

BOARD OF DIRECTOS, NEWTON CENTRAL APRAISAL DISTRICT

The Newton Central Appraisal District board of directors met in regular session at 6:00 p.m. on March 19, 2020, in the office of the Appraisal District at 109 East Court Street in the city of Newton, Newton County, Texas.

Present were chairman J.C. Avant, Vice Chairman Ron Hughes, and Mike Adams. Present by phone was Newton County Tax Assessor- Collector, Melissa Burks. Absent were Charles Summers, and Robert L (Luke) Smith.

Also, present was Chief Appraiser, Margie L Herrin, and Chief Deputy, Kathy Maier.

The meeting was called to order at 6:15 by Chairman, J.C. Avant.

Mike Adams was sworn in as a new member to the board of directors. Officers appointed were J.C. Avant, Chairman, Ron Hughes, Vice Chairman, and Mike Adams, Secretary. Motion was made by Ron Hughes to approve the officers, second by Mike Adams. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

There were no guests present.

There were no public comments.

Motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting was made by Ron Hughes, second by J.C. Avant. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

Motion to approve the financial statements and invoices for November 2019, December 2019, January 2020 and February 2020 was made by Ron Hughes, second by J.C. Avant. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

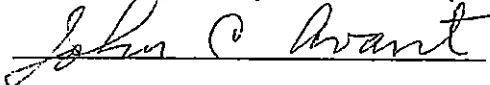
The quarterly investment report was presented to the board of directors for review. No action was required.

Ms. Herrin reported to the board that the appraisal district has one new employee, one employee was terminated, one employee resigned and went to work for the state of Texas. Four (4) employees- two appraisers, one appraisal clerk, and one mapper- went to the Pacs conference in Plano, Tx. ARB training has been cancelled in Beaumont. The state will let us know how the ARB training will be conducted. Judge Weeks issued an order in regard to the Covid 19 issue, to control the crowd of people, no gathering could be more than ten (10) people until further notice. The board agreed to lock the front door at the appraisal district. Employees will continue to work in the office, but the doors will be locked to the public. The roof is leaking again going into the appraiser's part of the building.

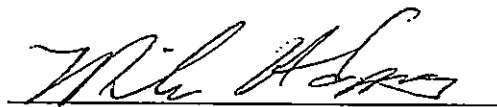
The next meeting was scheduled for May 21, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Ron Hughes, second by J.C. Avant. Motion was approved by unanimous vote.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:32 p.m.



J.C. Avant, Chairman



Mike Adams, Secretary