

**MINUTES OF THE**  
**COMMISSIONERS' COURT**  
**PUBLIC HEARING - AUGUST 22, 2019**

On the 22th day of August, 2019, there was a Public Hearing of the Commissioners' Court in the Commissioners' Courtroom, 2840 Hwy 35 N, Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, with the following members present: **C. H. "Burt" Mills, Jr.**, County Judge; **Leslie "Bubba" Casterline**, Commissioner, Precinct 2; **Charles Smith**, Commissioner, Precinct 3; **Wendy Laubach**, Commissioner, Precinct 4; and **Valerie K. Amason**, County Clerk.

Other County Officers present were **Jeri Cox**, Tax Assessor-Collector; **Bill Mills**, Sheriff; **Suzy Wallace**, County Auditor; **Latisha Murphy**, Administrative Assistant to the County Judge; **Jacky Cockerham**; First Assistant County Auditor;

Members of Local City Government, Community Groups and other Interested Parties present:

**Aransas County Citizens:** **Greg Laubach**;

**Mike Probst**, Editor and Publisher of the Rockport Pilot Newspaper;

The Meeting was convened at **8:45 a.m.** at which time a quorum was declared by Judge Mills, WHEREUPON, the following proceedings were had and done to wit:

**ITEMS FOR DELIBERATION AND/OR ACTION:**

1. Public comments on the 2019 Tax increase used to fund the 2020 Budget.

**Judge Mills:** The Proposed Tax Rate is .451453 per \$100, Last Year's Tax Rate was .479115 per \$100, Effective Tax Rate is .415315 per \$100, and Rollback Rate is .451453 per \$100. Any comments?

**There were none.**

2. Announce date and time to adopt 2019 Tax Rate.

**Judge Mills:** The tax rate will be adopted on August 26, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.

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*No further business presenting, the Court adjourned at 8:50 a.m. on a motion made by Commissioner Smith and seconded by Commissioner Laubach.*

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*Valerie K. Amason*

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EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

  
C. H. "BURT" MILLS, JR., COUNTY JUDGE

