BE IT REMEMBERED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT in and for Johnson County, Texas, on the above mentioned date at the Courthouse at Cleburne, Texas, with the following members present: Thomas E. Ball, County Judge, C. W. Atwood, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, O. B. Hadley, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, W. I. Boteler, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, B. Aldridge, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4 and Joe L. Townes, County Clerk.

County Auditor, Gordon Parks, presented the County Financial Report.

Stated cash balance of all funds as of December 31, 1970 is \$284,169.86. Time

Deposit \$159,200.00. Estimated cash balance for 1971 is \$163,026.89. Total

receipts for 1971 will be \$26,000.00 more than 1970. Employee's payroll for

1971 was presented also. Yearly car and grocery expenses for the Sheriff's

Department was presented. Lateral Road Funds for year ending December 31, 1970

was presented - disbursements and balance.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Hadley to amend budget of County Attorney from \$1.75 per hour to \$2.00 per hour for extra help.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Boteler and seconded by Commissioner Aldridge to pay Juvenile Officer additional \$150.00 per month on salary from \$450.00 to \$600.00.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Boteler and seconded by Commissioner Aldridge to increase salary of Shirley King, Secretary to Adult Probation Officer, from \$250.00 to \$300.00 per month, effective January 1, 1971.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Hadley and seconded by Commissioner Boteler to pay \$18.00 for personal cards for Sheriff Cliff Benson.

All voted aye.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Wallace, on behalf of the Johnson county

Association for Retarded children, requested dirt fill work on proposed

building site. This was referred to County Attorney for legal opinion and

Commissioners for an on-sight study. Report to be had at next regular meeting in February, 1971.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Hadley to approve all bonds, except Mrs. Mabel Massey, County Treasurer.

All voted aye.

Mr. Lizbey and Mr. Padgett presented Plat of Valley View Acres Addition. They were instructed by the Court to have Plat signed by Tarrant County with legal description (upper left hand corner) and reduced to 9 % x 15 % for recording purposes.

A motion was made by commissioner Boteler and seconded by Commissioner Atwood that all bills against Johnson County be allowed and ordered paid as subscribed and examined in open court and properly endorsed.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Boteler and seconded by Commissioner Atwood to amend budget of County Tax-Assessor-Collector to add \$11,000.00 for 1971. \$600.00 per month for Appraiser, \$50.00 Car Expense and \$250.00 per month Secretary.

All voted aye.

Dennis McWilliams, Tax Collector & Assessor, notified Court he would close all car license sub-stations except Burleson and Alvarado. Also reported that weight of license plates require that they be moved to the courthouse basement or elsewhere. Court took this under advisement.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Hadley to increase bond of County Treasurer, Mrs. Mabel Massey, from \$8,000.00 to \$15,000.00.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Boteler to increase bond of County Tax Assessor-Collector form \$35,000.00 to \$50,000.00.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Boteler and seconded by Commissioner Atwood to increase extra help fund by \$400.00 for the County Attorney, effective January 1, 1971.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Aldridge to bond Gail Allen and Deann Whitehead, Secretaries to County Attorney's Office, for \$2,500.00 each.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Hadley and seconded by Commissioner Boteler to bond Mrs. E. E. Woodrow, Office Deputy Sheriff, for \$1,000.00 (Surety Bond).

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Boteler and seconded by Commissioner Aldridge to bond Louis Moon, Juvenile Officer, payable to County Judge (surety bond), for \$1,000.00.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Aldridge to pay Glenn Mitchell \$200.00 per month for right-of-way work, effective January 15, 1971.

All voted aye.

Bids to remodel Third Floor of Courthouse were referred for further study. No action taken.

Pursuant to request of Commissioners' Court the Auditor made the following reports:

County Attorney's Report Johnson County Memorial Hospital Report Child Welfare Report, and

Sheriff's Department, 1970.

Auto Repairs	\$2,018.68
Tires	418.81
Gas & Oil	6,114.76
Groceries	6,281.13
Cost of Car 1970 Plymouth, which was w	recked 2,641.98

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Hadley with motion passing unanimously the Commissioners' Court of Johnson County hereby authorizes the Commissioner shown below to use County employees and equipment to construct and/or maintain a private road within his precinct as shown below, as authorized by Article 6821b, Texas Statutes, to-wit:

PERSON REQUESTING WORK	DESCRIPTION OF WORK AND LOCATION OF JOB	COMMISSIONER AUTHORIZED TO DO THE WORK
Walter Jones	Blade driveway-CR #108	Prec. No. 4
Wesley Gatlin	Gravel Driveway-Off County RD #301	Prec. No. 4

W. D. Skiler

Haul some gravel to stop Prec. No. 4
Water from running into Church
House at Eastern Heights Baptist
503 George St.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Boteler and seconded by Commissioner Aldridge to appoint A. J. Lambert, Joshua, and Johnny Chapman, Grandview, as Rural Fire Commissioners.

All voted aye.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Boteler to send Louis Moon to State Civil Defense Conference January 21, and 22, 1971, and pay all expenses.

All voted aye.

Sheriff Benson appeared requesting hiring Lover Fantroy as a Deputy Sheriff at \$450.00 month and Dub Osborn as Extra Deputy at \$200.00 per month. This was passed by the court - no action taken.

A motion was made by Commissioner Atwood and seconded by Commissioner Hadley to pay for 1971 Plymouth Car for Sheriff's Department in amount of \$3,375.00 and to keep old 1967 Plymouth.

All voted aye.

There being no further business, Court is hereby adjourned.

COUNTY CLERK COUNTY JUDGE

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