



# UPSHUR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

GILMER, TEXAS

October 21, 1971

Commissioners Court met in special session with all members present. Motion made & seconded to authorize payment of \$8,124.64 to Gulf Pipe Line Division for relocation of pipe lines on U. S. Highway 80 as per revised estimate. After completion of work as approved by resident Highway Engineer.  
Motion carried.

Opie Nobles  
E. P. Lanning  
Bryant Hobbs  
Neal McCary

Motion made and seconded to participate with ETCOG in Emergency Employment Program in Upshur County to employ two additional persons for Sheriff Dept. One Deputy and one Radio Dispatcher.  
Motion carried.

Opie Nobles  
E. P. Lanning  
Bryant Hobbs  
Neal McCary

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GENERAL FUND  
OCTOBER, 1971

<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
806	Postmaster	Postage	\$200.00
807	Postmaster	Postage	72.00
808	Graves Electric	Repairs	85.35
809	Luther Lagrone	Trip to John Sealy	25.85
810	Postmaster	Tax Statement Postage	723.92
811	What's New in Home Econ.	Educational Material	8.00
812	Fore Cast	Educational Material	6.00
813	Postmaster	Postage	8.00
814	Urbine S. Lange	Repairs	28.00
815	Postmaster	Postage	10.40
816	Virgil Means	Wolf Bounty	5.00
817	James L. Weeden	Wolf Bounty	5.00
818	Ark-La Gas Co.	Service	31.73
819	Turner Bros Funeral Home	Welfare	25.00
820	Gilmer Mirror	Supplies	478.83
821	West Publishing Co.	Law Library	500.50
822	Doyle Johnson, Sheriff	Expense	14.08
823	Drennan & Whiteside Gar.	Repairs	41.19
824	Herbert L. Young	Janitor Supplies	10.20
825	Stevens Electric Co.	Repairs	92.87
826	Frank Calvert Sales	Air Conditioner	329.00
827	Industrial Uniform & Towel	Janitor Supplies	15.80
828	Construction Supply Co.	Repairs	6.59
829	VOID		
830	Diamond Shamrock Corp.	Gas	45.25
831	M & M Typewriter Service	Tyewriter	545.00
832	Estelle Davis	Janitor Supplies	57.00
833	Walraven	Supplies	106.40
834	Story-Wright, Inc.	Supplies	32.19
835	Dewey McCurry	Wolf Bounties	5.00
836	Monroe	Supplies	156.50
837	Bro-Dart, Inc.	Books	17.41
838	Hill Printing & Stationery	Supplies	292.00
839	B & L Supply Co.	Janitor Supplies	107.40
840	Stafford Lowdon Co.	Supplies	189.45
841	Phillips Petroleum Co.	Gas	11.59
842	American Petrofina	Gas	51.92
843	Mobil Oil Corp.	Gas	108.40
844	E. H. McClure Co.	Supplies-Health Unit	334.33
845	Net'l Police Information	Supplies	12.50
846	Gulf Oil Corp.	Gas	62.52
847	Texaco, Inc.	Gas	72.41
848	Humble Oil & Refining	Gas	50.98
849	Cook Hdw & Furn	Supplies	17.60
850	Gilmer Packing Plant	Welfare	23.36
851	Steck-Warlic Co.	Supplies	48.85
852	itek Business	Supplies	1027.80
853	Morgan Hdw & Furn	Sheriff Exp.	6.00
854	Glyn H. Harwell	Autopsy	200.00
855	Ralph Byman Agency	Bonds	147.28
856	Fennell Super Service	Janitor Supplies	1.60
857	Herbert L. Young	Tires	53.10
858	East Texas Chem Co.	Janitor Supplies	48.00
859	M & T Office Machines	Repairs	65.50
860	Douglas Medlin	Wolf Bounty	5.00
861	International Exterminator	Service	28.00
862	Tex Co & Dist Retirement	Retirement	337.62
863	New Eng Mutual Life	Insurance	365.59
864	American Gen Life Ins	Insurance	70.52
865	Tax Assessor Collector	Overs & Unders	33.18
866	Lavester Bryant	Wolf Bounty	5.00
867	Helen Moore	Pauper	10.00
868	Tommy Ingram	Wolf Bounty	5.00
869	A. J. Blundell	Wolf Bounties	15.00
870	Jessie Mae Buchanan	Wolf Bounty	5.00

871	Robert Blackman	Wolf Bounty	5.00
872	Cyril Ballard	Wolf Bounty	5.00
873	Ellen Harris	Gen Exp to Hosp	10.00
874	Secretary of State	Notary Fee-Crow	2.00
875	First National Bank	W H Tax	243.90
876	Henry Harden	DPS Janitor	20.00
877	Luella Smith	Bus Ticket to Hosp	25.80
878	Betty Warren	Wolf Bounty	5.00
879	W. D. Henson	Wolf Bounty	5.00
880	Swepeco	Service	739.30
881	Upshur REA	Service	7.22
882	General Telephone Co.	Service	554.22
883	L. G. McKinley	Exp to Conference	150.00
884	Wayne Buchanan	Wolf Bounty	5.00
885	Void		
886	A. J. Blundell	Wolf Bounties	10.00
887	Postmaster	Postage	200.00
888	David Dorsett	Wolf Bounty	5.00
889	Bruce Morris	Exp to Austin	65.90
890	Bruce Morris, Jr.	Salary	466.21
891	Ramah L. Hudson	Salary	354.95
892	Anne Belle Collier	Salary	251.01
893	Edward L. Davis	Salary	247.21
894	Mozelle Duncan	Salary	94.80
895	Bessie Faye Hill	Salary	215.06
896	Clara Bennett	Travel Expense	75.00
897	Alva Cleo Snow	Salary	186.67
898	Artie Tennison	Salary	90.46
899	Perry J. Higginbotham	Salary	182.60
900	Lonnie Nix	Salary	174.45
901	Charlie Willis	Salary	220.88
902	Willie S. Thompson	Salary	83.33
903	Willie S. Thompson	Travel Expense	75.00
904	Upshur County Health Unit	Office Expense	20.00
905	C. F. Wallace	Travel Expense	75.00
906	Thomas E. Marshall	Salary	312.89
907	Thomas E. Marshall	Travel Expense	50.00
908	Ore City Fire Dept.	Fire Prevention	20.00
909	Ewell Service Club, Inc.	Fire Prevention	25.00
910	City of Big Sandy	Fire Prevention	25.00
911	City of Gilmer	Fire Prevention	200.00
912	S. E. Morgan	Radio Contract	15.00
913	Rex Varner	Hauling	200.00
914	Evelyn Simpson	Salary	168.75
915	Evelyn Simpson	Travel Expense	75.00
916	County Judge-Titus Co.	Whse Storage	57.00
917	E. S. Simpson	Travel	40.00
918	W. C. Jones	Travel	40.00
919	John Henry	Salary	173.25
920	John Henry	Travel	75.00
921	Upshur County Library	Extra Help & Janitor	110.00
922	Auline Smith	Pauper	10.00
923	Mrs. George Helms	Pauper	10.00
924	Cub Cooper	Pauper	10.00
925	Jessie Dean Hall	Pauper	10.00
926	Eugene Bolton	Pauper	10.00
927	Alex Strickland	Pauper	10.00
928	Jo Ann Armstrong	Pauper	10.00
929	Buford O. Hubbard	Pauper	10.00
930	Ozell Walton	Pauper	10.00
931	Sam Henry Ford	Pauper	10.00
932	Callie Boyd	Pauper	10.00
933	Charlie Hugh Melton	Pauper	10.00
934	Hulene Moore	Pauper	10.00
935	Ethel Rosse Daniels	Pauper	10.00
936	Henen Moore	Pauper	10.00
937	County Judge Kaufman Co.	Mental-Shirley Blackmon	50.63
938	C. H. Pitman	SS Report	35.00
939	Mrs. Clyde Hogue	Wolf Bounties	10.00
940	Mae Etta Shepperd	Wolf Bounty	5.00
941	Ronnie Tutor	Wolf Bounty	5.00
942	Daniel Clausius	Welfare	10.00
943	Doyle Nugent	Wolf Bounty	5.00
944	Texas Bus line	Ticket to Hosp	25.85

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945	A. J. Blundell	Wolf Bounty	5.00
946	Tandy Fannin	Labor	40.00
947	Void		
948	Mrs. E. L. Davis	Labor	180.00
949	Ray Gipson	Labor	40.00
950	Buck Wright	Labor	50.00
951	R. L. Hudson	Exp to Greenville	20.00
952	Kathy Latham	Vocation School	44.10
953	Pat McReynolds	Wolf Bounty	50.00
954	Carolyn Davis	Voc School	58.10
955	Anne Utter	Voc School	60.20

*E. P. Walker*  


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*Bryant Helms*  


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NO FUND

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160	Texas County & Dist Ret System	Ret.	\$ 31.96
161	New England Mutual Life Ins. Co.	Ins.	35.59
162	First National Bank	W H Tax	36.00
163	Jack G. Scott	Court Exp.	50.00
164	Jack G. Scott	Salary	252.45

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462	West Publishing Co.	Books	100.00
463	Ralph Byman Agency	Ins-Sheriff Auto	327.00
464	Sargent-Sowell, Inc.	Road Sign	8.44
465	Texas County & Dist Ret System	Ret.	59.06
466	New England Mutual Life Ins. Co.	Ins.	33.20
467	First National Bank-Gilmer	Soc. Sec.	6,863.12
468	First National Bank	W H Tax	36.50
469	First National Bank	Lease Agree.	2,090.00
470	L. G. McKinley	Salary	517.77
471	General Fund	Trans.-Loan	15,000.00

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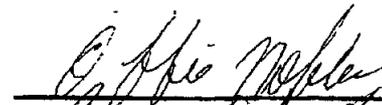
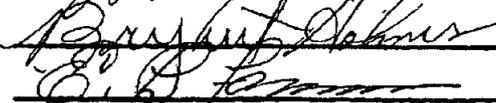
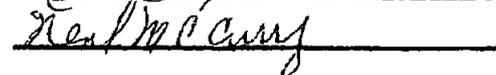

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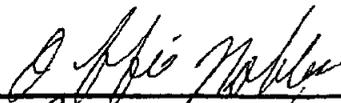
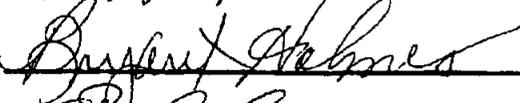
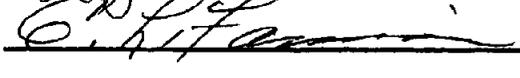
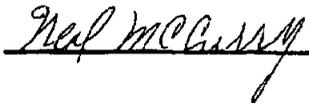
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1290	Doyle Johnson, Sheriff	Jail Groceries	\$ 252.75
1291	Texas County & District Ret. Sys.	Retirement	880.12
1292	New England Mutual Life Ins. Co.	Insurance	827.18
1293	American General Life Ins. Co.	Insurance	23.31
1294	First National Bank	WH Tax	788.00
1295	Bill Doc Jenkins	Extra Deputy	75.00
1296	Mary Rose Nash	Salary	92.35
1297	LaVelle Crow	Salary	171.80
1298	Doyle L. Johnson	Salary	508.97
1299	W. C. Jones	Salary	491.47
1300	O. W. Loyd	Salary	470.96
1301	James L. Williams	Salary	396.02
1302	Carl H. Pitman	Salary	372.48
1303	Jack C. Ellenberg	Salary	395.42
1304	Nevell G. Kellar	Salary	387.37
1305	JoAnn Van Zandt	Salary	248.26
1306	Lynn Quinn	Salary	271.75
1307	Nelcine Redfern	Salary	248.26
1308	Bobbie E. Hankins	Salary	248.26
1309	Linda Faye Conway	Salary	249.71
1310	Pauline Delaney	Salary	262.80
1311	Geraldine Tucker	Salary	240.51
1312	Kathryn G. Campbell	Salary	240.51
1313	Laura V. Gunn	Salary	231.21
1314	Lucille Underwood	Salary	240.51
1315	Leta Fowler	Salary	130.17
1316	Mimmie Elwell	Salary	231.21
1317	Shirley Moore	Salary	248.26
1318	E. S. Simpson	Salary	177.10
1319	Davener Tye	Salary	123.19
1320	Leon Willeford	Salary	80.06
1321	W. C. Howell	Salary	80.06
1322	Robert Anderson	Salary	80.06
1323	VOID	VOID	VOID
1324	George Smith	Salary	107.69
1325	H. S. Taff	Salary	111.99
1326	Cyril Bennett	Salary	111.99
1327	Gastel Turner	Salary	13.00
1328	W. C. Jones	Comm. Cert. of Title	30.00
1329	Bruce Morris	Comm. Cert. of Title	30.00
1330	E. L. Culver	Salary	361.49
1331	Tax Assessor Collector	Extra Help	118.00
1332	Davener Tye	Travel	40.00
1333	W. A. Byrd	Travel	30.00
1334	Ronald R. Towery	Salary	166.85
1335	Pete E. Dugger	Salary	405.77
1336	W. A. Byrd	Salary	80.06
1337	Betty White	Labor	54.00


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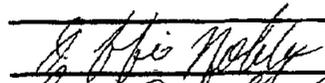
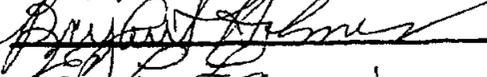
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964	Gulf Oil Corp	Fuel	\$ 84.87
965	Upshur R E A	Service	6.23
966	Otis Jones	Gravel	14.40
967	Cook Hdw. & Furn.	Materials	3.25
968	Bill & Tobe Gro.	Ice	17.50
969	Wood County-Prec #3	Road Oil	360.00
970	American Petrofina	Road Oil	825.81
971	Gregg Salvage & Supply	Pipe	73.70
972	Texas Bitulithic Co.	Asphalt	130.00
973	Long Motor Co.	Parts	25.15
974	Goodyear Service Stores	Tires & Repairs	130.06
975	Darr Equipment Co.	Parts	35.78
976	York Pump & Equip. Co.	Parts	6.32
977	Geo. P. Bane, Inc.	Parts	197.82
978	Economy Auto Supply	Parts	6.36
979	Modern Tractor Co.	Parts	.60
980	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	148.52
981	Wood Co.-Prec #3	Road Oil	240.00
982	Texas Co & Dist Ret System	Ret.	251.86
983	New England Mutual Life Ins Co.	Ins.	196.10
984	First National Bank	Lse Agrmt	1,150.00
985	First National Bank	W H Tax	129.70
986	R & B #2	Refund	60.00
987	Joe Dillard	Labor	59.40
988	Allen Bland	Salary	274.84
989	Allen Bland	Auto Exp	55.00
990	Morris S. Jones	Salary	257.79
991	Morris S. Jones	Auto Exp	55.00
992	Austin Davis	Salary	265.64
993	Austin Davis	Auto Exp	55.00
994	Garland Smith	Salary	257.79
995	Garland Smith	Auto Exp	55.00
996	John D. Willeford	Salary	280.65
997	John D. Willeford	Auto Exp	55.00
998	Offie Nobles	Salary	500.17
999	Offie Nobles	Auto Exp	100.00

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<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
952	Texas Co. & Dist. Ret. System	Retirement	\$ 214.66
953	New England Mutual Life Ins. Co.	Insurance	174.23
954	State Reserve Life Ins. Co.	Insurance	16.83
955	Warrick Auto Supply	Parts	2.04
956	Herbert L. Young	Brake Fluid	4.51
957	Floyd's Gulf Station	Tire Repair	8.00
958	Darby Equipment Co.	Repairs	29.25
959	Eastex Welding Supply Co.	Materials	127.27
960	Goodyear Service Store	Tire Repairs	43.63
961	Texas Bus Lines	Freight	2.30
962	Cook Hdw. & Furn.	Materials	19.25
963	Jimmy Rushin Welding Service	Repairs	10.00
964	Continental Belton Co.	Parts	43.25
965	Adams' Paint & Body Shop	Welding	3.00
966	Yazell Chev.-Olds	Parts	1.95
967	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	401.18
968	American Petrofina	Road Oil	1651.65
969	Geo. P. Bane, Inc.	Parts	144.75
970	Gottingham Bearing Corp.	Parts	39.48
971	York Pump & Equip. Co.	Parts	107.11
972	Long Motor Co.	Parts	5.53
973	Modern Tractor Co.	Parts	23.95
974	Etex Telephone Coop.	Service	9.70
975	Western Auto Store	Keys	.85
976	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	410.56
977	Herbert L. Young	Tires	776.69
978-	First National Bank	W H Tax	89.10
979	Etex Telephone Coop, Inc.	Service	19.40
980	Texas Bus Lines	Freight	1.50
981	Eugene Adams	Salary	266.40
982	Eugene Adams	Auto Expense	60.00
983	Robbie D. Hill	Salary	257.05
984	Robbie D. Hill	Auto Expense	60.00
985	James W. Meadows	Salary	254.31
986	James W. Meadows	Auto Expense	75.00
987	Nathaniel Hollis	Salary	266.40
988	Nathaniel Hollis	Auto Expense	60.00
989	Bryant Holmes	Salary	482.77
990	Bryant Holmes	Auto Expense	100.00


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<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
1014	Economy Auto Supply	Parts	\$ 57.73
1015	Modern Tractor Co.	Parts	4.94
1016	Gulf Oil Corp	Fuel	278.54
1017	Cox Vending Co.	Ice	54.00
1018	R. D. Arrington	Gravel	37.35
1019	G. V. Shattles	Gravel	15.75
1020	Clarence Lambert	Gravel	8.55
1021	Georgie Mae Marshall	Gravel	6.75
1022	Pat Turner	Grader Blades	28.80
1023	Heber's Radiator & Lawn Mower	Repairs	71.25
1024	H. D. Youngblood	Gasoline	6.52
1025	Gilmer Welding Service	Welding	5.00
1026	American Petrofina	Road Oil	1,323.76
1027	Goodyear Service Stores	Tire Repair	47.99
1028	Long Motor Company	Parts	8.52
1029	Tractor Parts Dist. Inc.	Parts	16.80
1030	Geo. P. Bane, Inc.	Repairs & Parts	195.45
1031	Upshur R E A	Service	6.25
1032	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	295.73
1033	Texas County & Dist Ret System	Ret.	245.76
1034	New England Mutual Life Ins Co.	Ins.	196.12
1035	First National Bank	W H Tax	128.70
1036	E. G. Hail	Salary	268.65
1037	E. G. Hail	Auto Exp.	60.00
1038	George Pool	Salary	254.94
1039	George Pool	Auto Exp.	75.00
1040	Maxie Tefteller	Salary	266.40
1041	Maxie Tefteller	Auto Exp.	60.00
1042	Calvin E. Langford	Salary	266.40
1043	Calvin E. Langford	Auto Exp.	60.00
1044	Arnel Murrell	Salary	257.05
1045	Arnel Murrell	Auto Exp.	60.00
1046	E. L. Fannin	Salary	474.17
1047	E. L. Fannin	Auto Exp.	100.00
1048	Delbert Craig	Labor	132.00

*O. P. Fannin*  


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*Bryant Heber*  


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*E. L. Fannin*  


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*Neil McCarty*  


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CHECK NO.	RECEIVER	FOR	AMOUNT
995	Charles Morse	Gravel	\$ 13.50
996	American Petrofina	Road Oil	2462.37
997	Orville Rutledge	Mowing ROW	396.00
998	Long Motor Co.	Repairs	50.34
999	Underwood Ins. Agency	Insurance	779.00
1000	Rutledge Post Yars	Posts	7.20
1001	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	308.71
1002	Herbert L. Young	Automatic Nozzle	30.87
1003	Etex Telepone Coop.	Service	9.97
1004	Warrick Auto Supply	Parts	3.94
1005	Gilmer Seed & Feed Co.	Materials	26.00
1006	Herbert L. Young	Battery	21.29
1007	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	364.54
1008	A. C. Lowry Ice Co.	Ice	12.60
1009	Modern Tracotr Co.	Repairs	70.29
1010	Economy Auto Supply	Parts	31.92
1011	Clinnard Wreckig Yard	Oxygen	5.92
1012	Ed Hard Ford Inc.	Repairs	38.00
1013	Darr Equipment Co.	Parts	58.10
1014	Texas Co. & Dist. Ret. System	Retirement	185.14
1015	New England Mutual Life Ins. Co.	Insurance	191.29
1016	First National Bank	W H Tax	111.00
1017	George T. Glover	Salary	251.60
1018	George T. Glover	Auto Expense	60.00
1019	Orville Rutledge	Salary	254.94
1020	Orville Rutledge	Auto Expense	75.00
1021	Ivory G. Johnson	Salary	266.40
1022	Ivory G. Johnson	Auto Expense	60.00
1023	Neal McCurry	Salary	465.47
1024	Neal McCurry	Auto Expense	100.00
1025	Fred C. Warnell	Salary	171.91
1026	Fred C. Warnell	Auto Expense	40.00
1027	VOID	VOID	VOID
1028	VOID	VOID	VOID
1029	Rodney K. Feese	Salary	153.01
1030	Rodney K. Feese	Auto Expense	36.00
1031	Audean Coppedge	Mowing	240.00
1032	VOID	VOID	VOID
1033	Audean Coppedge	Mowing	180.00
1034	Rodney K. Feese	Salary	113.39
1035	Rodney K. Feese	Auto Expense	24.00

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*Bryant Adams*  
*O. P. Farris*  
*Neal McCurry*

TAX ROLL CONTRACT

STATE OF TEXAS I  
COUNTY OF UPSHUR I KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS.

THAT WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court  
of \_\_\_\_\_

Upshur County, Texas, hereinafter styled First Party, in the performance of its duties as the governing body of such First Party, has contemplated the employment of experts possessing special skills, scientific knowledge, and technical ability and equipment, so as to perform for said First Party data processing services in the preparation of the tax rolls, tax statements, receipts, and inventories and/or furnishing supplies in connection therewith, and the printing of such tax rolls, tax statements, receipts, and inventories by the use of data processing equipment such as International Business Machines, and/or other electrical or electronic processing equipment for the years hereinafter set forth, and;

WHEREAS, First Party now finds and declares that there is a necessity that the tax officers of said First Party be supplied with such data processing services and/or supplies used in connection therewith, so as to enable First Party and its tax officers to more economically perform their duties in connection with the preparation of such tax rolls, tax statements, receipts, and inventories, and

WHEREAS, it has been ascertained and determined that Pritchard & Abbott, a partnership composed of E. S. Pritchard and John L. Abbott of Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas, hereinafter styled Second Party, has special skill and ability, and scientific and technical knowledge and equipment, so as to enable it to perform such data processing services and/or to furnish supplies in connection therewith, and it is the purpose of First Party to employ the services of Second Party for said purposes:

IT IS, THEREFORE, AGREED by and between the parties hereto as follows:

I.

Second Party agrees to process all basic data and to prepare and print, using such data processing equipment as International Business Machines and/or other mechanical and/or electronic processing equipment, tax rolls, tax statements, receipts, and inventories, and all other necessary parts of complete tax rolls for First Party for the years 1972, 1973, and \_\_\_\_\_, and/or furnish all supplies necessary for the preparation of the same, and to print and record, upon forms approved by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, such tax rolls, tax statements, receipts, and inventories, and other necessary parts of complete tax rolls for said years.

II.

Second Party agrees to cooperate with the taxing officers of said First Party and to deliver completed tax rolls, tax statements, receipts, and inventories, and other necessary parts of complete tax rolls to said First Party as soon after being supplied with the basic information to be recorded thereon, as shall be reasonably practicable for said years.

III.

It is distinctly understood and agreed, any word, phrase, or sentence hereof to the contrary notwithstanding, that it is not the intention of the parties hereto to invade or usurp the powers, duties, or prerogatives of the Tax Assessor-Collector of First Party, said Tax Assessor-Collector having heretofore approved the execution of this contract, the same being executed for the purpose of enabling First Party to take advantage of the opportunity for the most economical preparation of such tax rolls, tax statements, receipts, and inventories, as herein provided.

First Party finds and determines that special, scientific skill, knowledge and ability, and scientific and technical equipment are essential to the performance of the services by Second Party under the terms of this contract, and that the

employment of said Second Party constitutes the employment of skilled experts, in special instances to prepare tax records of said First Party.

## IV.

For and in consideration of the skilled services, technical knowledge, ability, experience, and use of equipment, and/or the materials to be supplied by Second Party in the performance of the services herein provided for, First Party agrees to compensate Second Party on the basis of .18 cents per item of property appearing upon the tax rolls of said First Party, for each of the years 1972, and 1973, to be paid out of the lawful funds of said First Party. An item of property exists wherever a value is shown on the tax roll.

## V.

It is further understood and agreed that First Party will issue or cause to be issued to Second Party, warrants drawn against the lawful funds of said First Party, and payable out of current revenues for each of the years of this contract, in payment for the services performed and/or materials supplied as provided for herein.

## VI.

First Party specifically obligates itself to, at any time same may become necessary, pass and enter of record such other or further orders as may be proper and necessary to fully authorize and lawfully facilitate the payment of all sums due Second Party for performance of services and/or furnishing supplies as provided for herein.

It is further distinctly understood and agreed that although First Party is creating by the terms hereof a debt and obligation on the part of First Party, said First Party does hereby undertake and obligate itself to levy a tax sufficient to make payment of the sum herein provided to be paid out of current revenues for the tax years covered by this contract, and thereby does here and now make provision for the payment of the debt thus created.

VII.

Second Party agrees that First Party will in no way be obligated or indebted to said Second Party or its agents, servants, or employees, for salaries, expenses, materials, or other charges, except only as herein specifically otherwise provided.

VIII.

It is further distinctly understood and agreed that if any word, phrase, sentence, paragraph, or provision of this contract shall be, for any reason, declared or adjudicated to be invalid, such declaration or adjudication shall not effect the validity of the remaining portions hereof, and it is additionally distinctly understood and agreed that this is a divisible contract and the services herein provided to be performed and the compensation herein provided to be paid for the tax years 1972 and 1973 are each hereby found and declared to be separate and distinct, and divisible from the services to be performed and the compensation to be paid for each of such other years.

The execution of this contract is authorized by proper Resolution duly adopted by First Party and duly entered upon its minutes.

Executed in duplicate this the 8 day of November, 19 71.

Upshur County, Texas  
FIRST PARTY

L. G. McDaniel  
J. H. McDaniel  
Raymond Johnson  
Ed. P. ...  
Neil McCord

PRITCHARD & ABBOTT  
SECOND PARTY

By Wayland Lewis

## APPROVAL OF TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF UpshurI  
I KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS  
I

THAT, WHEREAS, I W. C. "Bill" Jones, the TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR of county-taxes of Upshur County, Texas, am charged by law with certain responsibilities in connection with the annual preparation of tax rolls, tax statements, tax receipts, and tax inventories of the said County of Upshur County, Texas; and

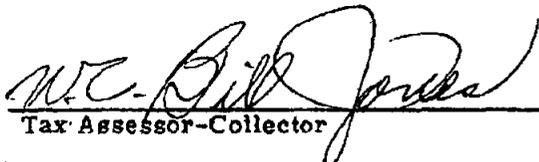
WHEREAS, it has come to my attention that in recent years computers using electronic data processing techniques have been programmed to perform the mechanical and mathematical details in connection with the preparation of tax rolls, tax statements, tax receipts, and tax inventories, and that these electronic data processing techniques are now being made available to tax offices by companies possessing technical skill, ability and equipment necessary for the preparation of tax rolls, tax statements, tax receipts, and tax inventories; and

WHEREAS, Pritchard and Abbott, a partnership composed of E. S. Pritchard and John L. Abbott of Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas, is a company possessing such technical skill, ability and equipment and has offered its professional tax roll services to me and my office; and

WHEREAS, I find that these services will provide me and my office with a convenient and efficient method of handling the purely mechanical and mathematical details for the preparation of tax rolls, tax statements, tax receipts, and tax inventories and will in no way invade or usurp the powers, duties, or prerogatives of me and my office.

NOW, THEREFORE, having considered all the above, I hereby approve of the governing body of this taxing jurisdiction entering into a contract with Pritchard

and Abbott for the preparation of tax-rolls, tax statements, tax receipts, and tax inventories.

  
Tax Assessor-Collector