

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SABINE

On this the 10th day of July, 1972, the Honorable Commissioners' Court met in regular session with the following members present, to-wit:

Charlie Fores	County Judge
R. E. Smith	Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
T. A. Seales	Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
Paul Lout	Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
H. E. Wilburn	Commissioner, Precinct No. 4
W.W.Cavender	Clerk of the Court

Upon proper certification by the County Clerk the following petition was taken under consideration by the Court:

PETITION FOR LOCAL OPTION
ELECTION TO LEGALIZE

To the Commissioners' Court of Sabine County, Texas.

We, the undersigned qualified voters of Justice Precinct #5, Sabine County, Texas (said County, Justice Precinct or Incorporated City or Town hereinafter for convenience referred to as Area) hereby respectfully request that a local option election be called in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Texas Liquor Control Act and in particular, Article 666-32 through 666-40a of Vernon's Annotated Penal Code of the State of Texas, as amended, in the above mentioned Area for the purpose of submitting to the legally qualified voters of said Area the determination of the following issue, to wit:

FOR The Legal Sale of Beer For Off-Premise Consumption Only.

AGAINST The Legal Sale of Beer For Off-Premise Consumption Only.

It is the hope, purpose and intent of the petitioners whose signatures appear hereon to see Legalized the sale of alcoholic beverages referred to in the issue set out above.

DATED this the 5 day of July, 1972.

NAME	RESIDENT ADDRESS	VOTERS REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE NUMBER
Charline Clark	Bayou Rt. Box 63, Hemphill	4754
Ida Kinus	Bayou Rt., Box 63, Hemphill	4756
Clark J. Smith	Star Rt. No. 2, Hemphill	A3310
Mrs. Patrice Smith	Star Rt. No. 2, Hemphill	A3309
Mr. V. E. Cassel	Box 587, Hemphill	0963
Mrs. V. E. Cassel	Box 587, Hemphill	0964
Don Cassel	Box 587, Hemphill	0962
Diane Lindsey	Box 578, Hemphill	A3311
Letha Corzine	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3332
Bert W. Corzine III	Bayou Rt., Box 59A, Hemphill	2413
Benny Evans	Box 810 Hemphill	A3279
George Pickett	Box 810, Hemphill	A3283
Mrs. George R. Pickett	Box 810, Hemphill,	A3282
Harry Price	Box 810, Hemphill	1784
Mrs. Jean Price	Box 810, Hemphill	1785
Miss Penny Price	Box 810, Hemphill	4254
Mrs. Marguerite M. Miller	Rt. 2, Box 38 A, Hemphill	4308
Mrs. Lloyd Lacy	Rt. 2, Hemphill	A3330
Lloyd L. Lacy	Star Rt. #2, Hemphill	A3281
Mrs. Jessie Mae Low	Star Rt. 2, Hemphill	3860
J. C. Allen	Star Rt. 2, Hemphill	4213
Mrs. Eva Mae Impson	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	2254
Carl V. Smith	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4734
Mrs. Carl V. Smith	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4735
Elwood Morris	Star Rt. 2, Hemphill	0863

O. M. Carmichael	Bayou Rt., Box 39, Hemphill	1245
Mrs. Wanda Carmichael	Bayou Rt., Box 39, Hemphill	1246
Richard L. Tillery	Bayou Rt. 2, Box 39, Hemphill	A3013
Mrs. Dorothy Tillery	Bayou Rt. 2, Box 39, Hemphill	A3014
Mack Ronk	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3270
Mr. W. H. Humphreys	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3266
Mrs. W. H. Humphreys	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3267
Mrs. Elzie Ladner	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4624
James K. Lewis	Rt. 2, Box 26A, Hemphill	2198
Mrs. James K. Lewis	Rt. 2, Box 26A, Hemphill	2199
Ernest Anthony	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	1274
Elzie Ladner	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4623
B. M. Hartman	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	0991
Mrs. Sally L. Ronk	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3271
Mrs. Van Cooper	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	0969
Mr. C. K. Choffin	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3269
James P. Cashman	Bayou Rt., Box 39, Hemphill	1490
Jim Solomon	Bayou Rt. Box 39, Hemphill	4097
Kenneth R. Sawyer	Bayou Rt., Box 39, Hemphill	4506
Mrs. C. K. Chaffin	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3268
Mrs. Mary F. Smith	Bayou Rt., Box 39, Hemphill	1466
Kenneth D. Smith	Bayou Rt., Box 39, Hemphill	1465
Hugh R. Walker	Star Rt. 2, Box 34, Hemphill	2701
A. C. McBee	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	1759
Edward Crowell	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	0970
Mrs. Bessie L. Walker	Star Rt. 2, Box 34, Hemphill	2702
A. F. Pearson	Box 811, Hemphill	4533
H. E. Stewart	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4797
Mrs. Nell ##### H. Walker	Star Rt. #2 Box 34, Hemphill	2703
Johnny Paul Stewart	Rt. 2, Box 73, Hemphill	2142
Ronald Pearson	Box 811, Hemphill, Texas	4126
Mrs. Johnny Paul Stewart	Rt. 2, Box 73, Hemphill	2143
E. B. Chambless	Bayou Rt. Box 83, Hemphill	2660
David Ener	Bayou Rt., Box 42A Hemphill	0977
Charles Ray Stewart	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4978
Miss Carolyn Ann Stewart	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	2230
C. W. Wright	Rt. 2, Hemphill	3869
Jerry Loper	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4161
Charles Moody	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4163
Mrs. Richard Carter	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	4411
Joe M. Cloud	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	2343
Mrs. Joe M. Cloud	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	2344
Charlie Jackson	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3277
Mrs. Virginia Jackson	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3278
J. L. White	Bayou Rt., Box 59 A, Hemphill	2412
Mr. N. J. Jones	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3276
Mr. N. J. Jones, Sr.	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3274
Al Cl Kittman	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	2411
John D. Faulkner	Bayou Rt., Hemphill	A3331

Motion by Commissioner T.A.Seales, seconded by Commissioner H. E. Wilburn, and by unanimous vote the Court ordered the following election:

ORDER FOR LOCAL OPTION ELECTION

TO Legalize

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SABINE

On this the 10th day of July, 1972, the Commissioners' Court of Sabine County Texas, convened in regular session open to the public, at the regular meeting place thereof at the Courthouse in Hemphill, Texas, with the following members of the Court present, to-wit:

Charlie Forse	County Judge
R. E. Smith	Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
T. A. Seales	Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
Paul Lout	Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
H. E. Wilburn	Commissioner, Precinct No. 4
W. W. Cavender	County Clerk

and the following absent: None

constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings, passed the following order:

There came on to be considered the original and copies of Petitions for Local Option Election to Legalize bearing Serial Number 1 to 4 issued by the County Clerk on the 5th day of July, 1972 requesting that a local option election be ordered in Justice Precinct #5, Sabine Co., Texas (said County, Justice Precinct, Incorporated City of Town hereinafter for convenience referred to as Area) in accordance with, the terms and provisions of the Texas Liquor Control Act and in particular, Article 666-32 through 666-40a of Vernon's Annotated Penal Code of the State of Texas, as amended.

for the purpose of submitting to the legally qualified voters of said Area the determination of the issue described therein. There also came on to be considered the certificate of the County Clerk pertaining to said petitions certifying therein that said petitions are signed by the requisite number of qualified voters of said Area in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Texas Liquor Control Act. #####

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that said petitions were filed with the Clerk of this Court within 30 days after date said petitions were issued by said Clerk and that said Clerk has checked and verified to this Court said petitions and that said petitions comply with all terms and provisions of the Texas Liquor Control Act, and are signed by the requisite number of qualified voters at the time said petitions were issued of said Area as required by said Liquor Control Act and that said petitions are otherwise in conformity with the law, and that no election on the same issue has been held in said Area within a period of one year prior to the date fixed for holding the election herein provided.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF SABINE COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election to be held in Justice Precinct #5, Sabine County, Texas, on the 5th day of August, 1972, which date is not less than 20 days nor more than 30 days from date of this Order in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Texas Liquor Control Act for the purpose of submitting to the legally qualified voters of said Area, the determination of the following issue, to-wit:

FOR The Legal Sale of Beer for Off-Premise Consumption Only.

AGAINST The Legal Sale of Beer for Off-Premise Consumption Only.

That said election shall be held in each election precinct, as provided in Article 666-32, Texas Liquor Control Act, in the above named area and the following persons are appointed presiding judge and alternate presiding judge for each of said election precincts and each presiding judge shall appoint the necessary clerks to assist him which shall not exceed 2 clerks.

ELECTION PRECINCT NUMBER	LOCATION	PRESIDING JUDGE	ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGE
7	Carl Smith Bait Shop North East Corner Hwy. 87 & Farm Road 2928	A. B. Clark	Alice Cloud

The ballots for said election shall have printed thereon at the top thereof in plain letters the words "Official Ballot", and said ballots shall have printed thereon the issue appropriate to this election as provided by Article 666-40, Vernon's Annotated Penal Code of Texas, as amended, to-wit:

The ballot shall have printed thereon the following instructions note: "Scratch or mark out one statement so that the one remaining indicated the way you wish to vote."

FOR The Legal Sale of Beer for Off-Premise Consumption Only

AGAINST The Legal Sale of Beer for Off-Premise Consumption Only

Each voter shall vote on the issue hereby submitted by marking a pencil mark through one of said expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

None but qualified voters of the above named area shall be allowed to vote as said election. Said election shall be conducted according to the election code of this state as applicable thereto, and within 24 hours after said election, the officers holding said election shall make returns thereof to this Court as required by law.

Notice of this election shall be given by posting a copy of this order in each Election Precinct to said above named area at least six days prior to the date of said election. The County Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to cause said notices to be posted as herein directed. The County Clerk is further authorized to publish notice of said election as required by Article 29c.

Absentee voting for said election shall be conducted by the County Clerk in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Election Code.

A public school of instructions for those who will actually conduct the above election shall be held at Courthouse in Hemphill, Texas, which is not less than 3 days before said election and the County Clerk shall post notice of the time and place of said meeting at least 24 hours before it is held and the clerk shall also notify each presiding judge of the time and place at which said school will be held and said clerk shall instruct each presiding judge to give notice of the persons who will serve as clerks and watchers of said school.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted AYE: R. E. Smith, T. A. Seales, Paul Lout, H. E. Wilburn, and the following members voted NO: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 10th day of July, 1972.

R. E. Smith /s/
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

Paul Lout /s/
Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

Charlie Forse /s/
County Judge, Sabine County, Texas
T. A. Seales /s/
Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

H. E. Wilburn /s/
Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

Motion by Commissioner Paul Lout, seconded by Commissioner R. E. Smith and with all voting "AYE" Henry Powell was appointed Justice of the Peace Pct. 5, Sabine County, Texas and Thomas Ladner was appointed Constable Pct. 5, Sabine County.

Motion by Commissioner Paul Lout, seconded by Commissioner H. E. Wilburn with Lout, Wilburn and Seales voting "AYE" and Smith voting "NO", motion carried to give L. A. Schulze, Justice of the Peace Precinct. 1, an expense account increase of \$25.00 per month effective July 1, 1972.

Motion by Commissioner R. E. Smith, seconded by Commissioner H. E. Wilburn the Court voted unanimously to increase the exprese accounts of Sheriff Blan Greer, Deputy Sheriffs, W. J. Barlow and L. B. Cupit and Dispatcher H. W. Wright by \$25.00 per month effective July 1, 1972.

All accounts were allowed and made payable.

There being no further business the Court adjourned.

Charlie Foster
County Judge

R. E. Smith
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

Paul Lout
Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

T. A. Seales
Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

H. E. Wilburn
Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

[Signature]
Clerk of the Court