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COUNTY : OF SABINE

On this the 25th day of August, 1980, the Honorable Commissioners' Court met in regular session with the following members 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 Cldrk of the Court Motion by Commissioner R. E. Smith, seconded by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. to transfer \$5000.00 to each Commissioner Precinct, out of Right of Way Fund, total amount of transfer being \$20,000.00. Motion carried. Motion by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. seconded by Commissioner Eldridge Ellison to divide the R. & R. Special money in the amount of \$6,207.26 as follows: 22% to R. & B. #1 20% to R. & B. #3 27% to R. & B. #2 31% to R. & B. #4 On recommendation of Richard Bass, Justice of the Peace, Pct. #1 a motion was made by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. seconded by Commissioner Eldridge Ellison to hire Carolyn Woods as secretary for Richard Bass at a salary of \$486.49 effective August 1, 1980. In order for Sabine County to be eligible for further E.D.A. funds a letter of concurrence accepting document for economic planning is needed. Motion by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. seconded by Commissioner Eldridge Ellison to adopt the following: Mr. Marvin Hagemeier Chief, Planning Division Economic Development Administration American Bank Tower, Suite 600 221 West 6th Street Austin, Texas 78700 Dear Mr. Hagemeier:

This is to inform the Economic Development Administration that Sabine County concurs with the Deep East Texas Council of Governments and Economic Development District', update of the "Overall Economic Development Plan, 1980 1981". The elected officials of this county will continue to work with DETCOG/edd to achieve those goals as set forth in the O.E.D.P. Update.

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Sabine County looks forward in actively participating in the economic development of the Deep East Texas Region. In order to implement the Plan, ;the County wishes to continue its eligibility as provided in Title IV of the Public Works and Economic Development act of 1965, as amended.

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Sincerely, Royce C. Smith County Judge Sabine County.

Theo Wright and Gilbert Lank appeared before the Court to discuss setting up a Butane System for emergency use when there is a power failure, due to the fact that the Natural Gas System all over the city is shut off. Motion by Commissioner R. E. Smith, seconded by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. for Mr./Lank to go ahead and draw up the plan and it will be ready in case the Natural Gas was not hooked up. Motion carried.

Motion ; by Commissioner R. E. Smith, seconded by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. to pay membership dues in the amount of \$409.35 to DETCOG and membership dues to Deep East Texas Development Association in the amount of \$100.00. All voted in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner R. E. Smith seconded by Commissioner Eldridge Ellison to pay the amount that had been added to the Sheriff Department salaries & expenses by the Corp of Engineers out of Officers Salary Fund with the understanding that it be re-imbursed if Corp of Engineers make other payments this year. All voted in favor.

As requested by letter dated August 20, 1980 and in accordance with Article 3912(k) Section 3, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes and upon a moption by Commissioner R. E. Smith@seconded by Commissioner G. W. Russell, Jr. the District Court Reporter's Salary was changed to \$239.80 as Sabine County's prorata part effective January 1, 1981. All voted in favor.

Accounts were allowed and made payable.

There being no further business, the Court adjourned.

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COMMISSIONER, PRÉCINCT NO. COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1 3 PRECINCT NO. 2 COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4 CLERK OF THE COURT