

## **Special Call Meeting**

September 21, 2007

The Jones County Board of Commissioners met Friday, September 21, 2007, at 2:30 p.m. at the Jones County Government Center in the County Extension Office.

Members present were:

Preston Hawkins-Chairman  
David C. Gault-Vice-Chairman  
Larry Childs- District I Commissioner  
Mell Merritt-District III Commissioner  
Bert Liston-District IV Commissioner

Frank Childs, County Attorney was not present. Comm. Gault arrived at 2:40 p.m.

Chairman Hawkins called the meeting to order at 2:32 p.m.

Chairman Hawkins discussed the Department of Transportation Contract for chip sealing 3.931 miles of Greene Settlement Road and 7.057 miles of Upper River Road. Comm. Childs made a motion to approve the Department of Transportation Contract for chip sealing 3.931 miles of Greene Settlement Road and 7.057 miles of Upper River Road. Comm. Liston seconded the motion. Vote – 3-0. Comm. Gault was not present. See attachments for specifications.

Chairman Hawkins entertained a motion to award the bid to Epps Brothers. Comm. Childs made a motion to award the bid to Epps Brothers for chip sealing 3.931 miles of Green Settlement Road and 7.057 miles of Upper River Road. Comm. Liston seconded the motion. Comm. Merritt questioned if we advertised for bids. The county had previously received a bid from Epps Brother; but these two specific roads had not been advertised. Comm. Childs rescinded his motion. Comm. Childs made a motion to advertise for bids for chip sealing 3.931 miles of Greene Settlement Road and 7.057 miles of Upper River Road and open the bids on Friday September 28, 2007 at 10 a.m. and award the bid September 28, 2007 at 11 a.m. Comm. Liston seconded the motion vote 3-0. Comm. Gault was not present.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Comm. Merritt made a motion to adjourn. Comm. Liston seconded the motion.  
Vote - unanimous. The meeting adjourned at 2:43 p.m.

**APPROVED**

Jones County Board of Commissioners

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Preston Hawkins, Chairman

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David C. Gault, Vice-Chairman

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Larry Childs, District 1 Commissioner

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Mell Merritt, District 3 Commissioner

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Bert Liston, District 4 Commissioner

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Leila Brittain, Clerk of the Board