

The State of Texas,

County of Sabine. On this the 21st day of March, A. D. 1921, the Commissioners Court of Sabine County, Texas, convened in special session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Court house at Hemphill, Sabine County, Texas, all members of the Court to-wit:

W. C. Arnold.	County Judge.
J. A. Regan.	Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.
Jerry Ball.	Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.
S. H. Hall	Commissioner of Precinct No. 3.
A. T. Matthews.	Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

being present came on to be considered the petition of J. W. Mitchell and 31 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by "Road District No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, in the sum of \$70,000.00, bearing five and one half per cent rate of interest, maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date hereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, gravelled or paved road and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and,

It appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by a majority of the resident property tax paying voters of said Road District, No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, and,

It further appearing that the amount of bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Road District No. 1, Sabine County, Texas, and,

It further appearing that said Road District No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, has been duly established by an order of the Commissioners Court of Sabine County, dated, the 21st day of March, A. D. 1921, of record in Book "L" pages 465, of the Minutes of said Court, and the boundaries thereof are herein described as described and defined in the order of the Commissioners Court establishing such district, as follows, to-wit:

Beginning in Sabine County, Texas, at the southeast corner of Sabine County, same being the Northeast corner of Newton County, Texas, at a point on the west bank of Sabine River. Thence westerly with the line between Sabine and Newton Counties to a point where said line crosses the west boundary line of the M. W. Anthony Pre-emption survey. Thence North 25 west with M. W. Anthony's west line to the Northwest corner of said survey on the south line of the Theo Koester survey, No. 6. Thence North 63 east to the Southeast corner of said Koester survey. Thence North 27 west with the east line of said Koester survey, No. 6, and the east line of the G. H. & S. A. R. R. Co. survey No. 6, same being the west lines of the C. L. Love and S. L. Dainwood surveys to the S. Boundary line of the Aurelia Russell league. Thence S. 63 W. with the south boundary line of said Aurelia Russell

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Thence, N. 27 west with the west lines of said Aurelia Russell League and the A. W. Canfield league to the Northwest corner of said A. W. Canfield league. Thence south 63 west with the S. boundary line of the Henry Canfield league to its S. W. corner. Thence North 27 west with the west line of said Henry Canfield league to its northwest corner. Thence North 63 east with the North line of said Henry Canfield league to the southwest corner of the Robert Russell 1/4 league. Thence North 27 west with the west line of said Robert Russell 1/4 league 728, vrs. to the North west corner of a 239-1/2 acre subdivision of said Robert Russell survey. Thence N 62-1/2 E. with the North line of said 239-1/2 acre subdivision to Six Mile Creek. Thence down the Six Mile creek in a south easterly direction with the meanders of said creek to the S. W. corner of the A. C. Ball 160 acre Pre-emption. Thence N. 66 E. with the S. line of the A. C. Ball Pre-emption to its S. E. corner. Thence N. 24 west with the east line of the A. C. Ball Pre-emption to its N. E. corner. Thence N. 66 E. with the South line of the W. G. Edgar Pre-emption to the S. E. corner of said W. G. L. Edgar, Pre-emption. Thence N 24 west with the east line of the W. G. Edgar Pre-emption to its N. E. corner on the west line of the John S. Chiveral survey. Thence N 25 west with the west boundary line of the John S. Chiveral survey, to its N. W. corner on the south boundary line of the G. L. Bourland league. Thence N. 64 east with the N. line of the John S. Chiveral survey and the S. line of the G. L. Bourland league to the Housen Bayou. Thence down the Housen Bayou with its meanders to the mouth of Sulphur sleigh. Thence up the Sulphur Sleugh in a southerly direction to where said Sleugh crosses the N. line of the E. M. Carlton 640 acre survey. Thence N 67-1/2 E. with the N. line of the E. M. Carlton 640 acre survey to its N. E. corner. Thence south 25 East with said E. M. Carlton's east boundary line to the North line of the Henry Canfield League. Thence N 67-1/2 E. with the N. line of the Henry Canfield League to its N. E. corner on the west bank of Sabine River. Thence down the Sabine River with its meanderings to the place of beginning, at the southeast corner of Sabine County, and being the same description of said territory as given in said petition; and,

It further appearing that said District does not embrace any part of a political subdivision or defined road District, that has been heretofore established and has issued bonds which are now outstanding and unpaid;

IT IS THEREFORE CONSIDERED AND ORDERED by the Court that an election be held in said Road District No. 1. of Sabine County, Texas, on the 23rd day of April A. D. 1921, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of \$70,000.00, bearing five and one half per cent rate of interest and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from the date hereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Read District No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Articles 627 to 641, inclusive, of Chapter 2, Title 18, Revised Statutes, 1911, as amended by Section 1, Chapter, 203, Acts of 1917, special session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County, and who are resident property tax payers in Read District No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the

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"Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

The polling place and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

At the Fairdale School House with Rey Rogers as Presiding officer.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the Statutes hereinabove referred to.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Sabine County reporter, a newspaper published in the County of Sabine for four successive weeks before the date of said election and, in addition thereto, there shall be posted other copies of this order at three public places in Read District No. 1, of Sabine County, Texas, for three weeks prior to said election.

The County Judge is hereby directed to cause said notices to be published and posted as hereinabove directed, and further orders are reserved until the returns of said election are made by the duly authorized election officers and received by this Court.

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PETITION TO THE COMMISSIONERS COURT FOR ROAD DISTRICT

BONDS AND FOR CREATION OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3,

OF SABINE COUNTY, TEXAS.

The State of Texas,

County of Sabine. To the Honorable Commissioners Court of Sabine County, Texas:

We the undersigned, being resident citizens within the hereinafter described territory situated in Sabine County, Texas, respectfully represent:

First. That we are resident property tax paying voters within said territory.

Second. That we desire your Honorable body to order an election to determine whether or not the bonds of said territory, to be known and designated as "Road District No. 3, of Sabine County, Texas", shall be issued in the amount of \$100,000.00, bearing five and one half per cent rate of interest and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from date thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turn pikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax be levied upon the property of said proposed road District, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity.

Third. That the territory which we pray your Honorable body to designate as "Road District No. 3, of Sabine County, Texas", is accurately described by metes and bounds to-wit:

Beginning in said Sabine County, Texas, at the mouth of the Martinez Bayou where said Bayou empties into Sabine River Thence up the Martinez Bayou in a Northwesterly direction to the N. line of Sabine County, same being the south line of Shelby County. Thence South westerly with the County line between Sabine and Shelby Counties to the South corner of Shelby County and the N. E. corner of San Augustine County, same being the N. W. corner of Sabine County. Thence S. with the W. line of Sabine County and the E. line of San Augustine County to where said line crosses the Pelegoche Creek. Thence South easterly with the meanders of the Pelegoche Creek to the S. line of the N. Mackey League. Thence N. 76 E. on N. Mackey's S. League line to the S. E. corner of M. S. Parrish, land on said league. Thence N 9 E. with M. S. Parrish East line and Susan Hamilton's E. line to the original E. line of the N. Mackey League. Thence continuing North 9 East with N.

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Mackay's East line to the S. W. corner of the M. E. Cordray, old Homestead, in the San Augustine and Milam road. Thence Easterly with the S. line of said Cordray tract to its S. E. corner on the W. line of A. L. McGowns land. Thence Northerly with the E. line of the M. E. Cordray tract and the west line of the A. L. McGown tract to A. L. McGown's N. W. corner. Thence easterly with A. L. McGowns N. line and Mrs. D. H. Deans N. line to the Beragus creek. Thence down the Beragus Creek, in a southeasterly direction with the meanders of said Creek to the W. line of the John Smith League. Thence N. 30° E. on the W. line of the John Smith League, to its N. W. corner same being the S. W. corner of the A. H. McGown survey. Thence east on the N. line of the John Smith League to its N. E. corner. Thence S. 34° E. on the E. line of said John Smith League to the N. W. corner of the Jeff Wilson 1107 acre sub-division on the Isaac Powell League. Thence east on the N. line of said 1107 acre Jeff Wilson sub-division on the E. line of the Isaac Powell League. Thence N. on the Isaac Powell east league line to the N. E. corner of said League. Thence W. on Isaac Powell's N. league line 140 yrs to the S. E. corner of a 320 acre tract on the James Mason League owned by the Estate of J. J. Vickers, deceased. Thence N. on the E. line of said J. J. Vickers 320 acres, to the S. E. corner of a 29 acre tract owned by C. H. Vickers. Thence S. 57° W. with the S. line of said 29 acre tract to its S. W. corner. Thence N. 11° W. with the W. line of said 29 acre tract to its N. W. corner. Thence N. 73° E. on the N. line of said 29 acre tract to its N. E. corner on the west line of the Harris Vickers 650 acre tract. Thence N. 3-1/2 W. on the W. line of the Harris Vickers 650 acre tract to its N. W. corner. Thence N. 31-1/2 W. with Herman Mason's East line 878 yrs to Mason creek. Thence westerly up Mason creek to the E. boundary line of the J. W. Gibbens survey and the W. boundary line of the James Mason League. Thence N. with James Mason's W. boundary line to the N. W. corner of said League, at the S. corner of the G. H. Love survey. Thence N. 51° E. with the S. E. line of the G. H. Love survey, to its most Eastern corner on the Patterson Ferry road. Thence eastwardly with said Patterson Ferry road to the Patroon creek. Thence down the Patroon Creek with its meanders to where said creek empties into Sabine River. Thence up the Sabine River with its meanders to the place of beginning.

Fourth. That the above described territory is situated wholly within Sabine County, Texas, and does not overlay or embrace any part of a political sub-division or defined road District that has heretofore been established and issued roads bonds which are now outstanding and unpaid.

Dated this the 19th day of March, A. D. 1924.

W. H. Vickers,	J. A. Dorsey,	J. H. Meeks,
J. D. Chambers,	J. C. Webb,	J. M. Ingram,
W. H. Bragg,	R. C. Travis,	J. C. Ballard,
B. H. Russell,	C. L. Jones	G. C. Sweet,
S. M. Jones	J. R. Polley,	W. W. Neal,
W. I. Jones,	C. E. Arnold,	W. G. Smith
E. Sanders,	M. J. Brineen	W. M. Jones
S. V. Hankla,	H. A. Holder	E. S. Love,
J. O. Minton	J. H. Smith	J. G. Harris
E. M. Oliver,	J. N. Kirk,	C. N. Northworthy
J. F. Bailey,	A. P. Harris	J. T. Sanders
J. R. Cordray	H. A. Smith	E. A. Alford
V. F. Williams,	E. B. Smith	T. E. Alford
Loyd Ebarbe	H. D. Smith	D. T. Beckcom
J. T. Mills	Will Reynolds	W. W. Horne

D. B. Smith	R. W. Harris	D. B. Smith
R. W. Harris	T. S. Layfield,	V. L. Tussell
L. L. Helder	J. U. Walton	J. W. Clifton.