

**COMMISSIONERS' COURT SPECIAL MEETING  
MARCH 28, 2016**

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF SUTTON

**BE IT REMEMBERED** that on this the 28<sup>TH</sup> day of March, 2016, the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Sutton County, Texas, was duly convened in a Special Meeting in the Sutton County Annex Meeting Room, Sonora, Texas, with the following officers of the Court present to wit:

COUNTY JUDGE	STEVE SMITH
COMMISSIONER	MIKE VILLANUEVA, PRECINCT NO 1
COMMISSIONER	JOHN WADE, PRECINCT NO 2
COMMISSIONER	CARL TEAFF, PRECINCT NO 3
COMMISSIONER	FRED PEREZ, PRECINCT NO 4
COUNTY CLERK	RACHEL CHAVEZ DURAN

The Court having duly opened, the following proceedings were had, to-wit:

**PRAYER**

**COMMISSIONERS' COURT MEETINGS PROCEDURE, CONDUCT AND DECORUM RULES**

Motion was made by Commissioner Wade, seconded by Commissioner Teaff to adopt the Rules of Procedure, Conduct and Decorum at Meetings of the Sutton County Commissioners' Court. Commissioner Wade, Commissioner Teaff and Commissioner Perez, voted aye. Commissioner Villanueva voted nay. Motion passed and aforementioned rules are attached as Exhibit A.

**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE**

Motion was made by Commissioner Perez, seconded by Commissioner Teaff to approve for payment the accounts listed on Exhibit B attached hereto. Motion carried unanimously.

**AUDITOR'S REPORT**

No Action

**COUNTY CLERK'S REPORT**

Rachel Chavez Duran, County Clerk, reported total collections as follows:

District Court: \$3437.02

County Court: \$6821.73

Real Property/vitals: \$4641.00

**CEMETERY EMPLOYEE HIRE**

Motion was made by Commissioner Teaff, seconded by Commissioner Wade to pay newly hired cemetery employee, Pedro Ramirez, the starting rate of \$15 per hour, being approximately \$31,000 per year. Motion carried unanimously

**PRO RODEO ASSOCIATION PRESENTATION**

Motion was made by Commissioner Wade, seconded by Commissioner Perez to waive the rodeo rental and clean up deposit for use of the arena June 18<sup>th</sup> & 19 and June 21-26; waive the rental fee of the pavilion for Saturday June 19<sup>th</sup> and allow the association to pay for only the electricity used instead of \$1000 flat fee and allow the Road and Bridge department to crown the arena. Commissioner Teaff, Commissioner Wade and Commissioner Perez voted aye. Commissioner Villanueva voted nay. Motion passed unanimously.

**NORTH 277 SPEED LIMIT SIGNS**

Officer Dudley addressed the court with concerns with the speed limit signs posted on North 277 highway. He asked for support recommending to TEX DOT that the signs posted be replaced with bigger signs and a truck entrance sign. The court unanimously agreed to submit a letter of support.

**SUTTON COUNTY DEPOSITORY BIDS**

Tabled until April 4, 2016.

**SHERIFF’S AND JAIL REPORT**

No Action

**LIBRARY REPORT**

No Action

**FIRE LANE AND PARKING AT CIVIC CENTER**

Motion was made by Commissioner Villanueva, seconded by Commissioner Perez to accept the map and fire lane submitted by Glen Fisher. Commissioner Villanueva and Commissioner Perez voted aye. Commissioner Teaff, Commissioner Wade and Judge Smith voted nay. Motion died.

**COUNTY JUDGE REPORT**

No Action

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

No Action

**COURT ADJOURNED**

Motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Teaff and seconded by Commissioner Wade. Motion carried unanimously.

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
**RACHEL CHAVEZ DURAN**, COUNTY CLERK

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
**STEVE SMITH**, COUNTY JUDGE

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**MIKE VILLANUEVA**, COMMISSIONER PCT. 1

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**JOHN WADE**, COMMISSIONER PCT. 2

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**CARL TEAFF**, COMMISSIONER PCT. 3

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**FRED PEREZ**, COMMISSIONER PCT. 4