

ORDER OR02-08
DATE: May 3, 2002
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At a regular meeting of Commissioners Court of Parker County, Texas, held on the 13
day of May, 2002, on motion made by:

Commissioner Charles Akin

And seconded by:

Commissioner Danny Choate

The following ORDER was adopted.

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT
OF
PARKER COUNTY, TEXAS

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ORDER 02- 08

WHEREAS, on the 13th day of May, 2002, the Commissioners Court of Parker County, Texas, in regular meeting, considered the following matter:

Canvassing and declaration of the results of an election held on May 4, 2002, under Subchapter B of Chapter 143 of the Texas Agriculture Code to determine whether horses, mules, jacks, jennets, donkeys, hogs, sheep, and goats are to be permitted to run at large in the County of Parker of the State of Texas.

AND having considered said matter, finds:

1. On March 25, 2002, in regular and properly convened meeting, the Commissioners Court of Parker County, Texas considered the petition of Wanda Snow and other freeholders which petition requested that the Commissioners Court order a countywide election held for the purpose of determining if horses, mules, jacks, jennets, donkeys, hogs, sheep, and goats are to be permitted to run at large in the County of Parker of the State of Texas, and the Commissioners Court found that said petition contained the requisite number of signatures of persons who were both freeholders and residents and qualified votes of Parker County to require the Commissioners Court to order such election, and the Commissioners Court did vote and require said election to be held on May 4, 2002, and the County Judge of Parker County, Texas, did, in accordance with the requirements of law,

issue an order requiring said election to be held and said order was published in a newspaper published in said Court for at least 30 days immediately before the date of said election, and the statutory requirements for giving notice of said election have been complied with.

2. On May 4, 2002, the election was duly held, and on this ^{13th} day of May, 2002, the election officers have, during the open session of this Court, made the returns of said election to the County Judge of Parker County, Texas, in the presence of all members of this Court, and said Commissioners Court has tabulated and counted said returns in the manner provided for general elections in this state, and find that the said results are as follows:

1246 votes were cast against letting horses, mules, jacks, jennets, donkeys, hogs, sheep, and goats run at large in the County of Parker of the State of Texas; and

369 votes were cast for letting horses, mules, jacks, jennets, donkeys, hogs, sheep, and goats run at large in the County of Parker of the State of Texas.

3. Wherefore, it is found that a majority of the votes in said election were cast against letting horses, mules, jacks, jennets, donkeys, hogs, sheep, and goats run at large in the County of Parker of the State of Texas, and that Subchapter B of Chapter 143 of the Texas Agriculture Code is adopted for the County of Parker of the State of Texas, and that after the 30th day following the date that the proclamation of the County Judge declaring the result of said election is issued and posted, no person may permit any horse, mule, jack, jennet, donkey, hog, sheep, or goat to run at large within the territorial boundaries of the County of Parker of the State of Texas.

4. It is further found that the County Judge of Parker County is authorized by law to issue the proclamation required by Subsection (e) of Section 143.023 of the Texas Agriculture Code declaring the results of said election and to post the same on the courthouse door, and it is found that the County Judge has so issued said proclamation and has posted it on said courthouse door this ^{13th} day of May, 2002.

Wherefore, in consideration thereof, the Commissioners Court of Parker County, Texas does hereby **ORDER** that Subchapter B of Chapter 143 of the Texas Agriculture Code is hereby adopted for the County of Parker of the State of Texas, and that after the 30th day following the date that the proclamation of the County Judge declaring the result of said election was issued and posted, no person may permit any horse, mule, jack, jennet, donkey, hog, sheep, or goat to run at large within the territorial boundaries of the County of Parker of the State of Texas.

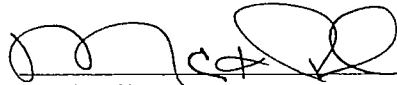
The Clerk of this Court shall cause a copy of this order and a copy of the proclamation of the County Judge issued declaring the results of said election showing the time and date of posting thereof to be placed in the Minutes of this Court.

WITNESS OUR SIGNATURES this ^{13th} day of May, 2002.

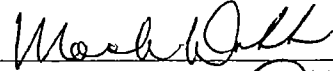
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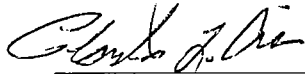
Danny Choate Aye/Nay
Commissioner, Precinct One



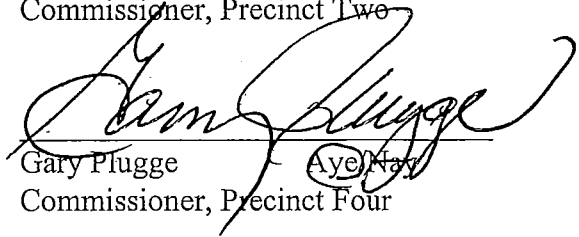
Mark Riley
County Judge



Mack Dobbs Aye/Nay
Commissioner, Precinct Two



Charles Akin Aye/Nay
Commissioner, Precinct Three



Gary Plugge Aye/Nay
Commissioner, Precinct Four

ATTEST:



Jeane Brunson
County Clerk of Parker County, Texas
by _____, Deputy