

IN THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF UPSHUR COUNTY,
TEXAS

ON THIS, the 8th day of January, 1973, at a regular session of the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County, Texas, a quorum thereof being present, the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

Motion duly made and seconded and after a vote thereon the same was declared adopted that the salary of the Assistant Criminal District Attorney be that of Six Thousand and No/100 (\$6,000.00) Dollars per year to be paid in twelve (12) equal installments.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have hereunto subscribed our official signatures this the 8th day of January, A.D. 1973.

L. A. McKim
COUNTY JUDGE, UPSHUR COUNTY, TEXAS

O. H. Hester
COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. ONE

C. Antrell Loyd
COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. TWO

Charles L. Mill
COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. THREE

Neal McCray
COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. FOUR

**UPSHUR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT**

GILMER, TEXAS

January 8, 1973

Commissioners Court of Upshur County, Texas met in regular session with all members present. It was resolved by the Court to authorizing The State Welfare Department to renovate the space at County Rock Building now being used by the Surplus Commodity Program. This space to be renovated at State expense in accordance with State building regulations and plans. After renovation the offices will be used by the State Welfare Department for the Food Stamp Program. This resolution approved by Commissioners Court.

L. H. McKeenleyO. P. NobleC. Antrell BoydCharles L. StillNed McCray



UPSHUR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

GILMER, TEXAS
January 8, 1973

The Commissioners Court of Upshur County met in regular session with all members present. Motion was made and seconded that Road & Bridge employees salaries be set at \$370.00 per month and travel allowance be set at \$100.00 per month. Foreman salary be set at \$390.00 per month and travel allowance at \$100.00 per month. This salary and travel allowance be effective January 1, 1973. Motion carried.

Obbie Nobles

Carroll Loyd

Charles L. Still

Neal McCamy

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GENERAL FUND

January, 1973

<u>CHECK NO</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
0619	James Hall	Bounty	5.00
0620	Tom Fluellen	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0621	Acie Watkins	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0622	Urbine S. Lange	Repair	17.75
0623	Barney Mealin	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0624	A. J. Blundell	Wolf Bounty	15.00
0625	Betty Stanley	Extra Labor Library	21.00
0626	Jimmy Bennett	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0627	Graves Electric & Mch. Co.	Courthouse Repairs	404.70
0628	First Natl Bank	W. H. Tax	260.90
0629	Texas County & Dist. Ret System	Ret	319.36
0630	New England Mutual Life Ins.	Ins.	492.44
0631	American Gen. Life Ins Co.	Ins.	43.36
0632	Julian Thomas	Refund Lunacy #3495	40.00
0633	General Telephone Co.	Service	630.86
0634	Clyde Hogue	Wolf Bounties	30.00
0635	Clifford Culberson	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0636	Danny Spencer	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0637	Southwester Elec. Power Co.	Service	276.90
0638	Southern Microfilm	Microfilm	399.36
0639	Lee Standefer	Sheriffs Expense	9.58
0640	The Baker & Taylor Co.	Library Books	316.73
0641	Shafer Pharmacy	Sheriff Expense	26.55
0642	Prother & Courier Ins. Agency	Offical bond Pre- miums	37.00
0643	3m Business Products Sales Inc.	Library Supplies	414.25
0644	Thames Book Co.	Library Supplies	11.95
0645	G. R. Riech & Son	Courthouse Repair	36.00
0646	Cook Hardware & Furn.	Janitor Supplies	69.27
0647	Diamond Sharmrock Corp.	Gasoline	18.56
0648	Humble Oil & Refining Co.	Gasoline	75.64
0649	Cool Hardware & Furn.	Locks	12.00
0650	Upshur County Chamber of Commerce	Contribution	300.00
0651	Billy D. Davis	D. P. S. Janitor	20.00
0652	Gilmer Hospital Inc.	Welfare	16.00
0653	Construction Supply	Repair	1.65
0654	American Petrofina	Gasoline	34.83
0655	Elliott Office Equipment Co.	Supplies	417.00
0656	Hill Studio	Pictures- Sheriff	13.15
0657	Prothro & Curier Ins. Agency	Bands	18.00
0658	Gilmer Wholesale Gro. Co.	Janitor Supplies	8.51
0659	Upshur REA	Service	14.56
0660	John Stewart Ins. Agency	Bands	138.60
0661	Texaco	Gasoline	45.55
0662	Mc Lendon Radeo Communications	Sheriff Expense	111.80
0663	Mc Lendon Radeo Communications	Sheriff Expense	52.30
0664	M. R. Patton	Atty Fees-deliquent	50.00
0665	Gulf Oil Corp	Gasoline	9.03
0666	Long Motor Company Inc.	Repair	30.65
0667	Atlantic Richfield Co.	Gasoline	3.71
0668	Mobil Oil Corp.	Gasoline	46.52
0669	Steck-Warlick Co.	Supplies	31.90
0670	B. & L. Supply Co.	Janitor Supply	30.80
0671	B. & L. Supply Co.	Janitor Supply	156.75
0672	The Gilmer Mirror	Supplies	319.94
0673	Wilburn Ins Agency	Offical Bond Pre- miums	23.00
0674	Stafford Lewden Co.	Supply	280.96
0675	Arkala Gas Company	Service	639.41
0676	Copi- Rite Inc	Supply	42.00
0677	National Cash Register Co.	Supply Co.	4.95
0678	Drennan & Whiteside Garage	Repair Sher. Auto	5.50
0679	Hill Printing & Stationery Co.	Supply	134.15
0680	Void	Void	134.15
0681	Long Motor Company	Sheriff Dept	17.95
0682	Gilmer Packing Plant	Commodities	35.20
0683	Estell Davis	Janitor Supplies	30.60
0684	International Exterminator Corp.	Service	14.00
0685	Stewart Office Supply Co.	Supply	18.50

GENERAL FUND (Cont.)

CHECK NO.	RECEIVER	FOR	\$AMOUNT
0686	J. C. Minter	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0687	C. V. Masoletti	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0688	Pete Dugger	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0689	C. L. Gray	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0690	M. O. Hendrix	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0691	M. W. Shrum	Wolf Bounty	10.00
0692	Jeff Johnson	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0693	Floyd Harmonds	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0694	Robert Ferguson	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0695	Everett Fannin	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0696	County Treasues Assoc. of Texas	Dues	5.00
0697	James Buchanan	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0698	Southwestern Electric Power Co.	Service	138.15
0699	First Nat'l Bank	Airport Warrant	5,250.00
0700	First Nat'l Bank	Void	4,200.00
0701	A. J. Blundell	Wolf Blunties	20.00
0702	Richey Gage	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0703	Postmaster	Postage	400.00
0704	James Gibbons	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0705	Bruce Morris Jr.	Salary	530.81
0706	Ramah Hudson	Salary	381.48
0707	Annie Belle Collier	Salary	269.02
0708	Edward L. Davis	Salary	144.75
0709	Edward L. Davis	Travel	100.00
0710	Mozella Duncan	Salary	103.56
0711	Bessue faye Hill	Salary	235.32
0712	Clare Bennett	Travel	75.00
0713	Alva Cleo Snow	Salary	187.15
0714	Georgia May Sayles	Salary	100.74
0715	Perry J. Higginbotham	Salary	201.81
0716	Lonnie Nix	Salary	189.40
0717	Charlie Willis	Salary	241.02
0718	Willie S. Thompson	Salary	125.00
0719	Willie S. Thompson	Travel	75.00
0720	Upshur County Health Unit	Office Expense	20.00
0721	Charles R. McKinney	Travel	75.00
0722	Thomas E. Marshall	Salary	335.86
0723	Thomas E. Marshall	Travel	50.00
0724	Ore City Fire Dept.	Prevention	25.00
0725	Ewell Service Clud Inc	Fire Prevention	25.00
0726	City Of Big Sandy	Fire Prevention	25.00
0727	City Of Gilmer	Fire Prevention	200.00
0728	S. E. Morgan	Radio Contract	15.00
0729	Rex Varner	Hauling Commodity	200.00
0730	Evelyn Simpsons	Travel	75.00
0731	Evelyn Simpsons	Salary	164.05
0732	E. S. Simpsons	Travel	100.00
0733	W. C. Jones	Travel	40.00
0734	John Henry	Salary	173.25
0735	John Henry	Travel	75.00
0736	Upshur County Library	Extra Help	110.00
0737	Estelle Davis	Labor	220.00
0738	Tandy Fannin	Labor	30.00
0739	Ruby Starks	Labor	20.00
0740	Scott Sissor	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0741	Tim Marshall	Labor	30.00
0742	Buck Wright	Labor	50.00
0743	Charles Poole	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0744	Mrs. George Helms	Pauper	10.00
0745	Cub Cooper	Pauper	10.00
0746	Jessie Dean Hall	Pauper	10.00
0747	Eugne Bolton	Pauper	10.00
0748	Alex Strickland	Pauper	10.00
0749	Jo Ann Armstrong	Pauper	10.00
0750	Buford O. Hubbard	Pauper	10.00
0751	Ozella Walton	Pauper	10.00
0752	Sam Henry Ford	Pauper	10.00
0753	Charlie Hugh Melton	Pauper	10.00
0754	Ethel Ross Daniels	Pauper	10.00
0755	Hulene Moore	Pauper	10.00
0756	Willa Mae Lane	pauper	10.00
0757	Sue Smith	Vocational School	62.10
0758	Irene Fisks	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0759	Denise Tefteller	Vocational School	73.35

GENERAL FUND (Cont.)

<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
0760	Annita Childress	Vocational School	50.85
0761	Audie Moore	Wolf Bounty	5.00
0762	F. & M. Nat'l Bank	Deposit Box	10.85

J. P. McCall

Carroll L. Lyle

Charles L. Still

Neal McCay

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SALARY

January, 1973

CHECK NO.	RECEIVER	FOR	\$AMOUNT
1999	First Nat'l Bank	W H Tax	1054.70
2000	Texas County & Dist Ret System	Ret	950.30
0001	New England Mutual Life Ins	Ins	994.62
0002	American Gen. Life Ins Co	Ins	21.36
0003	Doyle Johnson, Sheriff	Jail groceries	230.60
0004	Doyle Johnson,	Salary	597.77
0005	W. C. Jones	Salary	567.77
0006	O. W. Loyd	Salary	555.96
0007	James L. Williams	Salary	513.69
0008	Carl H. Pitman	Salary	479.83
0009	Jack C. Ellenberg	Salary	407.42
0010	Nevell G. Kellar	Salary	417.81
0011	James L. Robinson	Salary	447.42
0012	Lee O. Standefer	Salary	372.06
0013	Jo Ann Van Zandt	Salary	265.87
0014	Lynn Quinn	Salary	290.90
0015	Patria Owens	Salary	246.26
0016	Bobbie E. Hankins	Salary	265.87
0017	Patricia Williams	Salary	265.87
0018	Pauline Delaney	Salary	281.95
0019	Barbara Holloway	Salary	256.26
0020	LaVelle Crow	Salary	265.87
0021	Kathryn G. Campbell	Salary	246.26
0022	Laura V. Gunn	Salary	256.26
0023	Lucille Underwood	Salary	246.26
0024	Leta Fowler	Salary	129.26
0025	Minnie Elwell	Salary	271.29
0026	Shirley Moore	Salary	290.90
0027	E. S. Simpson	Salary	147.75
0028	Willa Stegall	Salary	110.55
0029	Leon Willeford	Salary	79.51
0030	W. C. Howell	Void	79.51
0031	John Worthington	Salary	79.51
0032	W. A. Byrd	Salary	79.51
0033	George Smith	Salary	101.12
0034	H. S. Taff	Salary	111.22
0035	Cyril Bennett	Salary	111.22
0036	Gastel Turner	Salary	13.00
0037	W. C. Jones	Comm. cert. of Title	30.00
0038	Bruce Morris	Comm. cert. of Title	30.00
0039	E. L. Culver	Salary	418.95
0040	Tax Assessor Collector	Extra help	136.00
0041	Willa Stegall	Travel expense	40.00
0042	W. A. Byrd	Travel expense	50.00
0043	L. G. McKinley	Salary	606.57
0044	C. H. Pitman	Social security report	35.00
0045	Joe E. Ferguson	Salary	79.51

Eddie Naylor

Carroll Boyd

Charles L. Hill

Neil McCaughey

NO FUND

January, 1973

<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>MUW</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
347	MUW	Business Services	Zip code directory	1.21
348	Jury	First Nat'l Bank	W H tax	47.10
349	MUW	First Nat'l Bank	W H tax	163.40
350	Jury	Texas County & Dist. Ret. System	Ret.	33.70
351	MUW	Texas County & Dist. Ret. System	Ret.	175.00
352	Jury	New England Mutal Life Ins Co.	Ins	44.76
353	MUW	New England Mutual Life Ins Co.	Ins	106.60
354	MUW	The Gilmer Mirror	Probation supplies	29.95
355	MUW	General Telephone Service	Service	116.50
356	MUW	Marion County Tel Service	Tel Service	3.50
357	MUW	John Johnson	Mileage	118.30
358	MUW	Wilfred Parker	Mileage	54.90
359	MUW	John Johnson	Probation expense	4.67
360	MUW	General Telephone Co. Service	Service	18.07
361	MUW	Postmaster	MUW postcards	3.00
362	MUW	Wilfred Parker	Salary	516.56
363	MUW	Wilfred Parker	Auto expense	100.00
364	MUW	John S. Johnson	Salary	525.50
365	MUW	John S. Johnson	Auto expense	100.00
366	MUW	Myrtle Skinner	Salary	244.25
367	MUW	The University of Texas Printing Division	Supplies	4.00
368	Jury	Jack G. Scott	Travel expense	50.00

J. P. M. M. M.

Carroll Lloyd

Charles L. Still

Wendell C. C. C.

NO FUND

January, 1973

<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>MUW</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
748	R&B	First Nat'l Bank	W H tax	
749	R&B	Texas Co & Dist. Ret. System	Ret.	45.80 65.00
750	R&B	New England Mutual Life Ins Co.	Ins.	42.42
271	Crimi- nal Jus- tice Fund	Robert S. Calvert, Comp- troller	Crim Tax	1439.25
272	Criminal Justice Fund	Salary Fund	Crim Tax Svc. Fee	75.75
273	Social Security	First Nat'l Bank	Social Security	7685.02
274	Perm School Fund	First State Bank-Big Sandy	CD	20,000.00
275	Jury	Jack G. Scott	Salary	256.12

J. J. Nash

Carroll Loyd

Charles L. Still

Neil Means

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ROAD AND BRIDGE #1

January, 1973

<u>CHECK NO</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
1456	First Nat'l Bank	W H Tax	166.10
1457	Texas County & Dist. Ret. Sys.	Ret.	257.80
1458	New England Mutual Life Ins	Ret.	248.56
1459	Gilmer Saw Co.	Repairs	3.00
1460	Upshur REA	Service	6.25
1461	Gregg Salvage & Supply	Culvert	130.00
1462	Wilburn Ins. Agency	Insurance	192.00
1463	Long Motor Co., Inc	Parts & Repairs	20.68
1464	Gilmer Tire & Battery Service	Battery	34.95
1465	Goodyear Service Store	Tube	6.52
1466	Diana Texaco Service	Tire repair	4.00
1467	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	102.45
1468	Joe Dillard	Labor	42.00
1469	First Nat'l Bank	Road Improvement War- rant 4,000 Warrant 200, Interest	4,200.00
1470	Allen Bland	Salary	318.65
1471	Allen Bland	Auto expense	100.00
1472	Morris S. Jones	Salary	299.04
1473	Morris S. Jones	Auto expense	100.00
1474	Austin Davis	Salary	318.65
1475	Austin Davis	Auto expense	100.00
1476	Garland Smith	Salary	299.04
1477	Garland Smith	Auto expense	100.00
1478	John D. Willeford	Salary	325.37
1479	John D. Willeford	Auto expense	100.00
1480	Offie Nobles	Void	567.77
1481	Offie Nobles	Auto expense	100.00
1482	Offie Nobles	Salary	567.77

Offie Nobles

Carroll Boyd

Charles F. Still

Walter McCarry

ROAD AND BRIDGE #2

January, 1973

<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
1486	First National Bank	W H tax	142.90
1487	Texas County & Dist. Ret. Sys.	Ret.	218.60
1488	New England Mutual Life Insa Co	Ins	209.35
1489	Frank Turner Trucking Co	Trucking tanks	240.00
1490	Gulf Oil Corp.	Fuel	112.70
1491	Economy Auto Supply	Parts	53.56
1492	Arnold Hardware	Materials	18.55
1493	Geo. P. Bane Inc.	Repairs	595.14
1494	Long Motor Co., Inc	Repairs	692.50
1495	Hawkins Wrecker Service	Repairs	72.00
1496	Upshur REA	Service	15.30
1497	Smith Oil Co.	Battery 24.95 oil 41.55	66.50
1498	Eugene Adams	Salary	309.04
1499	Eugene Adams	Auto expense	100.00
0001	Griffin E. Dye	Salary	328.65
0002	Griffin E. Dye	Auto expense	100.00
0003	Robert J. Stanley	Salary	318.65
0004	Robert J. Stanley	Auto expense	100.00
0005	Walter F. Hawkins	Salary	308.55
0006	Walter F. Hawkins	Void	100.00
0007	Walter F. Hawkins	Auto expense	100.00
0008	Oliver Tanner	Salary	328.65
0009	Oliver Tanner	Auto expense	100.00
0010	Cantrell Loyd	Salary	584.38
0011	Cantrell Loyd	Auto expense	100.00

E. J. McCall
Cantrell Loyd
Charles L. Still
Neil McCune

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ROAD AND BRIDGE #3

January, 1973

<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
704	First Nat'l Bank	W H tax	105.80
705	Texas County & Dist. Ret. Sys.	Ret.	220.60
706	New England Mutual Life Ins Co	Ins	170.76
707	Economy Auto Supply	Parts	5.00
708	Grady Holmes	Tile	216.90
709	Nations Garage	Repairs	26.45
710	Upshur REA	Service	6.25
711	Long Motor Co, Inc	Repairs	35.97
712	Gilmer Saw Co.	Saw repairs	30.30
713	Coker Enterprises	Supplies	36.00
714	Orville Mayfield	Gravel	51.75
715	Georgia May Marshall	Gravel	13.95
716	R D Arrington	Gravel	4.50
717	Goodyear Service Store	Tire & repairs	68.87
718	Gulf Oil Corp	Fuel	258.86
719	Nations Garage	Parts & repairs	54.50
720	Calvin E. Langford	Salary	348.35
721	Calvin E. Langford	Auto Expense	100.00
722	George Pool	Salary	315.37
723	George Pool	Auto expense	100.00
724	Merkel Fartherree	Salary	318.04
725	Merkel Fartherree	Auto expense	100.00
726	Clester Gage	Salary	308.65
727	Clester Gage	Auto expense	100.00
728	Charles L. Still	Salary	587.88
729	Charles L. Still	Auto expense	100.00

J. J. Noble

Castell Boyd

Charles L. Still

Neil M. Cunn

ROAD AND BRIDGE #4

January, 1973

<u>CHECK NO.</u>	<u>RECEIVER</u>	<u>FOR</u>	<u>\$AMOUNT</u>
0023	First Nat'l Bank	W H tax	142.70
0024	Texas County & Dist. Ret. Sys.	Ret.	220.60
0025	New England Mutual Life Ins Co	Ins	287.76
0026	State Reserve Life Ins Co.	Ins	16.83
0027	Southwestern Power & Elec Co.	Service	5.99
0028	Arnold Hardware	Materials	7.40
0029	Economy Auto Supply	Parts	33.56
0030	Gulf Oil Corp	Fuel	155.94
0031	O. L. Rutledge	Mowing ROW	748.00
0032	Etex Telephone Co.	Service	9.73
0033	American Petrofina	Road Oil	677.43
0034	George T. Glover	Salary	309.04
0035	George T. Glover	Auto expense	100.00
0036	Orville Rutledge	Salary	315.37
0037	Orville Rutledge	Auto expense	100.00
0038	Ivory G. Johnson	Salary	318.04
0039	Ivory G. Johnson	Auto expense	100.00
0040	James W. Meadows	Salary	317.84
0041	James W. Meadows	Auto expense	100.00
0042	Danny R. Phillips	Salary	299.04
0043	Danny R. Phillips	Auto expense	100.00
0044	Neal McCurry	Salary	547.77
0045	Neal McCurry	Auto expense	100.00
0046	Southwestern Electric Power	Service	9.06

J. J. H. H. H.

C. Antrell Boyd

Charles J. Hill

Neal McCurry

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COPY OF APPOINTMENT

COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER

I E. G. McKinley do hereby
 certify that on 18 day of January 1973,
 the Commissioners' Court of Upshur County,
 duly appointed J. L. Fenlaw, M. D. ;
 the County Health Officer of Upshur County,
 whose term shall begin on Feb. 7 1973 and end on
Feb. 7 1974, unless said officer is removed by law.

SIGNED E. G. McKinley County Judge

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at 10:29 o'clock 9 M.

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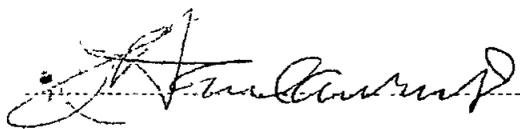
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 County Clerk, Upshur County, Texas
 By Pat Williams Deputy

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

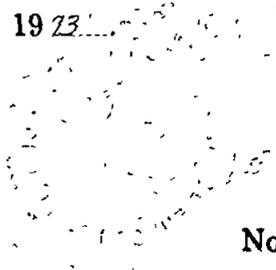
OATH OF OFFICE

I, J. L. Fenlaw, M. D., do solemnly swear (or affirm), that I will faithfully execute the duties of the office of Upshur County Health Officer of the State of Texas, and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State; and I furthermore solemnly swear (or affirm), that I have not directly nor indirectly paid, offered, or promised to pay, contributed, nor promised to contribute any money, or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, as a reward for the giving or withholding a vote at the election at which I was elected. So help me God.



MAILING ADDRESS

SWORN TO and Subscribed before me this 17th day of January, 1913.



Lacey M. Williams

Notary Public, Upshur County, Texas.

EVERETT L. CULVER
ASSISTANT CRIMINAL
DISTRICT ATTORNEY



SHIRLEY L. MOORE
SECRETARY
P O BOX 862
PH 843-5515

J. O. DUNCAN
CRIMINAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY
UPSHUR COUNTY COURTHOUSE
GILMER, TEXAS
75644

February 8, 1973

Commissioners' Court of
Upshur County, Texas
Upshur County Courthouse
Gilmer, Texas 75644

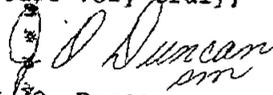
Gentlemen:

A request for an opinion as to the legality or illegality of the use of county road equipment for maintenance of other property not belonging to the County, you are advised that it is illegal for you to use County equipment for any purpose save and except maintenance of public roads in Upshur County.

If there be any need for further clarification and explanation you will please request.

It suffices to say your business is limited to the use of equipment for County road purposes.

Yours very truly,


J. O. Duncan

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Mr. Worthington:

This is a copy of the law which you are making application for the appointment of a Deputy. You will notice that portion of the statute which refers to a statement showing the probable receipts for fees, etc. which explains why the second sheet showing receipts and disbursements is attached. You may or may not need to file this depending on whether or not the commissioners' court requests you to do so.

ART. 3902

Whenever any district, county or precinct officer shall require the services of deputies, assistants or clerks in the performance of his duties he shall apply to the County Commissioners' Court of his county for authority to appoint such deputies, assistants or clerks, stating by sworn application the number needed, the position to be filled and the amount to be paid. Said application shall be accompanied by a statement showing the probable receipts from fees, commissions and compensation to be collected by said office during the fiscal year and the probable disbursements which shall include all salaries and expenses of said office; and said court shall make its order authorizing the appointment of such deputies, assistants and clerks and fix the compensation to be paid them within the limitations herein prescribed and determine the number to be appointed as in the discretion of said court may be proper; provided that in no case shall the Commissioners' Court or any member thereof attempt to influence the appointment of any person as deputy, assistant or clerk in any office. Upon the entry of such order the officers applying for such assistants, deputies or clerks shall be authorized to appoint them; provided that said compensation shall not exceed the maximum amount hereinafter set out. The compensation which may be allowed to the deputies, assistants or clerks above named for their services shall be a reasonable one, not to exceed the following amounts:

1.