

TYLER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT  
REGULAR MEETING  
JUNE 16, 2014—8:30 a.m.

THE STATE OF TEXAS ON THIS THE 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2014 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:

JACQUES L. BLANCHETTE	COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding
MARTIN NASH	COMMISSIONER, PCT. #1
RUSTY HUGHES	COMMISSIONER, PCT. #2
MIKE MARSHALL	COMMISSIONER, PCT. #3
JACK WALSTON	COMMISSIONER, PCT. #4
DONECE GREGORY	COUNTY CLERK, Ex-Officio

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

JACKIE SKINNER	COUNTY AUDITOR
BRYAN WEATHERFORD	SHERIFF
JOE SMITH	CRIMINAL DIST. ATTORNEY

Sheriff Weatherford reported to the court that Dr Swearingen is incapacitated at this time; not able to fulfill his duties as the **county health officer** for inmates. Joe Smith advised to authorize the Sheriff to contact the Fred clinic or other options, due to the tremendous amount of liability concerning inmates. **Commissioner Marshall** motioned to authorize the Sheriff to seek out an **interim physician to diagnose and treat medical needs of county inmates**. The motion was seconded by **Commissioner Hughes**. All voted yes and none no. Deputy Sturrock will report their findings at the next commissioners' court meeting.

Judge Blanchette reported a request from German Pellets for additional **tax abatements** in the construction phase, as well as completed facility status of a proposed sawmill plant. Frank Messina, attorney representing the county, did not agree with some of the requests. Joe Smith agreed. No motions were made; therefore, no action was taken. Commissioner Nash commented that he did not want to abate property that had less than 10 years of value; that he did not have a problem with abatement during new construction. Judge Blanchette explained the "snapshot" taken by the Tax Appraisal District that starts the "clock" of taxation.

Executive session was not held.

A motion was made by Commissioner Nash and seconded by Commissioner Walston for the meeting to adjourn. All voted yes and none no.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING ADJOURNED: 9:00 a.m.

I, DONECE GREGORY, County Clerk and ex officio member of the Tyler Commissioners Court, do hereby certify to the fact that the above is a true and correct record of the Tyler County Commissioners Court session held on June 16, 2014.

Witness my hand and seal of office on this the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2014.

Attest:   
Donece Gregory, County Clerk, Tyler County, Texas

