

Wednesday, January 31, 1996 at 1:04 p.m., the Sabine County Commissioners' Court met in an emergency meeting. The following members were present:

Keith Clark	Commissioner Pct. #1
Lynn Smith	Judge Pro-tem Commissioner Pct. #2
Charles Ellison	Commissioner Pct. #3
Will Smith, Sr.	Commissioner Pct. #4
Janice McDaniel	County Clerk

Judge Pro-tem, Lynn Smith, called the meeting to order and stated that notice was posted for the required two hours for an emergency meeting.

Bro. Clarence Howell led the Court in prayer.

This meeting has been called because of the suspension of Judge Hyden due to the indictments of the Grand Jury against him.

Judge Pro-tem, Lynn Smith, informed the audience that he is the Judge Pro-tem and will preside over the meetings in the absence of our County Judge. Also he wants everyone to understand that Judge Hyden has not been removed from office, he is still the duly elected County Judge. Judge Hyden has been suspended from his duties until the charges can be settled in a court of law.

Agenda item #3-Designate Appointment to DETCOG & Tri-County Community Action

Commissioner Keith Clark moved to appoint Will Smith to DETCOG as the representative for Sabine County. Commissioner Ellison seconded. Commissioners Clark and Ellison and Judge pro-tem, Lynn Smith voted for. Commissioner Will Smith abstained. Motion carried.

Commissioner Clark moved to appoint Commissioner Ellison to the Tri-County Community Action as the representative for Sabine County. Commissioner Will Smith seconded. Commissioners Clark and Will Smith and Judge pro-tem, Lynn Smith voted for. Commissioner Ellison abstained. Motion carried.

Agenda item #1-Executive Session - Personnel Under Section 551.074 and Consultation with County's Attorney Under Section 551.071.

At this time the Court went into executive session under the so stated sections.

Court reconvened back into the regular session at 1:53 p.m..

Several options were discussed during the executive session. The Court realizes that action will have to be taken soon, but not at this time.

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COMMISSIONER PCT. #4

ATTEST:

Janice McDaniel

COUNTY CLERK

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