THE MINTUES OF THE PUBLIC HEARING OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF GRIMES COUNTY, TEXAS

VANESSA BURZYNSKI, COUNTY CLERK

JOE FAUTH III, COUNTY JUDGE

THE STATE OF TEXAS ~ COUNTY OF GRIMES ~ BE IT REMEMBERED, that on this the 9th day of September 2020 at 8:30 a.m. a Public Hearing of the Commissioners Court of Grimes County, Texas was held with the following members present.

County Judge, Joe Fauth III Present
Commissioner, Pct. #1 Chad Mallett Present
Commissioner, Pct. #2 David E. Dobyanski Present
Commissioner, Pct. #3 Barbara Walker Present
Commissioner, Pct. #4 Phillip Cox Present

COUNTY JUDGE – JOE FAUTH

1. Call to order.

Judge Fauth called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

2. Consider and hear any protest to a proposed replat of Huntsville West 22 Subdivision, Lot 78, Block 4 recorded Vol. 698, Page 225 RPRGCT, located in Precinct #1.

Harry Walker presented a proposed replat of Huntsville West 22 Subdivision, Lot 78, Block 4 out of the T. P. Plaster Survey A-375 containing 3 acres. There are two homes on this property. The owners want to divide their property into two lots consisting of 1.5 acres each in order for them to transfer one of the lots to their son. Each lot would be divided so that each lot would contain one home. No protests or public comments were made.
3. Consider and hear any public comments regarding the proposed County Clerk’s Records Archive Plan for FY 2021 pursuant to Texas Local Government Code §118.025. (See Attachment #3.)

County Clerk Vanessa Burzynski presented her proposed County Clerk’s Records Archive Plan for FY 2021 pursuant to Texas Local Government Code §118.025. Vanessa Burzynski described the projects that were completed this year from the previous archive plan. Those included purchasing new plat cabinets, scanning and indexing all subdivision plats, scanning and indexing old marriage licenses, scanning and indexing birth and death records, scanning and indexing old deed record books, scanning and indexing old probate records and scanning and indexing birth and death records from the City of Navasota. The new marriage license books will be delivered next week consisting of a total of 42 marriage books. Five old marriage license books have been preserved and scanned.

Vanessa Burzynski described the projects that she has planned for this upcoming fiscal year 2021. Those include scanning and preserving old commissioners court minutes books, scanning and preserving additional marriage license books, purchasing a new microfilm cabinet and purchasing archival boxes to store criminal records as well as birth and death records. These vital records must be stored in a locked room and will need to be moved into the county clerk’s office inside the new Justice Center once construction is completed. The probate records and criminal court records will need to be moved out of the old jail and placed into a new storage facility being built by the county adjacent to the new Justice Center. This new storage building will also need to have new shelving installed to store all of the old historical books. The new county clerk’s office will also need to have new rolling shelves installed in the new research room. No public comments were made.

4. Adjourn

Motion by Commissioner Dobyanski to adjourn. Seconded by Commissioner Walker.
Vote in Favor: 5  Vote Opposed: 0  MOTION PASSED

Judge Fauth adjourned the meeting at 9:03 a.m.