JOHNSON COUNTY



ROGER HARMON JOHNSON COUNTY JUDGE

#2 Main St.-Johnson County Courthouse Cleburne, Texas 76033 SANDY SIMS ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

JOHNSON COUNTY STATE OF TEXAS

PROCLAMATION

Antique Alley & Yard Sale Weekends

WHEREAS,	The Antique Alley & Yard Sale began in September of 1999 between downtown Cleburne and downtown Grandview via. E. FM 4; and
WHEREAS,	the Greater Cleburne and Grandview Chambers of Commerce support the event; and
WHEREAS,	community volunteers organize and promote the event; and
WHEREAS,	event sponsors include all registered participants and the Greater Grandview Chamber of Commerce; and
WHEREAS,	the impact of the event is wide ranging directly affecting tourism and commerce; and
WHEREAS,	the event brings more traffic to Cleburne and Grandview; and
WHEREAS,	during the event, tourists take time to see what each town has to offer; and
WHEREAS,	visitors patronize hotels, motels, restaurants, service stations, grocery, retail and department stores during the event; and
WHEREAS,	the traffic count is heavier on E. FM 4 during the event than any other time of the year taking roughly one hour or longer to travel fifteen miles

during busy periods; and

- WHEREAS, a large amount of traffic during the event is out of town visitors; and
- WHEREAS, the Johnson County Sheriff's Department Reserves patrol the event causing drivers to slow down and practice safe driving; and
- WHEREAS, the Texas Department of Transportation erects signs at each end of the event cautioning drivers; and
- WHEREAS, the goal of the Antique Alley & Yard Sale Volunteer Committee is to involve property owners, businesses, schools, churches, other non-profit organizations, law enforcement, tourism agencies, city and county governments in all aspects of the event and establish an atmosphere that supports tourism and community events.
- NOW THEREFORE, I, Roger Harmon, County Judge of Johnson County, and we the Commissioners of the four precincts of Johnson County, do hereby proclaim April 19-21, 2002 and September 20-22, 2002 as Antique Alley & Yard Sale Weekends in Johnson County, Texas.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereto set my hand and cause the Seal of Johnson County, Texas to be affixed on this the 25th day of March 2002.

Roger Harmon, Johnson County Judge

R.C. McFall, Commissioner Pct. #1

Ron Harmon, Commissioner Pct. #2

Mark C. Carpenter, Commissioner Pct. #3

Troy Thompson, Commissioner Pct. #4

ATTEST:

Curtis H. Douglas, County Clerk

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