ORDER TO SET TAX RATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS)(

COUNTY OF JIM WELLS)(

On this the 22nd day of September, 2017, the Commissioners Court of Jim Wells County, Texas convened in open session at its special meeting of said Court at the Courthouse in the City of Alice, Texas, with the following members present, to-wit:

Pedro "Pete" Trevino, Jr.

County Judge

Margarita H. Gonzalez

County Commissioner, Precinct #1

Ventura Garcia

County Commissioner, Precinct #2 County Commissioner, Precinct #3

Carlos D. Gonzalez Emede Garcia

County Commissioner, Precinct #4

J. C. Perez

County Clerk

And had the following Order passed:

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Jim Wells County, Texas, had considered the matter and deemed it appropriate to set the Jim Wells County Tax Rate at eight hundred fifteen thousand and seven hundred thirteen millionths cents (\$.815713) per hundred dollars valuation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Commissioners Court of Jim Wells County, Texas:

That the tax rate for 2017 be set at eight hundred fifteen thousand and seven hundred thirteen millionths cents (\$.815713) per hundred dollars valuation, which is effectively a 4.38% increase in the tax rate. The tax revenue from same to be allocated on the following basis:

65.4585 cents (\$.654585) of said 81.5713 cents (\$.815713) to the County General Fund, (\$.640720) for Maintenance & Operations and (\$.013865) for Debt Service, 5.0197 cents (\$.050197) to the Special Road Fund for Maintenance & Operations and the remaining 1.10931 cents (\$.110931) of said .815713 cents per hundred dollars valuation to the Flood and Lateral Road Fund for Maintenance & Operations, for a total tax rate of eight hundred fifteen thousand and seven hundred thirteen millionths cents per hundred dollars valuation.

THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Court voted aye:

Pedro "Pete" Trevino, Jr., County Judge Margarita H. Gonzalez, County Commissioner, Precinct #1 Ventura Garcia, County Commissioner, Precinct #2 Carlos D. Gonzalez, County Commissioner, Precinct #3 Emede Garcia, County Commissioner, Precinct #4

The following members of the Court voted nay:

SIGNED AND ENTERED on this the 22 day of September, 2017.

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JIM WELES

y Clerk

edro "Pete" Trevino Ir., County Judge