



## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING & MEETING**

Notice is hereby given that the Taylor County Commissioners' Court will meet on Tuesday, April 28, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. in regular session in the Commissioners' Courtroom, 1915 Taylor County Courthouse (1st floor) 301 Oak Street, Abilene, Texas, to consider the following items:

**Public Hearing on abandonment of a portion of undeveloped road platted as Grand Ave, City of View and any appropriate action**

1. Call meeting to order
2. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
3. Consider approval of minutes of previous meetings and adopt agenda
4. Presentation of Service Awards
5. Consider approval of budget adjustments and transfers, if any
6. Consider approval of bills for payment and ratify payroll
7. Public Comment in accordance with Local Government Code 551.007
8. Present Proclamation in Recognition of 2020 National Day of Prayer
9. Consider approval of March 2020 Treasurer's Report and any appropriate action
10. Consider approval of renewal of crime bond for County Tax Assessor's Office and any appropriate action
11. Consider approval of letter of intent with Justice Benefits, Inc. for assistance in grant application and submission for the Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Program, and any appropriate action.
12. Consider approval of order to abandon undeveloped portion of Grand Ave, City of View and any appropriate action
13. Consider approval of Right of Way Application county road crossings for Abilene Water Supply to provide water to Town of Buffalo Gap, City of Tuscola, Taylor County WCID No. 1, and City of Lawn and any appropriate action
14. Consider approval of Right of Way Application with City of Merkel to cross CR 405 and any appropriate action
15. Consider advertising and specifications for ITB 2020-101 Used Dump Truck for Precinct 4
16. Discuss and consider Disaster Declaration due to COVID-19 spread and imminent threat to public health and safety of our community and employees and any appropriate action
17. Discuss and consider Taylor County Office Operations due to COVID-19 spread and imminent threat to public health and safety of our community and employees and any appropriate action
18. Adjourn

*NOTE: Enumerated agenda items are assigned numbers for ease of reference only, and will not necessarily be considered by the Commissioners' Court in that particular order.*

**DOWNING A. BOLLS, JR., TAYLOR COUNTY JUDGE**

This is to certify that the above Notice of Meeting was posted on the Taylor County website and on the bulletin at the Taylor County Courthouse, Abilene, TX on the 24th day of April 2020, at 3:30 p.m., within such time as required by law.

**LARRY G. BEVILL, TAYLOR COUNTY CLERK**

### **NOTICE REGARDING PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

Governor Greg Abbott has granted a temporary suspension of certain rules to allow for telephone or video conference public meetings in an effort to reduce in-person meetings that assemble large groups of people, due to COVID-19 (coronavirus) public health emergency.

In an effort to reduce the spread of the virus, the Commissioner Court meetings will be livestreamed on <https://www.facebook.com/TaylorCountyCommissionersCourt/> and closed to in person attendance by the public. Individuals will be able to address the Court by filling out the Public Comment form located on [www.taylorcountytexas.org](http://www.taylorcountytexas.org) under the Calendar Date of Court on the homepage and emailing the comments to the Administrative Assistant at [lewist@taylorcountytexas.org](mailto:lewist@taylorcountytexas.org) by 3 p.m. on Monday prior to the Tuesday meeting in efforts to receive all request for Court comment.