

**ORDER OF APPOINTMENT  
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE IN  
FORT BEND COUNTY JUSTICE COURT PRECINCT 3**

On this day there came to be considered by the Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, the matter of an appointment to fill a vacancy in the office of Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3, Fort Bend County, Texas.

**WHEREAS**, the appointment of Judge Kenneth S. Cannata as Judge of the 458<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Court in Fort Bend County has created a vacancy in the office of Justice of the Peace in the Justice Court Precinct 3;

**WHEREAS**, Texas Local Government Code §87.041 states the Commissioners Court may fill a vacancy in the office of Justice of the Peace until the next general election;

**WHEREAS**, Texas Local Government Code §87.041 requires the Commissioners Court to fill a vacancy by a majority vote of the members of the court who are present and voting; and

**WHEREAS**, Texas Government Code §27.001 requires each justice of the peace to subscribe to the official oath of office and to secure an official bond of not more than \$5,000 payable to the County Judge to secure the performance of their duties.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, Fort Bend County Commissioners Court through a majority vote hereby appoints

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to serve as Justice of the Peace in the Justice Court Precinct 3, effective upon subscribing to the official oath of office and delivery of a bond payable to the County Judge securing faithful performance of his/her duties to fill the vacancy of the Honorable Ken Cannata until the next general election.

*Approved by the Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, this \_\_\_\_ day of September, 2017.*

***FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS***

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Robert E. Hebert  
County Judge

ATTEST:

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Laura Richard  
County Clerk