

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SABINE

On this the 14th day of May, 1979, the Honorable Commissioners' Court met in special session with the following present, to-wit:

Royce C. Smith	County Judge
R. E. Smith	Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
G. W. Russell, Jr.	Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
Eldridge Ellison	Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
Jimmy Vickers	Commissioner, Precinct No. 4
Minnie Gooch	Clerk of the Court

Judge Royce C. Smith presented to the court, a letter from the U. S. Treasury estimating next years federal revenue to the county.

Motion by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr., seconded by Commissioner Eldridge Ellison and with all voting in favor. The Clerk was directed to write a letter to the U.S. Treasury asking for an increase in allocation.

Judge Royce C. Smith presented to the court, a request from Attorney S.L. Delmar of Newton, Texas to install a Machanical divice in the Courthouse, to provide access to the Courtroom for the handi-caped. No action was taken on this matter.

Richard Drake, Cheif Probation officer appeared before the court for the purpose of discussing financial assistance from Sabine county. Motion by Commissioner G. W. Russell, seconed by Commissioner R. E. Smith, all voting in favor. Resolution was signed by Judge Royce C. Smith and all four commissioners'. See Exhibit Marked "A" and attached to these minutes.

Each member of the Board took the following oath: " I, _____ a member of the Board of Equalization of Sabine County, for the year A.D. 1979, hereby solemnly swear that, in the performance of my duties as a member for such Board for said year, I will not vote to allow any Taxable property to stand assessed on the tax rolls of said county for said year at any sum which I beleive to be less than its real value ; and that I will faithfully endeavor to have the assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation within said county stand upon the tax rolls of said county for said year at its true cash market value, or if it has no market value, I further ,

solemnly swear that I have read and understand the provisions contained in the Constitution and laws of this State relative to the valuation of taxable property, and that I will faithfully perform all the duties required of me under the Constitution and laws of this state, So help me God".

Motion by Commissioner Jimmy Vickers , seconded by Commissioner R. E. Smith and all voting in favor to accept Holly Bay Road as a county road.

Motion by Commissioner Jimmy Vickers, seconded by Commissioner G. W. Russell and all voting in favor to send petition signed by residents of Piney Point Sub-Division to Lufkin to the Texas Highway and Public Transportation Dept.

Motion by Commissioner R. E. Smith , seconded by Commissioner Eldridge Ellison and all voting in favor of continuing with the insurance that the county has now with Blue Cross & Blue Sheild.

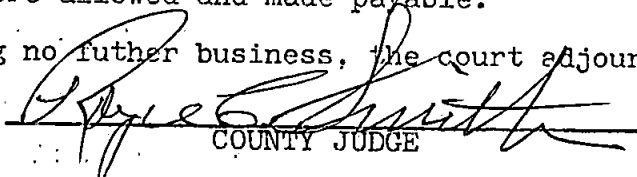
Judge Smith announced the program entitled "Beautiful Sabine" which will be a one year program which will be funded 100% by the CETA. The program will start May 21, 1979.

Judge Royce C. Smith announced the receipt of a contract this week for the YOUTH ADULT CONSERVATION CORPS program grant. Ages 16-23 will work for the program in various areas. The program will start sometime this month.

Motion by Commissioner R.E. Smith, seconded by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. and with all voting in favor to Divide the R & B SPECIAL \$38,734.62 in the usual way.


Accounts were allowed and made payable.

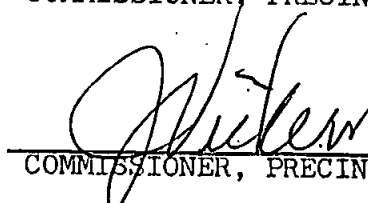
There being no futher business, the court adjourned.


COUNTY JUDGE


COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1


COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3


COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2


COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4


CLERK OF THE COURT



RESOLUTION AND ORDER OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF
SABINE COUNTY

Being of the opinion both that an imperative need exists and that great good can result from the continuation of a viable, efficient, and well organized juvenile probation department for the four counties of the First Judicial District, we hereby implement such program as follows:

1. There is to be continued a Jasper-Newton-Sabine-San Augustine Probation Board composed of the following officials:

- a. Judge, 1st and 1-A Judicial District Courts
- b. County Judges of these four counties

2. This probation board shall select the personnel, establish policies, set salaries and expenses and supervise the administration of our 1st Judicial District Probation Department.

3. An annual grant will be sought from the Criminal Justice Division of the State of Texas for continuation of Juvenile Probation services.

4. Each county shall continue to furnish such cost and inkind services that are presently being provided by the counties of the First Judicial District.

All of the above and foregoing is done and ORDERED as of the date shown hereinbelow and spread upon the Minutes of the Commissioners' Court of this county.

Exhibit "A"

AS OF THIS 14TH DAY OF MAY, 1979.

SABINE COUNTY

Roy E. Smith

County Judge

R. E. Smith

Commissioner

B. W. Russell

Commissioner

E. Ellison

Commissioner

W. L.

Commissioner