

TYLER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT
SPECIAL MEETING
AUGUST 18, 1995 --- 8:30 A.M.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF TYLER ON THIS THE 18TH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D.1995

the Commissioners' Court in and for Tyler County, Texas convened in a Special Meeting at the Commissioners' Courtroom in Woodville, Texas, the following members of the Court present, to wit:

JEROME OWENS	COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding
MAXIE RILEY	COMMISSIONER, PCT.#1
PETE BARNES	COMMISSIONER, PCT.#2
JERRY MAHAN	COMMISSIONER, PCT.#3
HENRY EARL SAWYER	COMMISSIONER, PCT.#4
DEAN RIVERS	DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK, Ex-Officio

the following were absent: none thereby constituting a quorum. In addition to the above were:

JOYCE MOORE COUNTY AUDITOR

Minutes were not available, therefore approval was tabled.

A motion was made by Commissioner Riley and seconded by Commissioner Sawyer to approve payment of the bills as submitted by the County Auditor. All others voted yes and none no. SEE ATTACHED GENERAL DISTRIBUTION LEDGER.

Steve Bird and Jeff McCrea presented a report of the delinquent tax collections. Mr. Bird stated there had been problems with computer tape conversions from BRC; they had spent the summer cleaning up old pending law suits; were still exploring the "X" numbers on the system; had filed tax suits and taken judgments; and, collected a total of \$313,443, a 23% increase from the prior year. Jeff added that there had been three tax sales. They anticipate initiating more lawsuits and judgements, now they have done some "cleaning up". Commissioner Riley motioned to accept the report. Commissioner Sawyer seconded the motion. All voted yes and none no. SEE ATTACHED REPORT.

Judge Owens made the Court aware of additional fees that could be assessed, such as a child safety fund fee. A motion was made by Commissioner Mahan and seconded by Commissioner Riley to keep Road & Bridge Fees as is, without additional fees. All voted yes and none no.

Commenting the great job Commissioner Mahan had been doing, Commissioner Riley motioned to nominate Jerry Mahan for the ensuing term, by resolution, to the Tyler County Tax Appraisal Board of Directors. Commissioner Sawyer seconded the motion. All voted yes and none no. SEE ATTACHED RESOLUTION.

A motion was made by Commissioner Sawyer to sell the bull dozer on a "where is/ as is" sale to the highest bidder, J.R. Equipment of Corrigan, in the amount of \$16,750. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Riley. All voted yes and none no. SEE ATTACHED BID.

A motion was made by Commissioner Barnes and seconded by Commissioner Mahan to appoint David Tate, replacing Mike Burrows, to the Rural Fire Prevention District #3. All voted yes and none no. (C)

Commissioner Riley motioned to approve the line-item transfer from the budget of the Juvenile Probation Department, as presented by the County Auditor. Commissioner Mahan seconded the motion. All voted yes and none no. SEE ATTACHED LINE-ITEM TRANSFERS.

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Commissioner Riley motioned to approve the \$10 fee to be charged for processing records for persons registering for hand guns, as recommended by Sheriff Hennigan. And, further tabling action of the Brady Bill for further recommendation. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Mahan. All voted yes and none no.

Being that Donece Gregory wishes not to serve at this time, a motion was made by Commissioner Mahan to approve the nomination of Maxie Riley to continue to serve another year on the Regional Aging Advisory Council. Commissioner Sawyer seconded the motion. All voted yes and none no.

Commissioner Riley motioned the meeting adjourned. Commissioner Mahan seconded the motion.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING ADJOURNED.

SIGNED: *Jerome Owens* Jerome Owens, County Judge
Maxie L. Riley Maxie L. Riley, Comm. Pct. #1
A. M. Barnes A. M. Barnes, Comm. Pct. #2
Jerry Mahan Jerry Mahan, Comm. Pct. #3
Henry Earl Sawyer Henry Earl Sawyer, Comm. Pct. #4
ATTEST: *Dean Rivers* Dean Rivers, Deputy County Clerk