

ORDER #2017-12

WHEREAS, V.T.C.A. Transportation Code, Section 251.154 permits a Commissioners' Court to declare a speed limit lower than the prima facie speed limits for county roads; and

WHEREAS, V.T.C.A. Transportation Code, Section 251.151 gives the Commissioners' Court of a county the right to regulate traffic on a county road; and

WHEREAS, Section 251.152 requires public hearing before the Commissioners' Court may issue a traffic regulation under that Subchapter (Subchapter E) and notice of the public hearing must be published not later than the seventh and not earlier than the 30th day before the date of the hearing; and

WHEREAS, Section 251.154(d) requires the erection of speed limit signs on the county roads in order to be effective; and

WHEREAS, the Panola County Commissioners' Court called a public hearing for September 11, 2017 while meeting in Regular Session; and

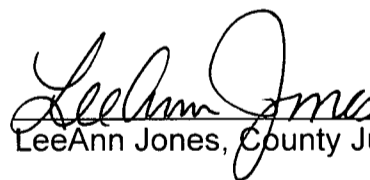
WHEREAS, notice of the public hearing was published in the Panola Watchman on Wednesday, August 30, 2017, a date at least seven days but not more than 30 days before the public hearing; and


WHEREAS, the public hearing was held on September 11, 2017 at 9:30 a.m.;

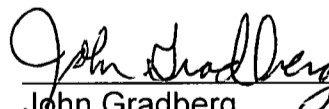
NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, by the Commissioners' Court of Panola County, Texas, meeting in Regular Session at an officially called meeting, as follows:

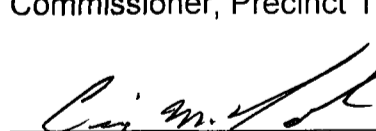
1. The speed limit on Panola County Road #3224 shall be lowered to 30 miles per hour;
2. The Panola County Road and Bridge Department shall erect appropriate signs as soon as possible; and
3. The speed limit on any county road shall be effective with the erection of the signs, whether all signs have been erected on all county roads or not.

ADOPTED AND PASSED IN OPEN COURT this 11th day of September, 2017.


LeeAnn Jones, County Judge

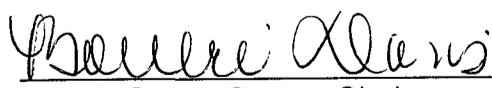

Ronnie LaGrone
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John Gradberg
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Commissioner, Precinct 3


Dale LaGrone
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ATTEST:


Bobbie Davis, County Clerk




NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Panola County Commissioners' Court will hold a Public Hearing on September 11, 2017 at 9:30 o'clock a.m. in the Commissioners' Courtroom in the Panola County Courthouse to discuss lowering the speed limit on Panola County Road #3224. Interested parties are invited to attend and participate.

Notice dated August 28, 2017.

PANOLA COUNTY, TEXAS

By:



LeeAnn Jones, County Judge