

**MINUTES**

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 30TH DAY of AUGUST, 2016, Commissioners Court of Fort Bend County, Texas, met at a special meeting with the following present:

ROBERT E. HEBERT	COUNTY JUDGE
RICHARD MORRISON	COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1
GRADY PRESTAGE	COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2
ANDY MEYERS	COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3
JAMES PATTERSON	COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4
LINDA WILLIS FOR LAURA RICHARD	COUNTY CLERK

When the following were heard and the following orders were passed:

1. **Call to Order.**

Call to Order by Judge Hebert at 1:00 p.m.

2. **Discuss Fort Bend County participation in the FEMA Direct Housing program for temporary housing under Federal Disaster Declaration and take any and all appropriate action to initiate the program.**

Moved by Commissioner Meyers, Seconded by Commissioner Morrison  
Duly put and unanimously carried (5-0), it is ordered to authorize the FEMA Direct Housing program for temporary housing under Federal Disaster Declaration and take any and all appropriate action to initiate the program.

Judge Hebert	Yes
Commissioner Morrison	Yes
Commissioner Prestage	Yes
Commissioner Meyers	Yes
Commissioner Patterson	Yes

**Item 2 continued - Discussion:**

Judge Hebert stated, for the record, this item called for a special meeting due to the floods in Louisiana and the limited temporary housing available across the nation. Louisiana currently has 10,000 pending applications and Fort Bend County wanted to make sure this area's needs were met first since the flooding occurred here first. There is no County match and this program is provided by the Federal Government to those who qualify. Direct Housing allows an individual to have temporary housing while their domicile is being repaired. Also, a diligent effort must be shown to restore the property.

Jeff Braun, Emergency Management Coordinator, stated this resolution does not indicate the County would participate in the buy program. Rosenberg, Simonton and Thompsons have indicated they are good with no sales program.

3. **Adjournment.**

Commissioners Court Special Meeting adjourned at 1:06 p.m. on Tuesday, August 30, 2016.



I attest to the accuracy of the foregoing minutes.

*Laura Richard*

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Laura Richard, County Clerk, Fort Bend County, Texas