MINUTES OF THE
COMMISSIONERS' COURT
SPECIAL MEETING - JULY 13, 2011

On the 13th day of July, 2011, there was an Special Meeting of the Commissioner' Court in the Courthouse, Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, with the following members present: C. H. "Burt" Mills, Jr., County Judge; Jack Chaney, Commissioner, Precinct 1; Leslie "Bubba" Casterline, Commissioner, Precinct 2; and Peggy L. Friebele, County Clerk.

Other County Officer present was Richard P. Bianchi, County Attorney.

The Meeting was convened at 1:30 p.m. in the Commissioners' Courtroom at which time a quorum was declared by County Judge Mills, and the meeting was moved to Judge Mills' Office for the conference call WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had and done to wit:

REDISTRICTING

Judge Mills placed a conference call to Vanessa Gonzalez with Allison, Bass & Associates, L.L.P. Once connected, Ms. Gonzalez brought up the prior redistricting maps on Judge Mills' computer. Some adjustments were made; St. Joseph Island was all put in Precinct 3; the Precinct 1 polling place had inadvertently been placed in Precinct 2. Changes to these census blocks did not result in any percentage change. Adjustments were made to the water surrounding each precinct. There has been confusion in the past regarding which precinct the water was in. Commissioner Casterline requested Diana Rinche-McGinnis, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2 Court Clerk, to come to the meeting to help with the Justice of the Peace precincts in connection with the water associated to the precincts. Ms. McGinnis stated Copano Bay was Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1's and the remainder of the water was Precinct 2. There was some confusion as to how far south Aransas County. Ms. McGinnis thought it went as far as Lydia Ann Channel; however, Commissioner Casterline disagreed. Ms. Gonzalez will have new maps ready for review on Monday, July 18, 2011.

No further business presenting, the Court adjourned on a motion made by Judge Mills duly seconded by Commissioner Chaney.

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C. H. "Burt" Mills, Jr. COUNTY JUDGE

PEGGY L. FRIEBELE, COUNTY CLERK &
EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE
COMMISSIONERS' COURT