

June 18, 1918.

Minutes of the Second and Adjourned Thirteenth Regular Monthly Session of the State Highway Commission, held at the Capitol pursuant to adjournment. The following members were present:

Curtis Hancock, Chairman
R. M. Hubbard, Commissioner of Construction,
J. G. Fowler, Commissioner of Registration
Geo. A. Duren, State Highway Engineer.

The following business was transacted:

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the allotment out of Federal Aid heretofore granted MITCHELL County on Highway Number One, beginning one mile east of the City of Colorado and running east 5.7 miles, and also beginning 4.7 miles west of the city of Colorado and extending 1.8 miles west, amounting to the sum of \$15,000, be increased to cover the estimates so as to amount to a sum not exceeding \$20,208.21. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the allotment out of State Aid on Highway Number One in MITCHELL County, beginning at Nolan County line on the east and extending west 6.2 miles, and also beginning at the Howard County line and extending eight miles east, amounting to \$8,238.00, be increased so as to amount to the sum of \$49,775.00. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of ANGELINA County be granted out of State Aid not to exceed the sum of \$16,087.00 on Highway Number Thirty Five, beginning at the north city limits of Lufkin; thence north to the Angelina River. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of ANGELINA County be granted out of State Aid on Highway Number Thirty Seven, beginning at Pollock; thence northerly to the Cherokee County line, not to exceed the sum of \$7,000.00. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of FALLS County for Aid on Highway Number Two from county line at Eddy, Texas, to the county line south of Eddy, a distance of 1.8 miles, be granted out of Federal Aid not to exceed the sum of \$8,210.40. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of FISHER County for an increase of State Aid on Highway Number Four from the sum of \$10,000 heretofore granted, be now granted so that the total sum allowed shall be \$18,441.67, beginning at the Nolan County line, extending four miles north, and also beginning at North Roby and extending four miles south. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of FISHER County for an increase of Federal Aid from the sum of \$35,000 heretofore granted on Highway Number Four from four miles north of the Nolan County line to four miles south of North Roby, be granted so that the total amount granted shall be \$46,429.19. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of ANDERSON County for an increase in the allotment heretofore granted in the sum of \$20,000 on Highway Number Twenty Two, be increased out of Federal Aid so that the total amount granted shall be \$40,000 on Highway Number Twenty Two, beginning at Lake Creek and extending through Tennessee Colony and Bethel to Wildcat Crossing on the Trinity River. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of COKE County for an increase in the allotment of State Aid on Highway Number Four, beginning at Blackwell and extending south to Bronte, and also beginning at Robert Lee and extending south to the Tom Green County line, be granted so as to make the total amount \$20,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of CULBERSON County for an increase in allotment out of State Aid on Highway Number One be increased from fifty per cent as allowed by law, so that the total sum of State Aid shall be \$38,718.75. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the State Highway Engineer is hereby requested to notify the Commissioners' Court of COLLIN County as to what is necessary to complete the connection of Highway Number SIX between the points of Plano on said highway and McKinney, Texas, and to serve notice that in the event the same is not completed within six months, the Highway Commission shall complete such connection in the manner as authorized and provided by the statute. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the designation on Highway Number Five be more definitely set out, as follows: From Okla Union to the City of Vernon along the line of what is known as the Central Route, as adopted by the Commissioners' Court of Wilbarger County, shown on Book 3, page 118 of the Road Minutes of said court. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of SHACKELFORD County for additional aid on Highway Number One, heretofore granted out of Federal Aid, amounting to the sum of \$15,000, be granted so that the total amount shall be \$24,978.50. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of JEFFERSON County for State Aid on Highway Number Eight, beginning at a point $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles west of Nederland; thence south to a point four miles north of Fort Arthur, not to exceed the sum of \$14,125, be granted. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of JEFFERSON County for State Aid on Highway Number Three, beginning at Amelia; thence north and eastward $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles, be granted not to exceed the sum of \$13,900.42. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, that the application of KENT County be granted out of Federal Aid on Highway Number Eighteen from Stonewall County line to a point five miles west, not to exceed the sum of \$6,906.75. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Fowler, seconded by Mr. Hubbard, that the application of Robertson County be granted out of Federal Aid not to exceed the sum of \$44,262.00 on Highway Number Fourteen from Nesbitt to Brazos County line. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. Hubbard, seconded by Mr. Fowler, duly carried, that the following changes be made in the pay roll:

J.A. Cawfield, salary to be \$75.00, beginning June 1st
 Howard Randolph, salary to be \$75.00, beginning June 1st
 C. A. Roe, salary to be \$110.00, beginning June 1st
 Jennie George, salary to be \$110, beginning June 1st
 Maurice Minchen, salary to be \$85.00, beginning June 1st
 R. W. Buddington, salary to be \$85.00, beginning June 1st
 Mrs. J. H. Bonear, salary to be \$75.00, beginning June 1st
 Mrs. Bradfield, salary to be \$75.00, beginning July 1st

The following were employed by the Department upon authorization by the Commission:

E. C. Connor, Division Engineer, beginning June 13th, \$200
(temporarily employed).
Irma Rogers, stenographer, beginning June 12th, \$ 75
Vivian Franklin, Clerk, beginning June 17th, 60
Sidney Thomas, office boy, beginning June 12th 20
Probert Williams, draftsman, beginning June 5th 90

There being no further business to come before the Commission,
adjournment was taken.

Curtis Hancock
Chairman

Attest: Geo. P. Dearen
State Highway Engineer