

ELECTION ORDER

The State of Texas,

County of Sabine. § On this the 11th day of September A. D. 1922, the Commissioners Court of Sabine County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Hemphill Texas, all members of the Court, to-wit:

W. C. Arnold,	County Judge.
J. A. Ragan,	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 R. W. Carroll and 42 other persons, praying that bonds be issued by said Road District No. 9, of Sabine County, Texas, in the sum of \$20,000.00, 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, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. 9, 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 res-

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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. 9, of Sabine County, Texas; and,

It further appearing that said Road District No. 9, of Sabine County, Texas, has been duly established by an order of the Commissioners Court of Sabine County, dated the 12th day of May 1921, of record in Book "L" pages _____ 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 said Sabine County, Texas, at the most northern cor. of the Mary J. Brumley Survey,

Thence S. 58 E. with the N. E. line of the M. J. Brumley survey, to its N.E. corner.

Thence S. 5 E. with M. J. Brumley's East line to its S. E. corner.

Thence S. 32 W. with the S. E. line of the M. J. Brumley to its most southern corner,

Thence S. 58 E. with the N. line of the H. S. White 120 vrs. to its N.E. corner.

Thence S. 32 W. with the S. E. line of the H. S. White survey to its most southerly corner on the N. line of the Robert H. Smith, survey.

Thence S. 15 W. about 300 vrs. to the N. E. corner of a 120 acre subdivision owned by W. R. Davidson.

Thence N. 75 W. with W. R. Davidsons N. line to the N. W. corner of Davidsons 120 acre subdivision.

Thence S. 5 E/ 189 vrs. with the N. E. line of said W. R. Davidson 120 acre subdivision to the N. line of a 100 acre subdivision of said Robert H. Smith owned by W.R. Davidson.

Thence S. 83 1/2 W. with the N. line of W.R. Davidson 100 acre subdivision to the E. line of the John Clark League.

Thence S. 5 E. with John Clark's East league line to the Housen Bayou.

Thence in a westerly direction with the Housen Bayou to the mouth of Watts Creek.

Thence in a westerly direction up the Watts creek with its meanders to the west line of a 200 acre subdivision owned by H. W. Huffman.

Thence N. 6 W. with the west line of said 200 acre subdivision to the S.E. corner of a 190 acre subdivision owned by T. G. Fuller, same being the N.E. corner of the J. A. Travis 100 acres.

Thence west with the N. line of J. A. Travis 100 acres 674 vrs. to the S.E. corner of a 10 acre subdivision owned by J. A. Travis.

Thence N. 6 W. with the East line of said 10 acre subdivision 155 vrs. to its N. E. corner.

Thence west with the N. line of said J. A. Travis 10 acres 360 vrs. to its N. W. corner on the divisional line of the John Clark League.

Thence S. 6 E. with the divisional line of the John Clark League to Watts Creek.

Thence in a westerly direction up Watts Creek with its meanders to the west line of the John Clark League, same being the east line of the John Gilbert League.

Thence S. 5 E. with the East line of the John Gilbert League to the N.E. corner of a subdivision on the John Gilbert league.

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know as Block No. 6.

Thence S. 85 W. with the N. line of Block No. 6, Block No. 5, and Block No. 4, to the N. W. corner of Block No. 4.

Thence S. 5 E. with the west line of Block No. 4, to the N. E. corner of the B. V. Jones 151 acre subdivision.

Thence S. 85 W. with B. V. Jones N. line to the N. W. corner of said B. V. Jones 151 acre subdivision.

Thence S. 5 E. with the W. line of the B. V. Jones 151 acres 120 yrs. to the N.E. corner of the W. T. Jones 100 acre subdivision.

Thence S. 85 W. with the N. line of the W. T. Jones 100 acres and the N. line of the W. T. Jones 22 acre subdivision and the N. line of the C. M. Whitehead 140 acre subdivision to the N. W. corner of the C. M. Whitehead 140 acre subdivision of the John Gilbert League.

Thence N. 36 W. 2100 yrs to the S. W. corner of the Elijah Clark survey.

Thence N. 5 W. with the West line of the Elijah Clark survey to its N.W. corner.

Thence S. 85 W. with the N. line of the John Gilbert to the S. W. corner of the J. T. Carlton survey.

Thence N. 9 E. with J. T. Carlton's W. B. line to the S. W. corner of T. & N. O. Ry Co. Survey Section 10.

Thence N. 9 E. with the west line of T. & N. O. Ry. Co. Sec. 10, to its N.W. corner.

Thence N. 9 E. with the west line of T. & N. O. Ry. Co. Sec. 9, to its N. W. corner.

Thence N. 9 E. with the west boundary line of T. & N. O. Ry Co. Sec. 8, the S. line of the J. E. Ellison survey.

Thence N. 65 E. with the S. line of the J. E. Ellison survey to its S.E. corner.

Thence N. 25 W. with the East line of the J. E. Ellison survey to its N.E. corner on the S. B. line of the William Isaacs League.

Thence N. 64 E. with the S. B. line of the William Isaacs survey to the most northerly corner of T. & N. O. R. R. Co. Sec. 8, same being the most western corner of the Joseph Mott League.

Thence S. 34 1/2 E. with the west line of the Joseph Mott League to its S. W. corner, on the N. line of the William Donahoe Survey.

Thence S. 81 E. with the S. line of the Joseph Mott League to Joseph Mott's S.E. corner on the W. B. line of the William Clark Lge.

Thence N. with the west boundary line of the William Clark League 705 yrs to the Gum bottom Creek.

Thence in an easterly direction with the meanders of Gum bottom creek to the E.B. line of a 1383 1/2 acre subdivision formerly owned by the South Western Settlement and Development Company.

Thence S. with the E. B. line of said 1383 1/2 acre subdivision to the N. W. corner of a 63 acre tract owned by Hiram Knox.

Thence East with the N. line of said Knox 63 acre subdivision 339 yrs. to its N. E. corner on the W. B. line of another 63 acre subdivision owned by Hiram Knox.

Thence N. with the W. B. line of said Knox 63 acres to its N. W. corner.

Thence East with the N. line of said Knox 63 acre subdivision 287 yrs to the W.B. line of a 100 acre subdivision owned by Hiram Knox.

Thence N. with the W. B. line of said Knox 100 acres 497 yrs to its N.W. corner.

Thence East with the N. line of said Knox 100 acres 411 vrs. to its N.E. corner.
Thence S. with the East boundary line of said Knox 100 acres 1091 vrs. to its S. E. corner on the S. E. line of the William Clark League, same being the W. B. line of the Wright Coley Survey.

Thence S. 36 W. with the Wright Coley's W. B. line to its S. W. corner.

Thence East with the S. B. line of the Wright Coley Survey 1300 vrs.

Thence S. 250 vrs to the most northerly corner of the M. J. Brumley survey, the place of beginning, 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. 9, of Sabine County, Texas, on the 28th day of Oct, 1922, 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. 9, of Sabine County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of \$20,000.00, 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 thereof; and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. 9, 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, Regular Session.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County, and who are resident property taxpayers in Road District No. 9, 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 words:

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

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

At Strickland Chapel Schoolhouse with J. M. Harris 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, State of Texas, 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 Road District No. 9, 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.

PETITION TO THE COMMISSIONERS COURT FOR ROAD
DISTRICT BONDS AND FOR CREATION OF ROAD
DISTRICT NO. 9, 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. 9, of Sabine County, Texas," shall be issued in the amount of TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, 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 turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and whether or not a tax shall 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. 9, of Sabine County, Texas," is accurately described by metes and bounds, to-wit:

Beginning in said Sabine County, Texas, at the most northern cor. of the Mary J. Brumley survey.

Thence S. 58 E. with the N. E. line of the M. J. Brumley Survey to its N. E. corner.

Thence S. 5 E. with M. J. Brumleys East line to its S. E. corner.

Thence S. 32 W. with the S.E. line of the M. J. Brumley, to its most northern corner.

Thence S. 58 E. with the N. line of the H. S. White 120 vrs. to its N. E. corner.

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Thence S. 15 W. about 300 vrs. to the N. E. corner of a 120 acre sub-division owned by W. R. Davidson.

Thence N. 75 W. with W. R. Davidsons N. line to the N. W. corner of Davidsons 120 acre sub-division.

Thence S. 5 E. 189 vrs with the W. E. line of said W. R. Davidsons 120 acre sub-division to the N. line of a 100 acre-subdivision of said Robert H. Smith owned by W. R. Davidson.

Thence S. 83-3/4 W. with the N. line of W. R. Davidson 100 acre sub-division to the E. line of the John Clark League.

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Thence S. 5 E. with the East line of the John Gilbert League to the N. E. corner of a sub-division on the John Gilbert League, known as Block No. 6.

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Thence East with the S. E. line of the Wright Coley survey 1300 vrs.

Thence S. 250 vrs to the most northerly corner of the M. J. Brumley survey, the place of beginning.

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

Dated this the 28th day of April, A. D. 1921.

R. W. Carroll,

J. T. Bickham,

T. H. Fletcher,

Bill Kemp,

Ben Kemp,

Oscar Kemp,

J. B. Boyle,

O. J. McClelland,

J. M. White,

J. A. Harley,

D. E. Ferguson,

Josh Lott,

H. E. Wagstaff,

A. J. Lott,

J. H. Brown,

W. H. Smith,

M. W. Burkett,

Earnest King,

W. M. Rogers,

J. M. White,

T. J. Jacks,

R. W. White.

John Carlton,

C. D. Young,

T. G. Craddock,

W. L. Craddock,

D. F. Craddock,

G. M. Jolley,

A. D. Bennett,

R. C. Carlton,

L. H. Chandler,

J. R. Travis,

F. C. Hogan,

L. L. Huff,

A. M. Strickland,

George Jackson,

N. D. McClelland,

Jim Harris,

J. M. Harris,

T. A. Harris,

N. A. White,

Geo. A. Eicke,

B. H. White.