

Union Ridge CSD for Consolidation 110 votes
 " " " against " " 42 votes

The above tabulation indicates and it is so ordered that said school districts consolidate.

W. A. Lunsford

Jim Shockey

E. H. Shaw

A. B. Reynolds

D. W. Gatlin.

JUNE 29, 1950:

Commissioners' Court met in Special Session with all members present.

Motion made, seconded and carried that returns of Elections held at Union Ridge School ^{7dill}

June 28, 1950, be tabulated as follows:

For School Tax 57 votes

Against " " 0 votes

For Bond Assumption 56 votes

Against " " 1 vote

For Issuance of Bonds 57 votes

Against " " 0 votes

The above tabulation indicates and it is hereby ordered that the said three elections carried in the affirmative to wit:

For school tax

For assumption of indebtedness and levying the tax in payment thereof.

For the issuance of the Bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof.

W. A. Lunsford

Jim Shockey

E. H. Shaw

A. B. Reynolds

D. W. Gatlin

JUNE 30, 1950

Commissioners' Court met in Special Session with all members present.

Motion made, seconded and carried that hearing date on Petition for \$85,000.00 road Bonds of Road District #3A of Upshur County, Texas, be set for July 27, 1950.

ORDER SETTING DOWN FOR HEARING
 PETITION FOR \$85,000.00 ROAD
 BONDS OF ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER
 3-A OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF UPSHUR

ON THIS the 30th day of June, 1950, the County Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, convened in Special Session, at the regular meeting place of said court in the Court-house at Gilmer, Texas, all members of the Court, to wit:

W. A. LUNSFORD,

COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding; and

JIM SHOCKEY,

COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 1;

E. H. SHAW

COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 2;

A. B. REYNOLDS

COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 3;

D. W. GATLIN

COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 4;

being present; and, among other proceedings had by said Court, were the following:

There came on to be considered a petition signed by W. H. Howell and certain other

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persons, alleging themselves to be resident property taxpaying voters of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 3-A, OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying this Court for an order for a hearing for a bond election to be held within said Road District Number 3-A, for the purpose of voting bonds in the principal sum of \$85,000.00, such bonds to be issued upon the faith and credit of said Road District Number 3-A, a defined District of said County, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, in said district; and

WHEREAS, the said Road District Number 3-A, of Upshur County, Texas, was duly created by order of this Court duly passed and entered of record on the 12th day of June, 1950, said order providing that the said district is created and established for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, and Chapter 16, Acts 1926, First Called Session, and amendments thereto; and,

WHEREAS, it further appearing to this Court that such petition for said bond election is signed by more than fifty (50) of the resident property taxpaying voters of said Road District Number 3-A, of Upshur County, Texas; and,

WHEREAS, the statute expressly providing that upon the presentation of a petition signed by fifty (50), or a majority, of the resident property taxpaying voters of a road district or political subdivision praying the court to order an election for the purpose of voting bonds and the levy of taxes in payment thereof, it shall be the duty of the Court to which such petition is presented to fix a time and place at which time such petition shall be heard, which date shall be not less than fifteen (15) days, nor more than thirty (30) days, from the date of the order setting such petition down for hearing; and,

WHEREAS, it further appearing to the Court that said petition sets forth the amount of bonds proposed to be issued, the maximum rate of interest said bonds shall bear, if issued, and the purpose for which such proposed bonds are to be issued; the proposition for the issuance of such bonds, as set forth in such petition, being as follows, to-wit:

"WHETHER OR NOT the bonds of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 3-A, OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, shall be issued in the total principal sum of EIGHTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$85,000.00) for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof in said District, and which bonds are to bear interest at the rate of not exceeding FOUR PER CENTUM (4%) per annum, and are to be payable at such times as may be deemed most expedient by the Commissioners' Court, but not to exceed THIRTY (30) years from the date thereof, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied on all taxable property within said Road District for the purpose of paying the interest on the said bonds and providing a sinking fund for the redemption or payment thereof at maturity."

AND WHEREAS, the said petition further stipulates and provides that if the said bonds are voted and issued the money received from the sale thereof will be applied to the construction and maintenance of a gravel base, asphalt surface roadway at and in the following locations in said district:

Old Big Sandy-Hawkins Road from Big Sandy City Limits to Wood County Line;

Old Big Sandy-Gilmer Road from Big Sandy City Limits to the North property line of lot owned by C. J. Baird, said point being on the South property line of the Florence Hoskins estate;

The following streets in Big Sandy, Texas:

Pearl Street from City Limits to Texas and Pacific Railroad;
 Gilmer Street from Pearl Street to Meason Street;
 Tyler Street from U. S. Highway No. 80 to Lyles Street;
 Lyles Street from Tyler Street to St. Louis Southwestern Railroad and on to intersection with State Highway No. 155;

Meason Street from Texas and Pacific Railroad to College Street;
 Bryan Street from Grove Street to College Street;
 Hawkins Street from Gilmer Street to Big Sandy City Limits;
 Robinson Street from College Street to Beck Avenue;
 Grove Street from Meason Street to Pearl Street;
 Texas and Pacific Street from Tyler Street to Hawkins St.
 Kay Avenue from Tyler Street to Pearl Street.
 Cotton Belt Street from Pearl Street to Lyle Street;
 West Street from Hawkins Street to Meason Street;

AND WHEREAS, it is further stipulated in the aforesaid petition that the proposed improvement will be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 3-A, OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS:

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS:

I.

That the said petition be and the same is hereby set down for hearing before the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, in the Commissioners' Court Room in the Courthouse at Gilmer, Texas, at ten o'clock A. M., on the 27th day of July, 1950, the same being more than fifteen (15) days, and less than thirty (30) days, from the date of this order.

II.

That the Clerk of this Court shall forthwith issue a notice of such time and place of hearing, which notice shall inform all persons concerned of the time and place of hearing and of their right to appear at such hearing and contend for or protest the ordering of such bond election. Such notice shall state the amount of bonds proposed to be issued, and shall describe the boundaries of Road District Number 3-A, of Upshur County, Texas, as such boundaries are described and defined in the order of the Commissioners' Court establishing such District.

III.

The Clerk shall execute said notice by posting true copies thereof in three public places within said ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER 3-A, and one at the door of the County Courthouse of the County. Said notice shall be posted for ten (10) days prior to the date of said hearing. Said notice shall also be published in The Gilmer Mirror, a newspaper of general circulation published in said County, and shall be published in said newspaper one time, and the date of publication shall be at least five (5) days prior to the date herein set for the hearing on said petition.

The duties herein imposed upon the Clerk may be performed by said Clerk in person or by Deputy, as provided by law for other similar duties.

The above order having been read, it was moved by Commissioner Reynolds, and seconded by Commissioner Shaw, that the same be passed and adopted. Whereupon, the question being called for, the County Judge put the motion to a vote of the members of the Commissioners' Court, and the motion carried by the following vote: Commissioners Shockey, Shaw, Reynolds and Gatlin voting "AYE"; and none voting "NO".

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The County Judge declared the motion carried and the order duly passed and adopted, and the County Clerk was instructed to record the same in the Minutes of the Court.

WITNESS THE SIGNATURES OF THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS, this the 30th day of June, 1950.

W. A. Lunsford, County Judge

Jim Shockey, Commissioner of Precinct No. 1.

E. H. Shaw, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2.

A. B. Reynolds, Commissioner of Precinct No. 3.

D. W. Gatlin, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

FILED June 30, 1950, at 2:16 o'clock P. M. James Poole, County Clerk, Upshur County.

W. A. Lunsford

Jim Shockey

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A. B. Reynolds

D. W. Gatlin

JULY 1, 1950.

Commissioners' Court met in Special Session with all members present.

Motion made, seconded and carried that application of County Clerk, James Poole, for Lynn Harris, as Deputy, at a salary of \$125.00 per month for July and August, 1950, be accepted and approved. County Clerk is authorized to issue warrant on salary fund accordingly.

W. A. Lunsford

Jim Shockey

E. H. Shaw

A. B. Reynolds

D. W. Gatlin

JULY 7, 1950.

Commissioners' Court met in Special Session with all members present.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Precinct #4 Upshur County exchange one used Rome Motor Grader to W. B. Ward for one used Adams Motor Grader, Model 412, Serial No. 922, balance due said W B Ward of \$1000.00, due and payable in September, 1950. County Clerk is authorized to issue warrant out of R & B #4 Fund accordingly.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Commissioner of Prec't No. 1, Upshur County exchange one used Adams Pull-Grader with W. B. Ward for one used Adams Pull-Grader No. 105, balance due said W. B. Ward \$850.00, County Clerk is authorized to issue warrant on R & B #1 accordingly.

W. A. Lunsford

Jim Shockey

E. H. Shaw

A. B. Reynolds

D. W. Gatlin

JULY 7, 1950.

Commissioners' Court met in Special Session with all members present.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Returns of elections held at Harmony Com. Co. Line CSD #15 on July 6, 1950 be tabulated as follows:

For maintenance Tax 36 votes

Against " " 1 Vote