

FEB 29 2024

**NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF  
HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS**

Notice is hereby given that a Regular Meeting of the above named Commissioners' Court will be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners' Courtroom, Hockley County Courthouse, Levelland, Texas, at which time the following subjects will be discussed to-wit:

1. Read for approval the minutes of the Special Meeting held at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, February 26, 2024.
2. Read for approval all monthly bills and claims submitted to the Court and dated through March 4, 2024.
3. Hear the monthly Public Assistance report.
4. Consider and take necessary action to approve the Written Amendment to Interlocal Agreement between Hockley County and Lamb County, Texas.
5. Discussion and potential action concerning approval of the Application for Use of Courthouse Lawn as submitted by the Levelland Mainstreet Program.
6. Consider and take necessary action to approve the Texas Public Libraries Annual Report for Local Fiscal Year 2023 for the Hockley County Memorial Library.
7. Consider and take necessary action to approve the Official Bond and Oath of Nicole Shelley, Banquet Hall Coordinator, Mallet Event Center.
8. Consider and take necessary action to approve a road crossing for Sabinal Energy on Tumbleweed Road in Precinct 2.

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at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

**COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS.**

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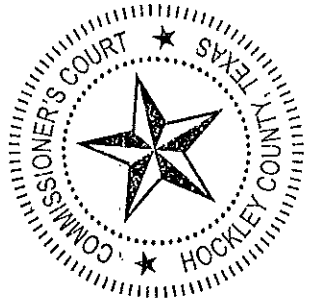
BY: Sharia Baldrige  
Sharia Baldrige, Hockley County Judge

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FEB 29 2024  
Jennifer Palermo  
County Clerk, Hockley County, Texas

I, the undersigned County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the above named Commissioners' Court, is a true and correct copy of said Notice on the bulletin board at the Courthouse, and at the east door of the Courthouse of Hockley County, Texas, as place readily accessible to the general public at all times on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024, and said Notice remained posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

Dated this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024.

Jennifer Palermo  
Jennifer Palermo, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio  
Clerk of Commissioners' Court, Hockley County, Texas



THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF HOCKLEY

IN THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT  
OF HOCKEY COUNTY, TEXAS

REGULAR MEETING

MARCH 04, 2024

Be it remembered that on this the 4<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH A.D. 2024, there came on to be held a REGULAR Meeting of the Commissioners Court, and the court having convened in REGULAR session at the usual meeting place thereof at the Courthouse in Levelland, Texas, with the following members present to-wit:

|                            |                             |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Sharla Baldridge           | County Judge                |
| Alan D. Wisdom             | Commissioner Precinct No. 1 |
| Larry Carter               | Commissioner Precinct No. 2 |
| Seth Graf                  | Commissioner Precinct No. 3 |
| Thomas R "Tommy" Clevenger | Commissioner Precinct No. 4 |

Jennifer Palermo, County Clerk, and Ex-Officio Clerk of Commissioners Court when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

Motion by Commissioner Carter, second by Commissioner Graf, 4 Votes Yes, 0 Votes No, that Commissioners court approved the minutes of the Regular Meeting held at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, February 26, 2024.

Motion by Commissioner Wisdom, second by Commissioner Clevenger, 4 Votes Yes, 0 Votes No, that Commissioners court approved all monthly claims and bills submitted to the court and dated through March 4, 2024.

Hear monthly public assistance report for February 2024.



# HOCKLEY COUNTY PUBLIC ASSISTANCE



## FEBRUARY 2024 Dispositions and Request for Payment

Hockley County Public Assistance Administrator, Cara Phelan presents the following requests for financial assistance to the Hockley County Commissioner's Court.

| SUMMARY OF APPROVED ASSISTANCE REQUESTS FOR |                                     |                                    |         |         |                 |  |
|---|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------|---------|-----------------|--|
| APPLICANT                                   | PHYSICAL ADDRESS                    | ASSISTANCE REQUEST                 |         |         | ASSISTANCE      |  |
|   |                                     | RENT                               | UTILITY |         |                 |  |
| Alvarado Isabel                             | 101 Duggan Ave. Anton               |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| Bennett Marie                               | 281 3 <sup>rd</sup> St., Levelland  |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| Golightly Alfred                            | 520 W. Jefferson, Levelland         |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| Martinez Anita                              | 601 11 <sup>th</sup> St., Levelland |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| Salazar Gabriella                           | Mandy Circle Sp. 90, Levelland      |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| Vargas Ruby                                 | 531 W. State Rd. 1294, Levelland    |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| Young Michael                               | 113 Lacy Lane, Levelland            |                                    | X       |         | 24.40           |  |
| Zamora Domingo                              | 1418 W. Monroe, Levelland           |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| Zuniga Magdalena                            | 212 MLK Blvd., Levelland            |                                    | X       |         | 75.00           |  |
| <b>TOTAL PUBLIC ASSISTANCE APPROVED</b>     |                                     |                                    |         |         | <b>\$624.40</b> |  |
| REASON FOR DENIAL                           |                                     |                                    |         |         |                 |  |
| APPLICANT                                   | REQUEST                             |                                    |         |         |                 |  |
| Vestal Colleen                              | RENTAL ASSISTANCE                   | Housing income put her over income |         |         |                 |  |
| Anderson Kay                                | UTILITY ASSISTANCE                  | Housing income put her over income |         |         |                 |  |
| Capes Jennifer                              | RENTAL ASSISTANCE                   | Housing income put her over income |         |         |                 |  |
| Woolley Barbara                             | UTILITY ASSISTANCE                  | Housing income put her over income |         |         |                 |  |
| Cavasos Lydia                               | UTILITY ASSISTANCE                  | Over income                        |         |         |                 |  |
| PAUPER BURIAL ASSISTANCE REQUESTS           |                                     |                                    |         |         |                 |  |
| APPLICANT                                   | DECEASED                            | DISPOSITION                        |         | COMMENT |                 |  |
|   |                                     | APPROVED                           | DENIED  |         |                 |  |
| None  |                                     |                                    |         |         |                 |  |

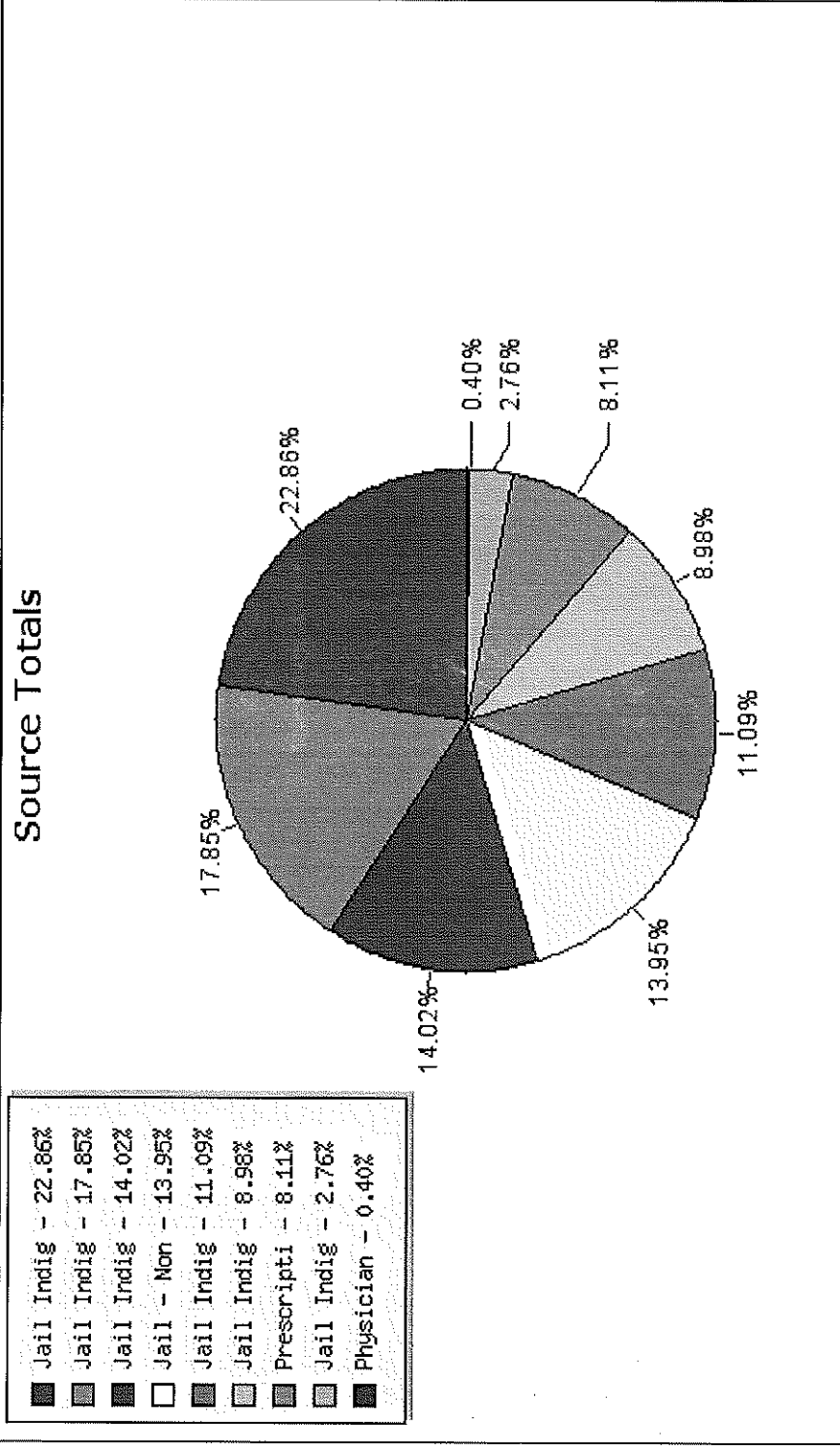
Respectfully Submitted to:  
Hockley County Commissioners Court  
Monday, March 4, 2024  
Hockley County Public Assistance Administrator  
*Cara Phelan*

**Source Totals for Batch Dates 02/01/2024 through 02/29/2024**

|                                |        |            |
|--------------------------------|--------|------------|
| Jail Indigent - Prescription D | 22.86% | \$2,809.28 |
| Jail Indigent - Lab/X-Ray      | 17.85% | \$2,194.20 |
| Jail Indigent - Optional Servi | 14.02% | \$1,722.52 |
| Jail - Non-Indigent Prescripti | 13.95% | \$1,714.40 |
| Jail Indigent - Rural Health C | 11.09% | \$1,362.91 |
| Jail Indigent - Physician Ser  | 8.98%  | \$1,103.29 |
| Prescription Drugs             | 8.11%  | \$996.17   |
| Jail Indigent - Dental         | 2.76%  | \$338.80   |
| Physician Services             | 0.40%  | \$48.92    |

**Total Expenditures**

**\$12,290.49**



**Entry Statistics for Entry Dates 02/01/2024 through 02/29/2024**

|                    |     |
|--------------------|-----|
| Clients Entered    | 28  |
| Rapid Reg. Entered | 28  |
| Vendors Entered    | 0   |
| Worksheets Entered | 1   |
| Invoices Entered   | 156 |

Motion by Commissioner Wisdom, second by Commissioner Graf, 4 votes yes, 0 votes no, that Commissioner Court approved the Written Amendment to Interlocal Agreement between Hockley County and Lamb County, Texas. As per Written Amendment to Interlocal Agreement between Hockley County, Texas and Lamb County, Texas recorded below.

**WRITTEN AMENDMENT TO  
INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS AND LAMB COUNTY, TEXAS**

THIS WRITTEN AMENDMENT (the "Amendment") is made by and between the COUNTY OF HOCKLEY, TEXAS, acting by and through its duly authorized representatives, the Hockley County Commissioners Court, Sharla Baldridge, County Judge (hereinafter referred to as "Hockley County") and COUNTY OF LAMB, TEXAS, acting by and through its duly authorized representatives, the Lamb County Commissioners Court, James M. DeLoach, County Judge (hereinafter referred to as "Lamb County").

The Interlocal Agreement (the "Agreement") between Hockley County and Lamb County previously became effective on November 13, 2023, and per its terms is still in full force and effect, for the purpose of facilitating the conducting of a jury trial, including jury selection, in Cause No. 19-10-9716.

**THE AGREEMENT IS AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:**

On February 14, 2024, District Judge Jay Michael "Pat" Phelan entered a Notice of Hearing in Cause Number 19-10-9716, entitled the State of Texas vs. Jeremy Aichison, attached hereto as Exhibit "A," and incorporated herein by reference, resetting the jury trial in that cause to occur in Lamb County, Texas, beginning on March 25, 2024.

Except as set forth in this Amendment, the Agreement is unaffected and shall continue in full force and effect in accordance with its terms. If there is conflict between this Amendment and the Agreement, the terms of this Amendment will prevail.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties enter into this Agreement on the 4th day of February, 2024.  
March

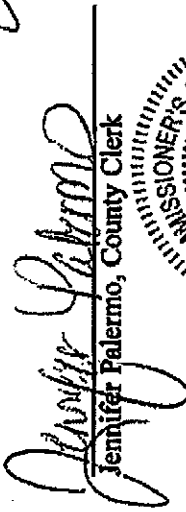
County of Hockley, Texas:

  
Sharla Baldridge, County Judge

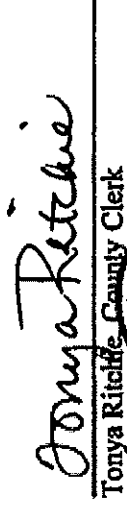
County of Lamb, Texas:

  
James DeLoach, County Judge

Attest:

  
Jennifer Palermo, County Clerk

Attest:

  
Tonya Ritche, County Clerk



REVIEWED AS TO FORM:

  
\_\_\_\_\_

Rickie Redman  
Lamb County & District Attorney

  
\_\_\_\_\_

Anna Hord  
Hockley County Attorney

Motion by Commissioner Carter, second by Commissioner Graf, 4 Votes Yes, 0 Votes No, that Commissioners court approved the Application for Use of Courthouse Lawn as submitted by the Levelland Mainstreet Program. As per Order To approve Courthouse Lawn Food Truck Day -3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday March-October 2024 recorded below.



THE STATE OF TEXAS

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

COUNTY OF HOCKLEY

HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

ORDER TO APPROVE USE OF COURTHOUSE LAWN  
FOOD TRUCK DAY – 3<sup>RD</sup> THURSDAY MARCH – OCTOBER 2024

The Commissioners' Court of Hockley County has hereby approved AND IT IS SO ORDERED that the Courthouse lawn shall be used by the Levelland Mainstreet Program for Food Truck Days to be held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday beginning the month of March thru October 2024. This will be subject to the Application requirements and the Hold Harmless Agreement.

**DONE IN OPEN COURT**, this the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024, upon motion by Commissioner, Larry Carter, seconded by Commissioner, Seth Graf and unanimously carried.

Sharla Baldrige  
Sharla Baldrige, Hockley County Judge

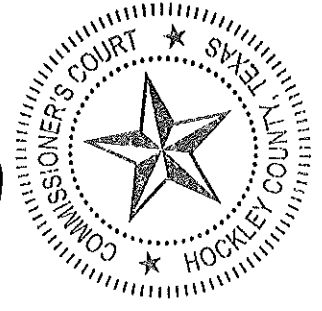
Alan Wisdom  
Alan Wisdom, Commissioner, Pct 1

Larry Carter  
Larry Carter, Commissioner, Pct 2

Seth Graf  
Seth Graf, Commissioner, Pct 3

Tommy Clevenger  
Tommy Clevenger, Commissioner, Pct 4

ATTEST: Jennifer Palermo  
Jennifer Palermo, County Clerk,  
Ex-Officio Clerk of Commissioners  
Court of Hockley County, Texas







HOCKLEY COUNTY

**Hold Harmless/Indemnity Agreement**

“The undersigned, Levelland Main Street Program, agrees to hold harmless and indemnify Hockley County, its Commissioners Court, elected officials, employees and volunteers who are acting in their official capacity, from any and all claims made by them or on their behalf for any losses, injuries, or damages reported on the Hockley County Lawn or any portion of the Courthouse Square, which may be made by reason of the group’s use of the Hockley County Lawn or any portion of the Courthouse Square.”

“The undersigned, Levelland Main Street Program, hereby releases and forever discharges Hockley County, its Commissioners Court, elected officials, employees and volunteers who might be claimed to be liable for any and all claims, demands, damages, actions, causes of action, suit, judgments or executions by reason of any losses incurred on the Hockley County Lawn or any portion of the Courthouse Square, which may be made by reason of the group’s use of the Courthouse Lawn, any portion of the Courthouse Square and/or equipment.”

“It is further stipulated and agreed that the laws of the State of Texas shall control in the construction of this instrument.”

“In Witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this the 26th day of February, 2024.”

Tania Moody, Levelland Main Street Manager

02/26/24

Printed Name

Date

*Tania Moody*

806-598-2098

Signature

Contact Phone No.

1709 Ave H

Levelland, TX

79336

Address

City, State

Zip

802 HOUSTON ST., SUITE 101 • LEVELLAND, TEXAS • 79336

PHONE: 806-894-6856 x100 • FAX: 806-894-6820

Motion by Commissioner Graf, second by Commissioner Wisdom, 4 votes yes, 0 votes no, that Commissioners Court approved the Texas Public Libraries Annual Report for Local Fiscal Year 2023 for the Hockley County Memorial Library. As per Accreditation in State Library System Application Local Fiscal Year 2023 recorded below.



# ACCREDITATION IN STATE LIBRARY SYSTEM APPLICATION

Local Fiscal Year 2023

**LIBRARY NAME** Hockley County Memorial Library Levelland, TX  
CITY

This authorization for application should only be completed if the library is applying for membership in the Texas Library System for State fiscal year 2023, Sept 1, 2023 – Aug 31, 2024. It must be submitted as part of its 2023 Annual Report on or before April 30, 2024, if the library is applying for accreditation.

The below signed certify, to the best of their ability, that the information contained in this Annual Report is complete and accurate for local fiscal year 2023.

| Governing Authority* |              |                        |
|----------------------|--------------|------------------------|
| Printed Name         | Title        | Signature              |
| Sharla Baldrige      | County Judge | <i>Sharla Baldrige</i> |
|                      | Date         | 3/4/24                 |

\* All applicable signatures are necessary, based on library's legal establishment. Signatures of the City Secretary, County Clerk or similar positions are **not** valid substitutions for the signatures of Mayor, City Manager or County Judge. Electronic signatures are acceptable.

| Library Director/Head Librarian/Library Manager |                |                     |
|---|----------------|---------------------|
| Printed Name                                    | Title          | Signature           |
| Amy Cantwell                                    | Head Librarian | <i>Amy Cantwell</i> |
|   | Date           | 3/4/24              |

| Library Board Chair, if appropriate |       |           |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-----------|
| Printed Name                        | Title | Signature |
|                                     |       |           |

Check one

|  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> The library has met all minimum standards of library accreditation. per 13 TAC §1.71-§1.85. <i>Submit first page only.</i>  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The library has <u>not</u> met all minimum standards of library accreditation. <i>In discussion with TSLAC accreditation staff, please complete the form below.</i> |  |

Motion by Commissioner Carter, second by Commissioner Clevenger, 4 votes yes, 0 votes No, that Commissioners Court approved the Official Bond and Oath of Nicole Shelley, banquet hall Coordinator, Mallet Event Center. As per Official Bond and Oath recorded below.

Texas



# Western Surety Company

## OFFICIAL BOND AND OATH

THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
County of Hockley } ss

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

BOND No. 66965871

That we, Nicole Shelley, as Principal, and WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation duly licensed to do business in the State of Texas, as Surety, are held and bound unto Hockley County Judge, his successors in office, in the sum of Five Thousand and 00/100 DOLLARS (\$5,000.00), for the payment of which we hereby bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, by these presents.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 2024

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas, the above bounden Principal was on the 23rd day of February, 2024, duly Appointed (Elected-Appointed) to the office of Banquet Hall Coordinator in and for Hockley County, State of Texas, for a term of Indefinite year commencing on the 23rd day of February, 2024.

NOW THEREFORE, if the said Principal shall well and faithfully perform and discharge all the duties required of him by law as the aforesaid officer, and shall <sup>4</sup> faithfully perform the duties of office

then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED HOWEVER, that regardless of the number of years this bond may remain in force and the number of claims which may be made against this bond, the liability of the Surety shall not be cumulative and the aggregate liability of the Surety for any and all claims, suits, or actions under this bond shall not exceed the amount stated above. Any revision of the bond amount shall not be cumulative.

PROVIDED FURTHER, that this bond may be cancelled by the Surety by sending written notice to the party to whom this bond is payable stating that, not less than thirty (30) days thereafter, the Surety's liability hereunder shall terminate as to subsequent acts of the Principal.

Nicole Shelley Principal  
WESTERN SURETY COMPANY  
By Paul T. Pruffat Vice President

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL

THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
County of Hockley } ss

Before me, Christina Lopez on this day, personally appeared Nicole Shelley, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Hockley, Texas, this 20th day of February, 2024.

Christina Lopez  
Shelley  
County, Texas



OATH OF OFFICE  
(COUNTY COMMISSIONERS and COUNTY JUDGE)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the duties of the office of \_\_\_\_\_, 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; and I furthermore solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will not be, directly or indirectly, interested in any contract with or claim against the County, except such contracts or claims as are expressly authorized by law and except such warrants as may issue to me as fees of office. So help me God.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Sworn to and subscribed before me at \_\_\_\_\_, Texas, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
SEAL \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas

OATH OF OFFICE  
(General)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the duties of the office of \_\_\_\_\_, 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.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Sworn to and subscribed before me at \_\_\_\_\_, Texas, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
SEAL \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas



THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
County of Hockley } ss

The foregoing bond of Nicole Shelley as  
Erin Louise Mott in and for Hockley County and State of Texas, this day  
approved in open Commissioner's Court.

ATTEST:

Shirley Johnson Clerk  
County Court Hockley County

Date 3-4, 2024  
Shirley Buldrick County Judge,  
Hockley County, Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
County of Minnehaha } ss

I, Kenneth Palm County Clerk, in and for said County, do hereby certify  
that the foregoing Bond dated the 4 day of March, 2024, with its certificates of  
authentication, was filed for record in my office the 4 day of March, 2024, at  
6:00 o'clock P.M., and duly recorded the 4 day of March, 2024, at  
6:00 o'clock A.M., in the Records of Official Bonds of said County in Volume 1000001 # 1000001, on page  
\_\_\_\_\_.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the County Court of said County, at office in \_\_\_\_\_,  
Texas, this day and year last above written.

By Tam Riser Deputy  
County Court \_\_\_\_\_ County

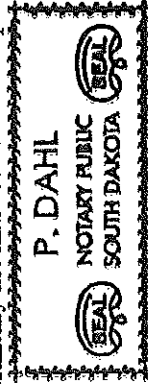
Shirley Buldrick Clerk  
County Court Hockley County

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY  
(Corporate Officer)

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA }  
County of Minnehaha } ss

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State on this 23rd day of February,

2024, personally appeared Paul T. Brufat to me known to be the identical  
person who subscribed the name of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, Surety, to the foregoing instrument as the  
aforesaid officer and acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free and voluntary act and deed, and as the  
free and voluntary act and deed of such corporation for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



P. Dahl  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires June 18, 2025

# Western Surety Company

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

### KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Dakota, and authorized and licensed to do business in the States of Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming, and the United States of America, does hereby make, constitute and appoint

Paul T. Bruflatt of Sioux Falls  
State of South Dakota, its regularly elected Vice President  
as Attorney-in-Fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred upon him to sign, execute, acknowledge and deliver for and on its behalf as Surety and as its act and deed, the following bond:

One Banquet Hall Coordinator Mallet Event Center County of Hockley County  
bond with bond number 66965871  
for Nicole Shelley  
as Principal in the penalty amount not to exceed: \$ 5,000.00

Western Surety Company further certifies that the following is a true and exact copy of Section 7 of the by-laws of Western Surety Company duly adopted and now in force, to-wit:  
Section 7. All bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney, or other obligations of the corporation shall be executed in the corporate name of the Company by the President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, or any Vice President, or by such other officers as the Board of Directors may authorize. The President, any Vice President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, or the Treasurer may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact or agents who shall have authority to issue bonds, policies, or undertakings in the name of the Company. The corporate seal is not necessary for the validity of any bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney or other obligations of the corporation. The signature of any such officer and the corporate seal may be printed by facsimile.

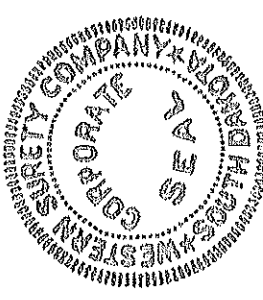
In Witness Whereof, the said WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be executed by its  
2024 Vice President with the corporate seal affixed this 23rd day of February

ATTEST

L. Bauder  
L. Bauder, Assistant Secretary

WESTERN SURETY COMPANY  
By Paul T. Bruflatt  
Paul T. Bruflatt, Vice President

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA }  
COUNTY OF MINNEHAHA } ss



On this 23rd day of February, 2024, before me, a Notary Public, personally appeared  
Paul T. Bruflatt and L. Bauder

who, being by me duly sworn, acknowledged that they signed the above Power of Attorney as Vice President  
and Assistant Secretary, respectively, of the said WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, and acknowledged said instrument to be the  
voluntary act and deed of said Corporation.



M. Bent

My Commission Expires March 2, 2026 Notary Public

To validate bond authenticity, go to [www.enasurety.com](http://www.enasurety.com) > Owner/Obligee Services > Validate Bond Coverage.



Motion by Commissioner Carter, second by Commissioner Graf, 4 votes yes, 0 votes No, that Commissioners Court approved a road crossing for Sabinal Energy on Tumbleweed Road in Precinct 2. As per Petition and Order recorded below.

BEFORE THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF SABINAL ENERGY FOR AUTHORITY TO  
USE A PART OF THE PUBLIC ROADS OF HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

ORDER

This cause coming on to be upon the petition of SABINAL ENERGY, hereinafter referred to as "Petitioner". The Board finds that in order that Petitioner may carry out its corporate objects and powers, it is necessary for it to lay, construct, operate and maintain pipelines across certain county roads situated in Hockley County, Texas, Levelland Unit as set forth in the Petitioner's application filed herein.

**THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that, subject to the conditions herein after set forth, said Petitioner, SABINAL ENERGY, is hereby granted permission and authority to lay, construct, operate and maintain pipelines across certain county roads at the locations set forth in Exhibits "A" and "B" attached to the application of Petitioner herein, which Exhibits "A" and "B" and application are hereby made a part of this order as fully as if set out in length herein provided.

1. The Petitioner shall, in constructing said pipelines undercrossing cause the very minimum of inconvenience and obstruction of public travel along said roads, and, further, shall operate and maintain said pipelines undercrossing in a manner so as not to inconvenience, endanger or obstruct public travel along said roads.
2. Upon the completion of each pipelines undercrossing constructed hereunder Petitioner shall immediately backfill, re-construct and replace the portions of the roads across which said pipelines are laid and constructed so that such roads shall be in equally as good a condition as prior to such construction.
3. So long as said pipelines are maintained and operated under said roads Petitioner shall be responsible for doing any work which, due to the existence of said pipelines undercrossings, needs to be done on said roads at the location thereof, all in order to maintain said roads, at such points, in a condition equal to other portions of said county roads.
4. Should Petitioner remove said pipelines from any of said roads, it will replace and recondition the road concerned, at the location of said removal, in substantially the same condition as it was prior to such removal, all liability of Petitioner for the maintenance and reconditioning of such roads shall cease as soon after such removal as the COUNTY OF HOCKLEY has approved the maintenance and reconditioning work done by Petitioner.
5. Petitioner agrees that if at any time the County of Hockley shall deem it necessary to make any improvements or changes on all of or any part of the right of way of the county roads which affect the Utility as located under this order, then and in such event, the Petitioner or his Assignee shall make such reasonable changes of its facilities located within such right of way as may be deemed necessary, such work to be done without cost to Hockley County, Texas.
6. The construction or laying of said pipelines by Petitioner hereunder shall be considered and shall constitute and acceptance of this order and of all of the terms and conditions herein set forth.
7. Petitioner agrees that if at any time the County of Hockley deems it necessary that these crossings be encased in accordance with the then existing State Highway specifications, Petitioner agrees to do so at its own expense.

Janita Baldridge  
County Judge

Jan Wisdom  
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

Janey Clute  
Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

3/14/2024  
Date

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Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

BEFORE THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF Sabinal Energy FOR  
AUTHORITY TO USE A PART OF THE PUBLIC ROADS OF HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

PETITION

Comes now, the Petitioner, Sabinal Energy, and petitions this Honorable Board for the right and authority to lay, construct, operate and maintain 3 pipelines under and across certain county roads situated in Hockley County, Texas, which said pipelines are to be used for the purpose of transporting crude oil from the Petitioner's sources of supply to Petitioner's markets.

The location of the points at which Petitioner wishes to undercross said county roads with said pipelines and the general specifications are more particularly described on a map marked Exhibit "A" and general specifications marked Exhibit "B", all of which are attached hereto and made a part of this application. Petitioner represents and states that if granted the authority herein requested, it will conform with and abide by the rules of all persons and bodies having jurisdiction and by the following conditions:

1. The Petitioner shall, in constructing said pipelines undercrossings cause the very minimum of inconvenience and obstruction of public travel along said roads, and, further, shall operate and maintain said pipelines undercrossings in a manner so as not to inconvenience, endanger or obstruct public travel along said roads.
2. Upon the completion of each pipelines undercrossing constructed hereunder Petitioner shall immediately backfill, re-construct and replace the portions of the roads across which said pipelines are laid and constructed so that such roads shall be in equally as good a condition as prior to such construction.
3. So long as said pipelines are maintained and operated under said roads Petitioner shall be responsible for doing any work which, due to the existence of said pipelines undercrossings, needs to be done on said roads at the location thereof, all in order to maintain said roads, at such points, in a condition equal to other portions of said county roads.
4. Should Petitioner remove said pipelines from any of said roads, it will replace and recondition the road concerned, at the location of said removal, in substantially the same condition as it was prior to such removal, all liability of Petitioner for the maintenance and reconditioning of such roads shall cease as soon after such removal as the COUNTY OF HOCKLEY has approved the maintenance and reconditioning work done by Petitioner.
5. Petitioner agrees that if at any time the County of Hockley shall deem it necessary to make any improvements or changes on all of or any part of the right of way of the county roads which affect the Utility as located under this order, then and in such event, the Petitioner or his Assignee shall make such reasonable changes of its facilities located within such right of way as may be deemed necessary, such work to be done without cost to Hockley County, Texas.
6. The construction or laying of said pipelines by Petitioner hereunder shall be considered and shall constitute and acceptance of this order and of all of the terms and conditions herein set forth.
7. Petitioner agrees that if at any time the County of Hockley deems it necessary that these crossings be encased in accordance with the then existing State Highway specifications, Petitioner agrees to do so at its own expense.

Wherefore, your Petitioner respectfully prays that your Honorable Board enter and order herein authorizing Petitioner to use and occupy the portions of the roads in Hockley County, Texas, more particularly herein above set out and described and at the locations shown and set out in said Exhibits "A" and "B" attached to this application.

DATED this 27 day of February, 2024.

BY Craig Blair

# BSB Line Map

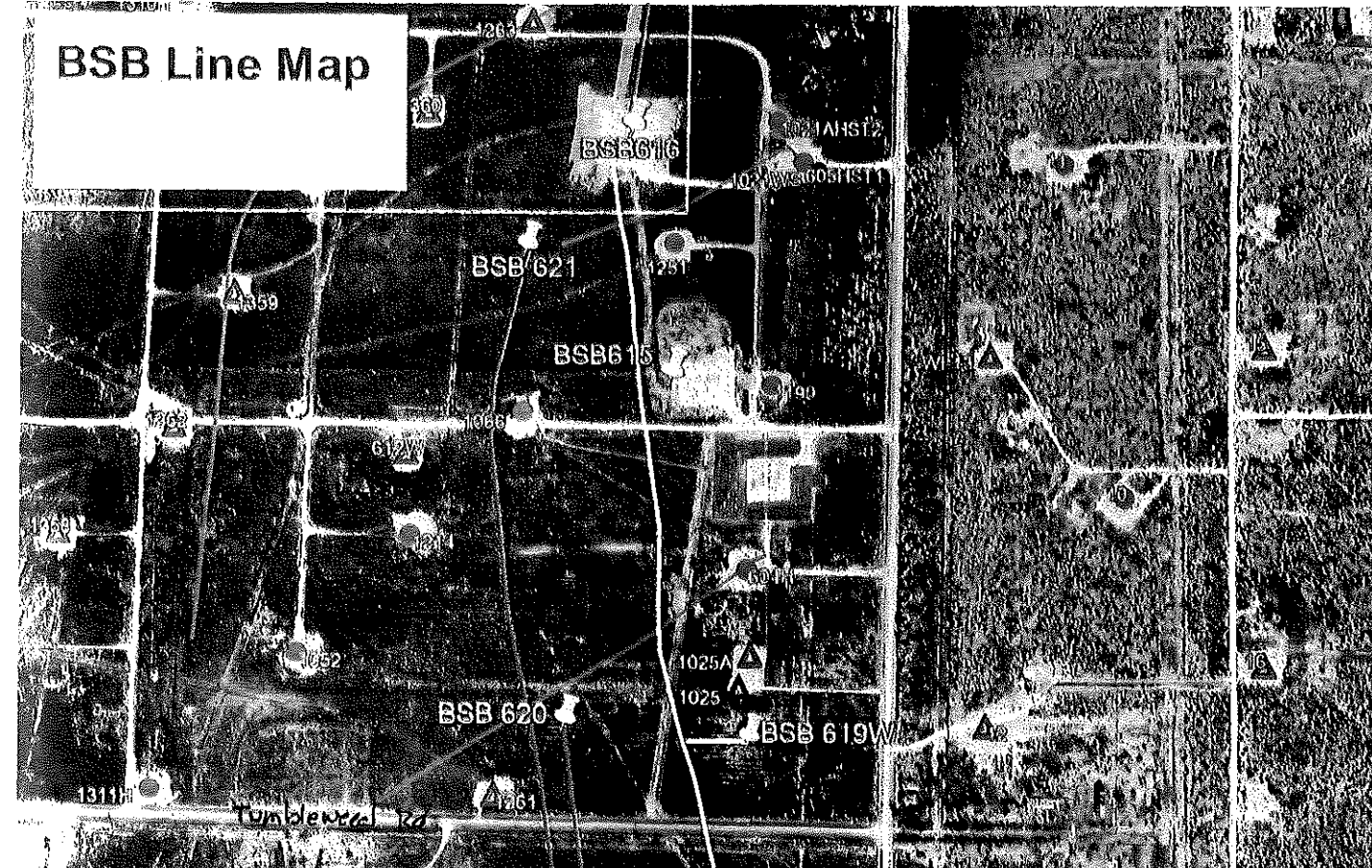
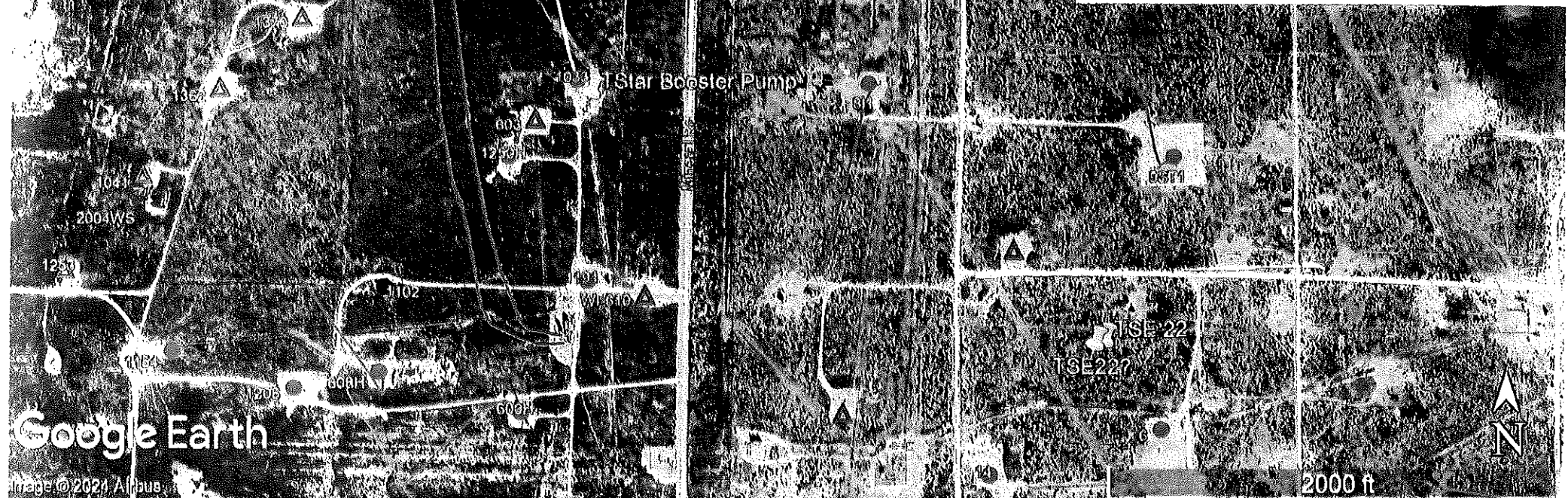


Exhibit A



## Exhibit B

All three lines will need road bores, each line will be cased and marked with vent risers and the risers will be outside of the county right of way.

Bob Slaughter Block (BSB) 6" injection line, running from South to North crossing under Tumbleweed road @ 625' west of Mineral Road. This line will be 3150' long. Noted with yellow line on Exhibit A.

Bob Slaughter Block 620, 3" production flowline. This line will run North to South 2350' crossing under Tumbleweed road @1094' west of Mineral road. Noted with shorter red line on Exhibit A.

Bob Slaughter Block 621, 3" production flowline. This line will run North to south 4072', crossing under Tumbleweed road @1194' west of Mineral Road. Noted with Longer red line on Exhibit A.

There being no further business to come before the Court, the Judge declared Court adjourned, subject to call.

The foregoing Minutes of a Commissioner's Court meeting held on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. 2024, was examined by me and approved.

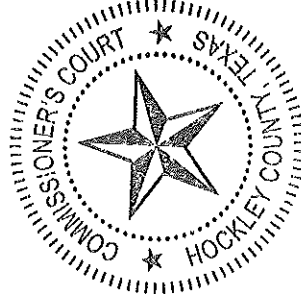
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Shack Edbridge  
County Judge



Jennifer Palermo  
JENNIFER PALERMO, County Clerk, and  
Ex-Officio Clerk of Commissioners' Court  
Hockley County, Texas