Order No. 42843 passed by the State Highway Commission on October 31, 1957, for the improvement by the Texas Highway Department of the roads described below and that Johnson County agrees to furnish all required right-of-way free of cost to the State:

From State 171 near Godley, North a distance of  
approximately 5.6 miles.

VOTE on the motion was as follows:

W. M. Coward

M. W. Roland

S. W. Evans

Jimmie L. Walters

WHEREUPON the motion was declared carried.

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
County Clerk

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County Judge

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THE STATE OF TEXAS       |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON       |

December 2, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge; W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4; Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that all bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as Submitted and examined in open Court.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that Mrs. Juanice G. Boyd be employed as Asst. County Home Demonstration Agent, effective December 1st, 1957, at a monthly salary of \$70.00, plus \$50.00 per month expense account.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Coward, that Mrs. Anna Parker be re-appointed Courthouse Matron, and A. P. Permenter and H. H. Bruce, be appointed as Janitor at the courthouse for the year 1958, all salaries to be the same as for 1957.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court adjourned.

Louis B. Lee  
County Clerk

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County Judge

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THE STATE OF TEXAS       |  
COUNTY OF JOHNSON       |

DECEMBER 9, 1957

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas, the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge; W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioners of Precinct No. 3; M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Evans that all proper and duly endorsed bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as submitted.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Walters that the monthly financial report of the Johnson County Memorial Hospital for November, 1957, be approved as submitted.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Evans and seconded by Commissioner Coward that Larry Harmon be allowed \$25.00 per month car expense, effective January 1, 1958.

All voted aye

There being no further business the court ajourned.

Louis B. Lee  
COUNTY CLERK

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COUNTY JUDGE

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

January 2, 1958

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

BE IT REMEMBERED at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court on the above mentioned date at the courthouse in Cleburne, Texas the following members were present: H. G. Littlefair, County Judge; W. M. Coward, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1; S. W. Evans, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; Jimmie L. Walters, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, M. W. Roland, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, Louis B. Lee, County Clerk, and J. T. Epperson, Jr., County Auditor.

A motion was made by Commissioner Roland and seconded by Commissioner Evans, that all bills against Johnson County be paid as submitted and properly endorsed.

All voted aye

A motion was made by Commissioner Walters and seconded by Commissioner Roland that the appointment of J. T. Epperson, Jr., as County Auditor and Mrs. Lorene Moreland and Assistant County Auditor be hereby ratified, and that the bond of J. T. Epperson, Jr., in the amount of Five thousand and no/100 dollars (\$5,000.00) be approved.

All voted aye

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

On this the 30th day of December, A.D., 1957, the undersigned, District Judge of the 18th Judicial District of Texas, which district includes Johnson County, hereby appoints J. T. Epperson, Jr., as County Auditor of Johnson County, Texas, for the biennial term beginning January 1, 1958, and ending December 31st, 1959.

It is further ordered that his salary shall be in the amount of \$5322.00 dollars per year, payable in equal monthly installments.

It is further ordered that this action shall be recorded in the Minutes of the District Court of Johnson County, Texas, and the District Clerk of Johnson County, Texas, is hereby directed to Certify the same to the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County, Texas, and said Commissioners' Court shall cause the same to be recorded in its minutes.

John A. James, Jr., Judge, 18th Judicial  
District of Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JOHNSON

I, Lillian Ashcraft, Clerk of the District Court in and for said County and State, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Order appointing the County Auditor of Johnson County, Texas which Order is duly entered in the Minutes of the District Court in Johnson County, Texas.