

**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 458th 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.

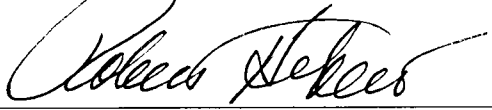
NOW, THEREFORE, Fort Bend County Commissioners Court through a majority vote hereby appoints

George N. Lawrence

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 26 day of September, 2017.

FORT BEND COUNTY, TEXAS

By: 

Robert E. Hebert
County Judge

ATTEST:



Laura Richard
County Clerk

