

Feb. 12, 1951.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Upshur County lease one caterpillar Used No. 212 Motor Grader, Serial No. 1R594 from R. B. George Equipment Company, the lease to end on Dec. 31, Terms of lease fully described in lease filed in County Clerk's office. County Clerk is authorized and instructed to issue warrants on R & B #3 Fund accordingly.

H. L. Elwell  
 Jim Shockey  
 E. W. Shaw  
 J. E. Venn  
 Horace Morris.

Feb. 16, 1951.

Motion made, seconded and carried that the Budget be amended to appropriate \$10,000.00 of Permanent Imp. Funds to be used for further purchase of Right of Way and fencing Hwy #155. County Auditor is authorized to so amend Budget of Upshur County.

H. L. Elwell  
 Jim Shockey  
 E H Shaw  
 Horace Morris.

MARCH 17, 1951

Commissioners' Court met in Special Session with Jim Shockey, J. E. Venn and H. L. Elwell present.

Motion made, seconded and carried to employ Charles Chappell as Engineer for the designing and construction of roads and streets in Road District 3-A Upshur County. Fee to be paid Engineer is 7 1/2% of cost of construction.

Motion made, seconded and carried to employ W. L. Woodard to move houses on highway 155, at \$786.55 as per bid dated 3-13-51. Bid on File.

H. L. Elwell  
 Jim Shockey  
 J. E. Venn.

MARCH 31, 1951.

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

Motion made, seconded and carried to transfer \$4000.00 from R & B Fund to R & B #3 Fund to be paid back the 18th day of April, 1951.

Motion made, seconded and carried that warrants be issued on Permanent School Fund in the amount of \$163.31 payable to Available School Fund to repay interest due 7-15-50 and in amount of \$130.00 due available school fund from interest on Bond 19-20 Union Hill School District.

H. L. Elwell  
 Jim Shockey  
 E. H. Shaw  
 J. E. Venn  
 Horace Morris.

April 2, 1951.

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

Motion made, seconded and carried that Warrant be issued to Bruce Morris for \$150.00 for expense money for trip to Austin. Warrant to be issued out of R & B Fund.

Motion made, seconded and carried that Special Road Bonds Dist. #7, dated 5-15-19 and dated optional May 15, 1951, Bonds Nos 175-181-183-187 to be called for payment.

Motion made, seconded and carried that County Health Unit be maintained for the year 1952.

Motion made, seconded and carried that returns of Election held Mar. 28, 1951, in Bethlehem Common School District No. 20 for issuance of Bonds and levying of the tax in payment thereof be tabulated as follows:

For issuance of Bonds and levying tax in payment thereof 37 votes

Against issuance of bonds and levying tax in payment thereof 0 votes.

The above tabulation indicates and it is hereby ordered that said election carried in the affirmative.

ORDER DECLARING RESULT OF BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS |

COUNTY OF UPSHUR |

BETHLEHEM COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 20.

On this the 2nd day of April, 1951, the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, convened in special session with the following members present, to-wit:

- H. L. ELWELL, COUNTY JUDGE,
- JIM SHOCKEY, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1,
- E. H. SHAW, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2,
- J. E. VENN, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3,
- HORACE MORRIS, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4,

and the following absent: NONE, constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings, passed the following order:

There came on to be considered the returns of an election held on the 28th day of March, 1951, in Bethlehem Common School District No. 20, on the proposition of issuing bonds as provided in the order calling said election and it appearing that said election was in all respects legally held and that said returns were duly and legally made and that there were cast at said election 37 valid and legal votes, of which number there were cast:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"-----37 votes,

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"----- 0 votes.

IT IS THEREFORE FOUND AND DECLARED AND SO ORDERED, by the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, that a majority of the legally qualified property taxpaying voters who owned taxable property in said School District and who had duly rendered the same for taxation, voting at said election, voted for the issuance of said bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof, and that therefore, this Court is authorized to issue said bonds and to levy and have assessed and collected said tax in payment thereof.

The above order being read, it was moved by Commissioner Horace Morris and seconded by Commissioner J. E. Venn that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted AYE: Shockey, Shaw, Venn and Morris, and the following voted NO: None.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED, This the 2nd day of April, 1951.

- H. L. Elwell, County Judge
- Jim Shockey, Commissioner Precinct No. 1
- E. H. Shaw, Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
- J. E. Venn, Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
- Horace Morris, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

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