

STATEMENT OF APPROVAL

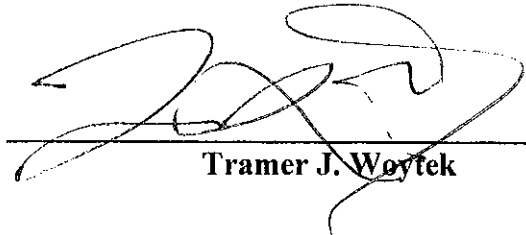
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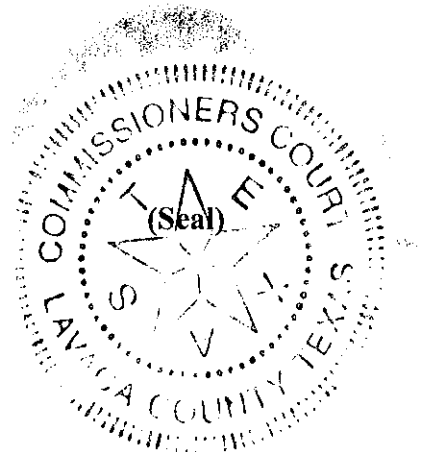
We, the County Judge, and Commissioners of
Lavaca County, Texas, majority being present, do hereby certify that the above and
foregoing Minutes of the Commissioners' Court Meeting dated August 30, 2017
are this day approved as submitted.

Signed this the 11th day of September, 2017, A.D.


_____, County Judge
Tramer J. Woytek

ATTEST:


_____, County Clerk
Elizabeth A. Kouba



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COUNTY OF LAVACA)

Emergency Meeting August 30, 2017

The Lavaca County Commissioners' Court met in a Emergency Called Meeting on Wednesday, August 30, 2017 at 10:19 A. M. in the Lavaca County Commissioners' Courtroom, 1st Floor, in Hallettsville, Texas.

Present:

- Tramer J. Woytek, County Judge
- Edward Pustka, Commissioner Pct. 1
- Ronald Berckenhoff, Commissioner Pct. 2
- R. W. Brown, Commissioner Pct. 3
- Dennis W. Kocian, Commissioner Pct. 4
- Elizabeth A. Kouba, County Clerk

1. Order the continuation of Declaration of Disaster Proclamation made by the County Judge on August 25, 2017, continue that in effect until our next regular meeting.

Moved by Judge Tramer J. Woytek, Seconded by Commissioner Dennis W. Kocian,

County Judge, Tramer J. Woytek	YES
Edward Pustka, Commissioner Pct. 1	YES
Ronald Berckenhoff, Commissioner Pct. 2	YES
R. W. Brown, Commissioner Pct. 3	YES
Dennis W. Kocian, Commissioner Pct. 4	YES

Motion Carried
Court Order: 17152

2. Hear reports on damage related to disaster declaration and take action necessary.

Edward Pustka, Commissioner Pct. 1, Ronald Berckenhoff Commissioner Pct. 2, R.W. Brown, Commissioner Pct. 3 and Dennis W. Kocian, Commissioner Pct. 4, all report damaging winds and flooding causing road closures, and advised the public to drive safe.

Micah Harmon, Lavaca County Sheriff and Emergency Management Officer, reported minor structural damage, no casualties in the county, a high volume of traffic from evacuees and issues with software delivering emergency messages. Also, for anyone wanting to help with the Hurricane effort should contact FEMA. He also reported that a team will be formed to help at the Coast.

Dirk Moore, Emergency Management Deputy, reported opening the Lavaca County EOC on August 24, 2017 at 7:00 A. M. and continues to operate under level 3 conditions which is increased readiness due to the continued flooding problem. Only two people needed rescue due to the hurricane conditions. He also reported several road closures.

Rebecca De Lune Perez, Jail Administrator, reported evacuation of the jail Thursday August 24, 2017 and Friday August 25, 2017 to Lee and Guadalupe Counties and were returned beginning on Monday August 28, 2017.

J. R. Peters, Chief Deputy Sheriff, reported 27 leaks in the facility including JP Pct. 1, Mark Ivey's office. Power was out for a day and a half, and the generator only powered the lights. Problems with the generator and the roof will be addressed to ensure jail standards are maintained.

Shannon Deforest, A&M Agrilife Extension Agent, reported the use of the expo center and the sale barn to shelter horses located in the floodplains. He reported the main crop to suffer this year will be pecans. His plan is to help La Grange, in our neighboring county, once Lavaca County is taken care of. Minor damage to the roof with leakage into the conference room was reported.

Gayle Bludau, A&M Agrilife Extension Agent, reported 4-H clubs are serving others with food, clothing, bedding, & necessities for victims affected by Hurricane Harvey.

Elizabeth A. Kouba, County Clerk, reported no damage. The office fax line was down and a part-time employee was unable to make it to work.

Sherry T. Henke, District Clerk, reported no damage.

John Stuart Fryer, County and District Attorney, reported no damage.

Shana R. Opela, County Auditor, report water damage due to a leak by the auditor's staff. The damage will not affect office business.

Karen Bludau, County Treasurer, reported no damage.

Debbie A. Sevcik, Tax Assessor-Collector, Reported a leak in her office ceiling and the office fax line was down.

Roseann Mikes with the Probation Department reported a leak in the classroom. One Employee from the Victoria area is unsure about his home and is staying in a hotel.

Gary Etzler with the Maintenance Departement report leaks in the Tax Assessor-Collector's office, the Probation Department, the hallway by the public bathroom in the Annex, the office building in the conference room, the DPS office, the Senior Center on the North and East side, Commissioner R.W. Brown's office, the District Court Room, and the Auditor's office.

Mark Ivey, JP Pct. 1, reported several electronic equipment suffered water damage.

Wayne Denson, JP Pct. 3, reported a leak in his office, but no damage.

John Spiess with San Bernard Electric COOP. reported sending several crews out to take care of power outages due to the hurricane

Adjournment by Presiding Officer at 11:17 A. M.

Signature Roster

Attendance at Commissioner's Court Meeting

August 30, 2017

Called

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1 *Shana R Opela* Shana R. Opela

2 *Deborah A Sevcik* Deborah A. Sevcik

3 ~~*Shana R Opela*~~ *Shannah R DeTores*

4 *Gayle Bludau* Gayle Bludau

5 *Karen Bludau* Karen Bludau

6 *Dana Johnson* Dana Johnson

7 *Jim Appelt* Jim Appelt

8 *Ashlynn Wray* Ashlynn Wray

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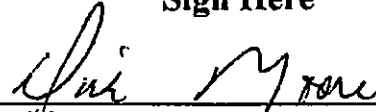
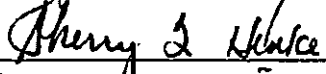

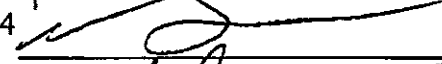



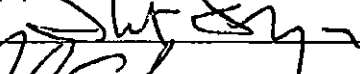

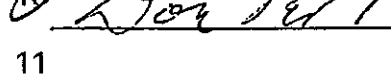
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2		Sherry T. Henke
3		Rosemary Mikes
4		MICAH HARMON
5		JR PETERS
6		WAYNE DENSON
7		Rebecca Deluna Perez
8		STUART FRYIN
9		John Spiess
10		Don Roberts
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Minutes of Elizabeth A. Kouba, County Clerk of Lavaca County:

I, Elizabeth A. Kouba, County Clerk of Lavaca County, Texas, do hereby certify that the following Commissioners' Court Minutes are a true and correct record of the proceedings from the Commissioners Court Meeting on August 30, 2017.

ATTEST

Elizabeth A. Kouba, County Clerk
& Ex-Officio Clerk of the
Commissioners' Court of
Lavaca County, Texas

Signed this 31 day of Aug, 2017

Elizabeth A. Kouba, County Clerk
Elizabeth A. Kouba

