July 28, 2021 Budget Workshop

Motion was made by Commissioner Gonzales, seconded by Commissioner Guerra that Court Reconvene back to Budget Workshop at 2:01 p.m. Motion was put before the Court by the Chairman. Chairman Guerra, Commissioners Guerra and Gonzales voting AYE. NAYS NONE. Motion was declared carried.

Court continues from July 27, 2021 Budget Workshop of the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Willacy County, Texas at the County Judge's Office, 576 West Main, in the City of Raymondville, Texas.

THE COURT MET:

PRESENT:

Aurelio Guerra, Jr., County Judge,

Eliberto Guerra, Commissioner, Precinct 1,

Oscar De Luna, Commissioner, Precinct 2, DECEASED
Henry De La Paz, Commissioner, Precinct 3, ABSENT

Eduardo Gonzales, Commissioner, Precinct 4,

Annette Hinojosa, County Attorney, Ida Martinez, County Auditor,

Elizabeth Rios, County Chief Deputy Clerk,

WHEREUPON, the Court was opened to the following proceedings were had to wit:

PERSONS VISITING THE COURT:

No one signed the sign in sheet.

Call to Order – Chairman Aurelio Guerra, Jr.

Roll Call/Establishment of Quorum – Commissioner Henry De La Paz – ABSENT

Chairman Guerra, proceeds with the Budget Workshop. Discussion continues on reference to the Budget for the following:

#### **Justice of the Peace Precinct 1:**

Discussion continues with Justice of the Peace Precinct 1, Judge Jessica Rosas is requesting part-timer hourly salary be increase like the other part-timers.

## **County Treasurer:**

County Treasurer, Ruben Cavazos requesting phone allowance and a part-timer.

Commissioner Eliberto Guerra steps out of the meeting at 2:35 p.m.

There is No Quorum.

Commissioner Eliberto Guerra returns back to the meeting at 2:36 p.m.

There is a Quorum.

### Justice of the Peace Precinct 1 and County Treasurer:

Discussion continues on JP 1 part-time clerk to be paid \$11.00 hour and for County Treasurer to wait on his request for the part-timer.

Discussion continues on JP 1 Judge and County Treasurer are requesting if JP 1 part-time clerk can be a full-timer and for that person being able to divide the hours among both offices.

## **County Treasurer:**

Court only agrees for phone allowance for County Treasurer.

#### **District Court:**

Discussion continues on District Judge requesting to hire a full-time Court Reporter for District Court/County Court and for salary increases for his Employees.

Commissioner Eliberto Guerra steps out of the meeting at 3:21 p.m.

There is No Quorum.

Commissioner Eliberto Guerra returns back to the meeting at 3:23 p.m.

There is a Quorum.

Commissioner Eduardo Gonzales steps out of the meeting at 3:35 p.m.

There is No Quorum.

Commissioner Eduardo Gonzales returns back to the meeting at 3:38 p.m.

There is a Quorum.

# **County Clerk's Office:**

Discussion on Fund 36 and Fund 37.

#### **Elections Department:**

Discussion on requesting the Temporary Personnel position to be a part-time position.

# **Reber Library:**

Discussion Librarian moved money around, but stayed within her budget.

## **Sheriff Department and Jail Department**

Discussion on the Department Head's Requests.

### **Extension Office:**

Court agrees on the purchase of a lap top for the Extension Office.

## **District Attorney:**

Annette Hinojosa, District Attorney discusses about her staff being paid by Grants and will get with County Auditor to review her funds.

Discussion continues on 2.5 salary increases for County Employees.

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Motion was made by Commissioner Gonzales, seconded by Commissioner Guerra that Court Adjourn. Motion was put before the Court by the Chairman. Chairman Guerra, Commissioners Guerra and Gonzales voting AYE. NAYS NONE. Motion was declared carried.

There being no further action,

Court Adjourned.