

AGENDA ITEM 42**Comments from commissioners.**

Commissioner Heiligenstein inquired about the luncheon with Moody and Standard & Poor's.

Judge Doerfler stated that everything was very positive and that they were impressed with the facts and figures on the county's self-assessment. He stated that the latest figures from the U.S. Census Bureau indicate that the population of Williamson County is now estimated to be over 300,000.

EMERGENCY ADDENDUM TO THE AGENDA**AGENDA ITEM 43**

Consider approving a memorandum of understanding between the Liberty Hill ISD Police Department and the Williamson County Sheriff's Department.

Moved: **Commissioner Hays**

Seconded: **Judge Doerfler**

Motion: To approve a memorandum of understanding between the Liberty Hill ISD Police Department and the Williamson County Sheriff's Department with an amendment to Section 8 to read: *"School Police Officers who confiscate narcotics, drugs, or other controlled substances shall notify the Sheriff's Department of the arrest and shall deliver the material confiscated to the Sheriff's evidence room."*

Vote: **3 - 0**

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**Memorandum of Understanding Between
Liberty Hill Independent School District Police Department
and The Williamson County Sheriff's Department**

The Liberty Hill Independent School District Police Department (hereinafter "School Police") and the Williamson County Sheriff's Department (hereinafter "Sheriff's Department") in compliance with V.T.C.A. Education Code 37.081(g) (see attached), and in order to create a cooperative atmosphere and maximum operational efficiency for both departments, hereby enter into this Memorandum of Understanding, and the Chief Officer of each entity now adopts the following procedures, as duly and lawfully authorized by the respective governing bodies of each department.

1. The School Police will have joint jurisdiction with the Sheriff's Department on and within one thousand (1000) feet of the boundary of all property owned by, leased, or otherwise under the control of the Liberty Hill ISD.
 2. School Police may respond to and control an emergency or criminal situation occurring within their view [as stated in the code of criminal procedure ART. 14.03 (4) (d)] and within the Liberty Hill Independent School District boundaries. Once School Police undertake to act in such a situation, they shall notify and remain on scene until relieved by a Williamson County Deputy or Supervisor. The Sheriff's Department shall make diligent effort to relieve the School Police as soon as possible under the circumstances. During normal school business hours, School Police will investigate accidents on school district property when available. School Police will request the assistance of the Williamson County Sheriff's Department if needed.
 3. The School Police shall have primary responsibility with the assistance of the Sheriff's Department, for the initiation and completion of investigation and reports of criminal incidents and offenses on school property except for major crimes such as homicide, attempted homicide, sexual assault, aggravated assault, etc. The Sheriff's Department will also be responsible for any complaints or investigations of criminal misconduct of Senior Liberty Hill ISD officials defined as Campus Level Administrators or higher.
 4. School Police shall be authorized to issue citations for Class C misdemeanors and traffic violations occurring on school property and within one thousand (1000) feet of the boundary of all school property.
 5. School Police and Sheriff's Department shall provide necessary backup for the other upon request.
 6. Radio communications will be provided as follows:
 - (a) School Police will have access to Sheriff's Department radio communications and dispatch twenty-four hours a day as practical.
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Williamson County Sheriff

By: John A. Maspero
Sheriff John Maspero
05/14/02

John C. Doerfler 5-14-02
John C. Doerfler
Williamson County Judge

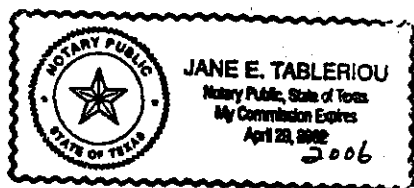
Attest: Jane E. Tableriou

Liberty Hill ISD Police Department

By: _____
Chief

Dean Andrews
Dr. Dean Andrews
LHISD Superintendent
05/14/02

Attest: _____



School Police will have their own channel to communicate with school officials. Each assigned Sheriff's Department channel shall be used for specific radio traffic as designated by the Sheriff. All other communications shall be by telephone, in person, or other non-radio methods.

- (b) School Police shall adhere to Sheriff's Department radio procedures and all relevant federal and state laws and regulations. Should a School Police Officer need Sheriff's Department assistance, the School Police shall notify the Sheriff's Department communications dispatch who will determine the units that are to respond.
 - (c) School Police shall be permitted to have radio contact from unit to unit.
7. Access to National and/or Texas Law Enforcement Teletype Systems (TLETS, NLETS, TCIC, NCIC) as follows:
- (a) The School Police shall be authorized to request record checks through the NCIC/TCIC Computer Facilities of the Sheriff's Department by contracting the Communication Office in accordance with guidelines established by Sheriff's Department.
 - (b) School Police agree to abide by all laws of the United States and the State of Texas, and all present or hereafter approved rules, policies, and procedures of TLETS, NLETS, TCIC, NCIC and any other system now or in the future associated with TLETS concerning the collection, storage, processing, retrieval, dissemination, and exchange of information for criminal justice purpose.
 - (c) Sheriff's Department agrees to enter names and property into TLETS, NLETS, TCIC, and NCIC when appropriate to do so when state, national, and local laws and rules allow. School Police agree to provide names and property meeting entry criteria in a timely manner. School Police further are responsible for notifying Sheriff's Department when there is a status change or persons or property are recovered or found by School Police so the information can be cancelled from TLETS, NLETS, TCIC, or NCIC.
8. School Police Officers who confiscate narcotics, drugs, or other controlled substances shall notify the Sheriff's Department of the arrest and shall deliver the material confiscated to the sheriff's evidence room.
9. Either party upon ninety (90) days written notice may terminate this agreement.

This agreement is effective upon its execution by both parties. This agreement may be amended only by written amendment.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT ADJOURNED AT 11:17 A.M. ON TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2002.

MINUTESof theWILLIAMSON COUNTY ROAD DISTRICT MEETINGMay 14, 2002

STATE OF TEXAS)(

COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON)(

BE IT REMEMBERED that at 11:17 a.m. on May 14, 2002, a REGULAR SESSION of the Commissioners Court of Williamson County, Texas, was held pursuant to V.A.C.S. art. 6702, acting as ex-officio road commissioners of their respective precincts, the following members being present, to-wit:

	JOHN C. DOERFLER, County Judge
	MICHAEL L. HEILIGENSTEIN, Commissioner, Precinct 1
ABSENT	GREGORY W. BOATRIGHT, Commissioner, Precinct 2
	DAVID HAYS, Commissioner, Precinct 3
ABSENT	FRANKIE LIMMER, Commissioner, Precinct 4
	NANCY E. RISTER, County Clerk

I.Read and approve the minutes of the last meeting.Moved: **Judge Doerfler**Seconded: **Commissioner Hays**

Motion: To approve the minutes of the April 9, 2002 Road District meeting.

Vote: **3 - 0**II.Discuss and take appropriate action on the Southeast Williamson County Road District #1, including, but not limited to payment of bills.Moved: **Judge Doerfler**Seconded: **Commissioner Heiligenstein**

Motion: To approve payment of the following:

\$426.40 to Sheets & Crossfield

\$17,156.67 to Williamson County

Vote: **3 - 0**

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