

AGENDA ITEM 36

Discuss and take appropriate action on fee per day for interpreters in courts.

Moved: **Judge Doerfler**

Seconded: **Commissioner Limmer**

Motion: To extend the limit on fee for interpreters to \$200.00 per day.

Vote: Motion carried 4 – 0 with Commissioner Hays absent from the dais.

AGENDA ITEM 37

Discuss and take appropriate action on request from City of Taylor to use designated right of way funds for construction of roadway.

Moved: **Commissioner Hays**

Seconded: **Commissioner Boatright**

Motion: To approve request from City of Taylor to use designated right of way funds for construction to connect Turner Road to Old Thorndale Road.

Vote: Motion carried 5 – 0

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September 28, 2000

Commissioner Frankie Limmer
412 Vance – Suite 213
Taylor, Texas 76574

RE: New Roadway Project

Dear Commissioner Limmer,

Please accept this explanation on the City of Taylor's intent to construct a road, which will connect Turner Road and Old Thorndale Road. The City received a 60-foot dedication from Mr. Wayne Schroeder to construct the road and waterline from Old Thorndale Road to Turner Road. It is the City's intent to supply water for fire protection to the residences along East Lake Drive and Turner Road, and to provide access for emergency equipment and personnel in the event the railroad tracks are blocked by a train.

With funding assistance from Williamson County, we will provide emergency access to both City and County citizens on East Lake Drive and Turner Road. The City of Taylor is in the process of hiring Turner, Collie and Braden to design the roadway and waterline and prepare bid documents for construction.

We understand that \$132,000 was designated for right-of-way acquisition for the future east loop around Taylor. We feel this road would serve as a temporary solution for the loop to the eastside and provide emergency access. We are in the planning phase for the east loop but, as you are aware, it will probably be in the future before TxDOT will approve the construction of the loop road. The City would like to use the \$132,000 designated for right-of-way acquisition to help construct the above mentioned roadway project.

I hope this information is sufficient, and we would like to express our appreciation for the assistance that you have provided to the City of Taylor. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (512) 352-3677.

Sincerely,

Frank Salvato
City Manager

approved 10-10-00
John C. Daerfler

Discuss and take any appropriate action regarding construction of Jail/Criminal Justice facility.

Commissioner Limmer reported that they had narrowed down the bids for construction to seven companies, and will be paring the list down to three companies by the 31st of October, with the final decision being made on November 7, 2000.

The Court thanked Commissioner Limmer for all of his hard work dealing with the contractors on this project.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT ADJOURNED TO EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 11:14 A.M. ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2000.

AGENDA ITEM 39

Discuss possible condemnation of Montgomery tract for Criminal Justice Center: (EXECUTIVE SESSION REQUESTED as per VTCA Govt. Code sec 551.072 regarding real property).

COMMISSIONERS' COURT RECONVENED FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 11:24 A.M. ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2000.

No action was taken in executive session.

AGENDA ITEM 40

Discuss and take any appropriate action concerning condemnation of Montgomery tract for Criminal Justice Center.

Moved: **Judge Doerfler**

Seconded: **Commissioner Limmer**

Motion: To authorize the County Judge to sign the appropriate resolutions for condemnation of the Montgomery tract.

Vote: Motion carried 5 – 0

AGENDA ITEM 41

Comments from commissioners.

Commissioner Limmer commented that a good officer was lost with the death of Officer John Dykowski of Taylor Police Department.

Commissioners Heiligenstein and Limmer spoke about the status of SH 130.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT ADJOURNED AT 11:29 A.M. ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2000.