

NOTICE OF SPÉCIAL MEETING
COMMISSIONERS COURT OF GARZA COUNTY, TEXAS
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2010 AT 5:30 P.M.
Garza County Trailblazers Office, 205 East 10th
POST, TEXAS 79356

COMPLETE AGENDA:

Call to Order- Friday, September 3, 2009 at 5:30 p.m.

DELIBERATE AND CONSIDER ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

Public Hearing to Discuss Tax Rate & 2010-2011 Budget



Lee Norman- Garza County Judge

FILED 8/31/2010 11:24 A.M.
JIM PLUMMER
BY Meg Nelson DEPUTY
CLERK OF COUNTY COURT,
GARZA COUNTY, TEXAS

IN ACCORDANCE WITH TITLE III OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, WE INVITE ALL ATTENDEES TO ADVISE US OF ANY SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS DUE TO DISABILITY. PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR REQUEST AS FAR IN ADVANCE AS POSSIBLE, OF THE MEETING YOU WISH TO ATTEND BY CONTACTING MEG NELSON AT 806-495-4405.

A special meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Garza County, Texas was held on Friday, September 3, 2010 at 5:30 P.M., at the Trailblazers Senior Citizens' Center, with the following members present: Lee Norman, Judge; Commissioners: Pct. 1-Gary McDaniel; Pct. 2- Charles Morris; Pct. 3-Ted Brannon; and Pct. 4-Mike Sanchez. County officials present were: Jim Plummer, Clerk; Judy Bush, Tax Collector/Assessor; Ruth Ann Young, Treasurer and Cliff Laws, Sheriff. Also present: Billie Williams, Secretary to the Judge; Rebecca Quintana, Deputy Clerk; Marsh Norman and Sharon Morris.

Judge Norman called the meeting to order at 5:35 P.M.

Public Budget Hearing

Came on before the court was the first of two public hearings concerning the proposed 2010-2011 budget.

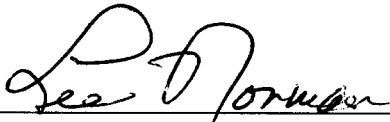
Judge Norman welcomed the attendees. The proposed tax rate of .36 per 100 valuations will raise more property taxes than last year's budget by \$170,182 due to new properties on the tax rolls and an increase in valuations.

The final payment of \$37,899 for the Lake Alan Henry Firehouse will be occur during the next fiscal year.

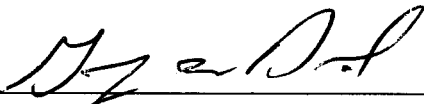
Tax Assessor/Collector Judy Bush informed the court of the tax rates of surrounding counties ranging from .50 in Dickens County to .86 in Lynn County. (Handout attached.)

The second and final public budget hearing is set for Friday, September 10, 2010 at 5:30 P.M. at the Trailblazers Senior Citizens' Center.

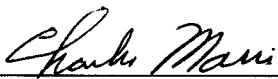
The meeting adjourned at 5:48 P.M.



LEE NORMAN, COUNTY JUDGE



GARY MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER PCT. 1



CHARLES MORRIS, COMMISSIONER PCT. 2

Jed Brannon
TED BRANNON, COMMISSIONER PCT. 3

Mike Sanchez
MIKE SANCHEZ, COMMISSIONER PCT. 4

ATTEST: Jim Plummer
JIM PLUMMER, COUNTY CLERK