Monday, April 14, 1992, the Sabine County Commissioners' Court met in a regular session at 8:30 A. M., with the following members present:

> Richard L. Smith Carlin McDaniel Lynn Smith James H. Conn Chester Cox, Sr. Nadine Gary

County Judge Commissioner, Prct. # 1 Commissioner, Prct. # 2 Commissioner, Prct. # 3 Commissioner, Prct. # 4 County Clerk

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Brother Clarence Howell led opening prayer.

Minutes of the last two meetings were read and approved. Amount in dett service should be corrected to read \$40,218.09. Monthly reports were presented for inspection.

#3 - Raymond Parr and Nina Davis presented a Deferred Compensation plan with National Association of Counties. This is a savings plan which at this time is paying 7-3/4% interest and is tax deferred. Commissioner McDaniel made the motion to adopt the plan. Commissioner conn seconded, and motion carried.

Commissioner Chester Cox arrived at 9:30.

County Attorney Dwight McDaniel presented an answer to the question as to the County's being liable for payment of medical expenses of an inmate of the county jail. Although the County may be held liable for an indigent's care, the County is the payor of last resort. "See attached exhibit."

Tom Philips and Terry Vaughn were present representing the Sheriff Department. They can obtain a drug dog from Belgium; the dog and handler training will cost \$7,800.00. A new deputy will be starting May 1, 1992. Motion was made by Commissioner Smith to advertise for bids for Sheriff vehicle, and approve ordering dog and training material. Commissioner Conn seconded, and motion carried. An advance payment of 50% down is required.

Court recessed 10 minutes.

Court agreed to waive agenda for a group of residents from Lowes Creek. Connie Felts was the speaker, and presented a petition asking the county to accept and maintain a private road in the subdivision. The residents have over \$1,000.00 to use for this. This will be an agenda item April 27.

#5 - Bids for audit will be an agenda item July 13.

#6 - Motion was made by Commissioner Chester Cox to advertise for bids for County Health Insurance. Commissioner Jimmy Conn seconded, and motion carried. Bid opening will be May 26, at 9:00 A. M.

Motion was made by Commissioner Carlin McDaniel to approve a Time warrant of \$50,200.00 for purchase of grade-all. Commissioner Lynn Smith seconded, and motion carried, with all voting for. This amount will be divided equally between the four precincts, or \$12,550.00 each.

#8 - State Surplus Publications: Court agreed to renew subscription.

#9 - Selling county boat: Johnny Ellender offered \$200.00 for boat and\$100.00 for tractor. We will advertise for bids to sell boat and tractor. Bid opening May 11, 1992.

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#10 - Division of Grade-all expenses: Split four ways and will be paid out of precincts.

Agenda April 27 - Consider moving voting box 3 in Pineland from City Hall to Pineland Volunteer Fire Department.

Commissioner Chester Cox made motion to pay bills, except medical bills from jail. Commissioner Conn seconded, and motion carried.

Meeting adjourned.

<u>C.Carlin In Daniel</u> COMMISSIONER, PRCT. # 1

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