

Consider approving resolution pertaining to legislation that would offset costs incurred by County Sheriff's Department derived from the abuse of alcohol.

Moved: Commissioner Boatright

Seconded: Commissioner Heiligenstein

Motion: To approve resolution pertaining to legislation that would offset costs incurred by County Sheriff's Department derived from the abuse of alcohol with funds being deposited to Williamson County General Fund.

Vote: Motion carried 3 - 0 with Commissioner Mehevec absent from the dais.

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## RESOLUTION

### IN SUPPORT OF

#### Offsetting the Costs of County Sheriff's derived from the Abuse of Alcohol

The Commissioners Court of Williamson County, Texas meeting in regular session the 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1998 considered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Williamson County Sheriff is burdened with the high costs of providing food, clothing, shelter, medical and other expenses for persons incarcerated for crimes related to the abuse of alcoholic beverages.

WHEREAS, the Williamson County Sheriff is burdened with the high costs of Criminal Law Enforcement as it specifically relates to crimes that are directly or indirectly a result of the abuse of alcoholic beverages.

WHEREAS, many Sheriffs are burdened by the high costs of education, in a rehabilitative effort within the incarceration facility.

WHEREAS, the constant and continual abuse of alcoholic beverages have caused an ever increasing financial burden on the budgets of County Sheriffs in Texas.

WHEREAS, the spiraling costs of the abuse of alcohol are ultimately the responsibility of all Williamson County citizens and Taxpayers.

WHEREAS, legislation is needed in Texas mandating these additional revenues be generated by increasing the gross receipts tax one cent on alcoholic beverages.

WHEREAS, the additional revenues generated as a result of this increase shall be paid directly to the County Sheriff to offset these spiraling costs outlined above.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Commissioners Court of Williamson County Texas, supports legislation that would accomplish this goal.

DONE IN OPEN COURT, THIS 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1998 upon motion by Commissioner Boatright seconded by Comm. Heiligenstein, and 3 members of the court being present and voting "aye". with Judge Doerfler absent from the meeting and Commissioner Mehevec absent from the dais during the vote.

COUNTY JUDGE

John Doerfler

  
COMMISSIONER

Mike Heiligenstein, Precinct 1

  
COMMISSIONER

David Hays, Precinct 3

  
COMMISSIONER

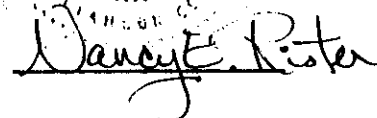
Greg Boatright, Precinct 2

  
COMMISSIONER

Jerry Mehevec, Precinct 4

ATTEST:  
County Clerk Nancy Rister  
And Ex-Officio Clerk of the  
Commissioners Court of  
Williamson County, Texas

By:



Discuss and take appropriate action on special recognition of employee in County Clerk's office.

County Clerk Nancy Rister read resolution to the court.

Moved: Commissioner Boatright

Seconded: Commissioner Hays

Motion: To recognize Deputy Clerk Gina Mabry for outstanding service to the citizens of Williamson County.

Vote: Motion carried 3 - 0 with Commissioner Mehevec absent from the dais.  
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*State of Texas*  
*County of Williamson*  
*Know all men by these presents:*

THAT ON THIS, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1998, the Commissioners Court of Williamson County, met in duly called session at the Courthouse in Georgetown, Texas, with the following members present:

John C. Doerfler, County Judge  
Mike Heiligenstein, Commissioner, Pct. #1  
Greg Boatright, Commissioner, Pct. #2  
David Hays, Commissioner, Pct. #3  
Jerry Mehevec, Commissioner Pct. #4  
Nancy E. Rister, County Clerk

And at said meeting, among other business, the Court considered the following

**RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, County Government is a service industry endeavoring to provide specific services to it's citizens; and

WHEREAS, Governmental service is only as good as the employees delivering service to the citizens on a one on one basis; and

WHEREAS, all employees of the County Clerk's office have demonstrated exemplary service to the customers of the office, Gina Mabry has had an outstanding attitude and been most helpful to the public during the last three months; and

WHEREAS, she has upheld the highest standards of service as a Williamson County Clerk employee; Now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Williamson County Commissioner's Court, on behalf of all the citizens of Williamson County, do publicly PRAISE and COMMEND

GENA MABRY

for her unselfish efforts in serving the citizens of Williamson County.

*John C. Doerfler*  
John C. Doerfler, County Judge

ATTEST:

*Nancy E. Rister*  
Nancy E. Rister, County Clerk

