



MINUTES

The Uvalde County Commissioners Court met in regular session at 10:00 a.m. on November 10, 2014, in the Commissioners Courtroom of the Uvalde County Courthouse with the following members present:

William R. Mitchell, *County Judge*
Randy Scheide, *Commissioner Pct. #1*
Mariano Pargas Jr., *Commissioner Pct. #2*
Jerry W. Bates, *Commissioner Pct. #3*
Raul T. Flores, *Commissioner Pct. #4*
Brandie Parker, *Chief Deputy for Ramona Esquivel Hobbs*
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court

Also present were *County Tax Assessor/Elections Administrator Maggie Del Toro, County Treasurer Joni Deorsam, County Auditor Alice Chapman, and Road Administrator Jesse Garcia.*
Absent: *Ramona Esquivel Hobbs, County Clerk*

1. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON CALL TO ORDER, INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The Honorable William R. Mitchell called the meeting of November 10, 2014, to order; gave the invocation; led the pledge of allegiance to the United States of America and Texas flags.

2. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF OCTOBER 27, 2014:

- Upon motion of Commissioner Bates.
- Second by Commissioner Pargas.

The Court (4-0) approved the Minutes of October 27, 2014.

<i>Commissioner Scheide</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Flores</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Commissioner Pargas</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Bates</i>	<i>Yes</i>

3. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON INDIGENT DEFENSE GRANT RESOLUTION:

- Grant requirement from the Texas Indigent Defense Commission for the Indigent Defense Grant program for 2015, annual renewal.
- Upon motion of Commissioner Scheide.
- Second by Commissioner Bates.

The Court (4-0) approved the Indigent Defense Grant Resolution. (Copy attached.)

<i>Commissioner Scheide</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Flores</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Commissioner Pargas</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Bates</i>	<i>Yes</i>

4. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON CONTRACT RENEWAL WITH HTS VOICE AND DATA SYSTEMS:

- Presentation by Auditor Alice Chapman, with recommendation to renew at the current established rate, commencing December 1, 2014.
- Upon motion of Commissioner Pargas.
- Second by Commissioner Flores.

The Court (4-0) approved contract renewal with HTS Voice and Data Systems for 2014-2015. (Copy attached.)

<i>Commissioner Scheide</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Flores</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Commissioner Pargas</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Bates</i>	<i>Yes</i>

5. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON PRESENTATION BY LALO ZAMORA VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER:

- Presentation by Veterans Service Officer Lalo Zamora. Overview of services provided, expenditures and future goals.
- No action required on agenda item. (Copy attached.)

6. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON ROAD ADMINISTRATORS REPORT:

- Presentation by Road Administrator Jesse Garcia.

7. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON LINE ITEM BUDGET AMENDMENTS:

- None presented, no action required on agenda item.

8. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON APPROVAL OF MONTHLY REPORTS:

- Monthly reports, as presented:
County Treasurer: *County Clerk's Office Deposit Receipts October 6-17, 2014; Compliance Office Deposit Receipts October 10-16, 17-23, 2014.*
County Clerk Report: *October 20-24, 27-31, Month of October, 2014.*
Compliance Office Report: *October 20-24, 27-31, 2014.*
Sheriff's Office: *Commit and Release Audit Report: October 20-27, October 27-November 3, 2014. Inmate Charge Roster: October 27 and November 3, 2014, Compliance Report: October 20-27, October 27- November 3, 2014.*
JP#1: *October 20-24, 20-24 (Corrected), 27-31, 2014.*
JP#2: *October 18-24, 25-31, 2014.*
JP #3: *October 20-24, 27-31, 2014.*
JP #4: *October 20-24, 24-31, 2014.*
JP #6: *October 20-24, 20-24 (Corrected), Month of October, 2014.*

- Upon motion by Commissioner Bates.
 - Second by Commissioner Pargas.
- The Court (4-0) approved the Monthly Reports submitted by the County Clerk's office.

<i>Commissioner Scheide</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Flores</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Commissioner Pargas</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Bates</i>	<i>Yes</i>

9. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON PAYROLL APPROVAL:

- Upon motion of Commissioner Bates.
- Second by Commissioner Pargas.

The Court (4-0) approved the payroll for payment.

<i>Commissioner Scheide</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Flores</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Commissioner Pargas</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Bates</i>	<i>Yes</i>

10. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON PAYMENT OF BILLS:

- Upon motion of Commissioner Bates.
- Second by Commissioner Pargas.

The Court (4-0) approved the bills, as presented. Copies of the same are attached

<i>Commissioner Scheide</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Flores</i>	<i>Yes</i>
<i>Commissioner Pargas</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Commissioner Bates</i>	<i>Yes</i>

11. CONSIDER AND ACT UPON RESOLUTIONS/PROCLAMATIONS:

The Court approved resolutions in honor of the following individuals, with the meeting being closed in their memory:

Cynthia Alvarado
Elsa A. Rodriguez
Gilberto A. Arredondo
Guadalupe Ruiz
Barry H. Ballard
JonellRicharz Chapman
Mary Tom Buchanan
Dolores Torres Rubio

With no further business, the meeting of November 10, 2014 adjourned.

COMMISSIONERS COURT ORDER

On this, the _____ day of _____, 2014, came to be heard the Uvalde County Commissioners Court Minutes of _____, 20 ____, as prepared by the Clerk of the Court.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, the foregoing be recorded and entered for record in the UVALDE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT MINUTES, as required by law. (ORDER 11-10-14)

APPROVED BY: _____
William R. Mitchell, County Judge

Randy Scheide, Commissioner Pct. #1

Mariano Pargas, Jr., Commissioner Pct. #2

Jerry W. Bates, Commissioner Pct. #3

Raul T. Flores, Commissioner Pct. #4

(SEAL)

ATTEST: _____
Ramona Esquivel Hobbs, County Clerk

And Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Uvalde County, Texas