

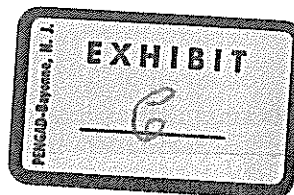
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**Affidavit in Support of Special Notice of Opportunity to Claim  
Lawful Status of Jurisdiction as the Supreme Court of the  
Republic Of Texas**

Before the undersigned authority appeared Richard L. McLaren, a Citizen of the Republic of Texas, Head Legal Officer for the Davis Mountains Land Commission, and acting Ambassador and Consul General for the Republic of Texas, who was sworn and who now states and affirms the following facts known unto him:

On or about April 12, 1994, a Sovereign Aggregate Body of Citizens filed notice and declaration of organization of a political subdivision of Texas covering the same area encompassed as the County of Jeff Davis, Texas, and notified 145 county, state, and federal agencies of the establishment of this organization and some of its purposes and requesting appointment of representatives from their agencies if their purposes involved Land Planning.

On May 14, 1994, the Sovereign Aggregate Body of Citizens lawfully assembled and in accordance with its filed declaration organized the Davis Mountains Land Commission and elected officers for the purpose of furthering and perfecting its lawful standing and character in recovering the sovereignty of the soil of Texas and the rights of its Citizens by initiative and referendum.



Between April 12, 1994 and June 9, 1995, this fully active and certified referendum petitioned the governing bodies of Jeff Davis County, Texas, the state of Texas, and United States of America . On March 10, 1995 the Texas House State Affairs Committee of the 74th Legislature of Texas was legally served and challenged by the People of the Republic of Texas on the political question involving the validity of the passages of SCR-6, the Sovereignty of Soil Resolution .

The Texas House State Affairs Committee headed by Curtis Seidlits, after repeated requests by the representatives of the Sovereign People of Texas, failed and refused to address the Sovereignty Question of Texas which is that Texas has no lawful standings as a 10th Amendment State of the Union as a basis for Sovereignty and that the SCR-6 Resolution had no basis in law .

This failure to act and the Committee's refusal to provide evidence are their own admission that they do not control the sovereignty question and that it is a Political Question of international nature and can only be initiated by the delegation or by direct acts of the People of the Republic of Texas as specified in the Texas Constitution of 1845.

**Certification**

I hereby by certify that the attached exhibits are only a representative sample of the perfected and certified initiative/referendum and that the Political Question is now an international one and that no remedy now exists At Law under the Constitution of the Texas of 1876 as amended other than by the act and actions of this Notice of Opportunity provided to the Supreme Court of Texas.

Signed and sworn to before an officer of the Republic of Texas and a Second Witness this the 27th day of September 1995

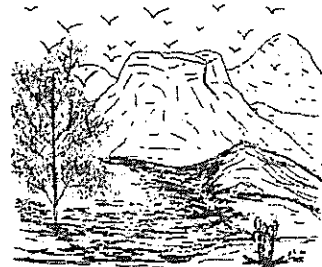
Richard L. McLaren  
Acting Ambassador and Consul General  
and Head of the Council for Legal Affairs  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
Republic of Texas

**Attest**

I, Deborah Lagarde, as Clerk and as a Commissioner for the Davis Mountains Land Commission and as a Officer of the Republic of Texas, hereby attest and witness, after oath and by the seal of the Land District, the signature and acts of Richard L. McLaren in and by this Affidavit in Support of a Special Notice of Opportunity.

Deborah Lagarde  
Clerk and Commissioner  
the Davis Mountains Land Commission  
Republic of Texas

**Second Witness**



The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
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## Attached and Incorporated Exhibits

### Exhibits

- 1 Notice to International Court of Justice September 18, 1995
- 2 Texas Rules of Court Rule 53
- 3 Article 5 Section 3 Texas Constitution of 1876 as Amended
- 4 Oath of Office Karl Ross May 14, 1994
- 5 Oath of Office Deborah Lagarde May 14, 1994
- 6 Oath of Office Richard L. McLaren May 14, 1994
- 7 Declaration of Citizenship at Treaty March 22, 1995
- 8 Jeff Davis County Commissioners Court Agenda and Minutes  
July 11, 1994
- 9 Amendments to the Constitution of Texas of December 29, 1845  
as amended on August 29, 1994
- 10 Jeff Davis County Commissioners Court Agenda and Minutes  
September 12, 1994
- 11 Notice of Perfection of Courts at Law December 11, 1994 Filed  
with District Clerk December 20, 1994
- 12 Notice to Secretary of State of Texas December 23, 1994
- 13 SCR Resolution No. 6 Sponsor Jane Nelson Texas Senator
- 14 Legal Notice to Texas House Affairs Committee March 9, 1995
- 15 Jeff Davis County Commissioners Court Resolution March 13, 1995

- 16 Land Commission Letter to Senator Jane Nelson August 15, 1995
- 17 Senator Jane Nelson Letter to Land Commission August 15, 1995
- 18 Public Notice of Separation and Disjoiment May 17, 1995
- 19 McLaren Letter to Clerk Sue Blackley June 26, 1995
- 20 83rd District Court or of Transference of Jurisdiction  
September 1, 1995



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**Embassy of the  
Republic of Texas**  
**C/O The Davis Mountains Land Commission**  
**C/O HCR-74 Box 101A/Hwy. 166**  
**District Land Planning Center**  
**Fort Davis Texas PZ 79734**  
**915-426-2210 Voice**  
**915-426-3705 Fax**

September 18, 1995

To: The Registrar of the International Court of Justice  
2517 KJ THE HAGUE  
Peace Palace  
31-70-302-2323

From: The People of the Republic of Texas by and through  
their Acting Ambassador and Consul General  
Richard L. McLaren  
Embassy of the Republic of Texas  
C/O The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
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**Notice of Intent to Perfect  
an International Question  
Involving Lawful Standings and Character of the Annexation  
Treaty of Texas of 1845**

Legal Notice is hereby given to the International Court of Justice through its Registrar by the People of the Republic of Texas pursuant to Article 41 of Court Rules adopted on April 14, 1978.

That upon Legal Notice and Document of Opportunity to be filed with the Supreme Court of Texas, and after the expiration of 30 days from its filing and/or that Court's failure to take up the question, the People of the Republic of Texas by and through their Diplomatic Representative will move to perfect and deposit a Declaration adopted in accordances with Article 35 Paragraph 2, of the United Nations Charter in the resolution dated October 15, 1946.

### The Question

Was legal authority delegated by the Constitution of the United States then in effect in 1845 to its agents to annex the Republic of Texas into its Union of States by Treaty; and did the agent, known as the Senate of the United States, legally obtain the required number of votes to ratify the Treaty in order that it would be valid in the future for the Sovereign Aggregate Class of Citizens of Texas to exercise their rights under its Third Section so specified in the Preamble to the Constitution of Texas of December 29, 1845.

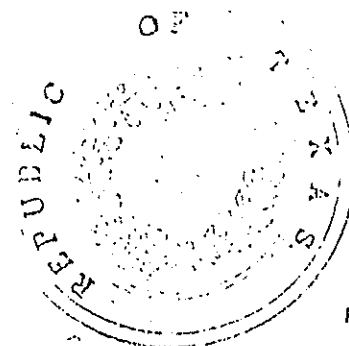
### Diplomatic Notice

This Court is hereby furnished with a copy of a Diplomatic Notice of Show Cause with Exhibits served upon Warren C. Christopher, Secretary of State of the United States of America, and filed with the United States State Department and the Legal Affairs Department of the United Nations.

Executed, signed, and sealed this the 18th day of September 1995.



Richard L. McLaren  
Acting Ambassador and Consul General for  
the Republic of Texas



### RULE 48. ALTERNATIVE CLAIMS FOR RELIEF

A party may set forth two or more statements of a claim or defense alternatively or hypothetically, either in one count or defense or in separate counts or defenses. When two or more statements are made in the alternative and one of them if made independently would be sufficient, the pleading is not made insufficient by the insufficiency of one or more of the alternative statements. A party may also state as many separate claims or defenses as he has regardless of consistency and whether based upon legal or equitable grounds or both.

#### Notes and Comments

Source: Federal Rule 8(e), in part, unchanged.

### RULE 49. WHERE SEVERAL COUNTS

Where there are several counts in the petition, and entire damages are given, the verdict or judgment, as the case may be, shall be good, notwithstanding one or more of such counts may be defective.

#### Notes and Comments

Source: Art. 2213, unchanged.

### RULE 50. PARAGRAPHS, SEPARATE STATEMENTS

All averments of claim or defense shall be made in numbered paragraphs, the contents of each of which shall be limited as far as practicable to a statement of a single set of circumstances; and a paragraph may be referred to by number in all succeeding pleadings, so long as the pleading containing such paragraph has not been superseded by an amendment as provided by Rule 65. Each claim founded upon a separate transaction or occurrence and each defense other than denials shall be stated in a separate count or defense whenever a separation facilitates the clear presentation of the matters set forth.

#### Notes and Comments

Source: Federal Rule 10(b).

### RULE 51. JOINDER OF CLAIMS AND REMEDIES

(a) **Joinder of Claims.** The plaintiff in his petition or in a reply setting forth a counterclaim and the defendant in an answer setting forth a counterclaim may join either as independent or as alternate claims as many claims either legal or equitable or both as he may have against an opposing party. There may be a like joinder of claims when there are multiple parties if the requirements of Rules 39,

40, and 43 are satisfied. There may be a like joinder of cross claims or third-party claims if the requirements of Rules 38 and 97, respectively, are satisfied.

(b) **Joinder of Remedies.** Whenever a claim is one heretofore cognizable only after another claim has been prosecuted to a conclusion, the two claims may be joined in a single action; but the court shall grant relief in that action only in accordance with the relative substantive rights of the parties. This rule shall not be applied in tort cases so as to permit the joinder of a liability or indemnity insurance company, unless such company is by statute or contract directly liable to the person injured or damaged.

(Amended Sept. 20, 1941, eff. Dec. 31, 1941; July 26, 1960, eff. Jan. 1, 1961.)

#### Notes and Comments

Source: Federal Rule 18.

Change: Reference to the right of plaintiff to join an action upon a claim for money and an action to set aside a fraudulent conveyance is omitted as unnecessary in view of the decisions of this state.

Change by amendment effective December 31, 1941: The last sentence has been added.

Change by amendment effective January 1, 1961: The word "statute" substituted for the word "law" in last sentence of Paragraph (b).

### RULE 52. ALLEGING A CORPORATION

An allegation that a corporation is incorporated shall be taken as true, unless denied by the affidavit of the adverse party, his agent or attorney, whether such corporation is a public or private corporation and however created.

#### Notes and Comments

Source: Art. 1999.

### RULE 53. SPECIAL ACT OR LAW

A pleading founded wholly or in part on any private or special act or law of this State or of the Republic of Texas need only recite the title thereof, the date of its approval, and set out in substance so much of such act or laws as may be pertinent to the cause of action or defense.

#### Notes and Comments

Source: Art. 2000, unchanged.

### RULE 54. CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

In pleading the performance or occurrence of conditions precedent, it shall be sufficient to aver generally that all conditions precedent have been performed or have occurred. When such perfor-



to practice law in this state and is, at the time of election, a citizen of the United States and of this state, and has attained the age of thirty-five years, and has been a practicing lawyer, or a lawyer and judge of a court of record together at least ten years. Said Justices shall be elected (three of them each two years) by the qualified voters of the state at a general election; shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified; and shall each receive such compensation as shall be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of the Chief Justice or any Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for state officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the state. The Justices of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their term of office under the present Constitution, and until their successors are elected and qualified. (Amended Aug. 11, 1891, Aug. 25, 1945, and Nov. 4, 1980.)

**Sec. 3. JURISDICTION OF SUPREME COURT; WRITS; CLERK.** The Supreme Court shall exercise the judicial power of the state except as otherwise provided in this Constitution. Its jurisdiction shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State and its determinations shall be final except in criminal law matters. Its appellate jurisdiction shall be final and shall extend to all cases except in criminal law matters and as otherwise provided in this Constitution or by law. The Supreme Court and the Justices thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus, as may be prescribed by law, and under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, the said courts and the Justices thereof may issue the writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari and such other writs, as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified, except as against the Governor of the State.

The Supreme Court shall also have power, upon affidavit or otherwise as by the court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction.

The Supreme Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter, be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years and shall be subject to removal by said court for good cause entered of record on the minutes of said court who shall receive such compensation as the Legislature may provide. (Amended Aug. 11, 1891, Nov. 4, 1930, and Nov. 4, 1980.)

**Sec. 3a. SESSIONS OF COURT.** The Supreme Court may sit at any time during the year at the seat of government for the transaction of

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Declaration of Oath of Origination of Office  
As Established and Amended from April 12, 1994  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
Original

I Karl Ross hereby certify and declare under oath in this declaration to preform to the best of my ability and hereby previously sworn to in, and by, my previous acts to preserve, protect, and defend the rights, property and liberties of the Citizens of the Republic of Texas and bring forth the light of truth and regain the separations of powers and jurisdiction as defined in the Treaties of 1838 and 1845 and to carry out all duties and powers associated with my responsibilities as an officer of the Land District.

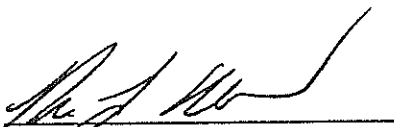
Further I hereby claim both Political and Judicial immunity under the Common Law for protection against all acts and action which might be brought against me or my family for my participation in executing acts and actions to regain government back into the hands of the People from out of control of the special interests which have infiltrated and brought corruption to all levels of government.

Executed this the 14th day of May 1994

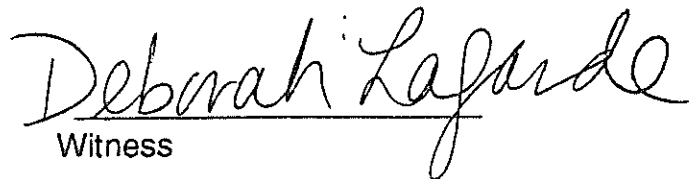


Karl Ross  
Head Land Commissioner

Attest/Witnesses



Witness



Witness

Exhibit 4

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The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
Original

I Deborah Lagarde hereby certify and declare under oath in this declaration to preform to the best of my ability and hereby previously sworn to in, and by, my previous acts to preserve, protect, and defend the rights, property and liberties of the Citizens of the Republic of Texas and bring forth the light of truth and regain the separations of powers and jurisdiction as defined in the Treaties of 1838 and 1845 and to carry out all duties and powers associated with my responsibilities as an officer of the Land District.

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Executed this the 14th day of May 1994

  
Deborah Lagarde  
Clerk & Land Commissioner

Attest/Witnesses

  
Witness


  
Witness

Exhibit 5

Declaration of Oath of Origination of Office  
As Established and Amended from April 12, 1994  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
Original

I Richard L. McLaren hereby certify and declare under oath in this declaration to preform to the best of my ability and hereby previously sworn to in, and by, my previous acts to preserve, protect, and defend the rights, property and liberties of the Citizens of the Republic of Texas and bring forth the light of truth and regain the separations of powers and jurisdiction as defined in the Treaties of 1838 and 1845 and to carry out all duties and powers associated with my responsibilities as an officer of the Land District.

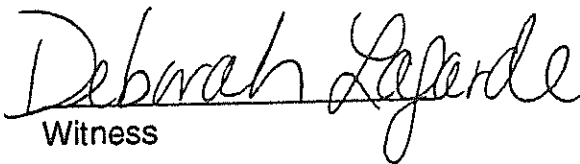
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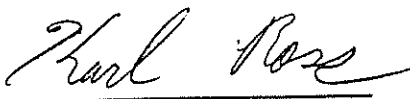


Richard L. McLaren  
Special Appointed  
Head of the Council for Legal Affairs

Attest/Witnesses



Witness



Witness

In The County Of

In Court

Jeff Davis Texas

### Declaration and Status of Citizenship (At Treaty)

Personally appeared Richard L. McLaren who declares upon oath that he is a natural born American; and is of a descent of Freemen; that he was born in the free State of Missouri at St. Louis on August 18, 1953 which is a Member of the Union of States known as United States of America pursuant to the 10th Amendment to the constitution of the members of that union.

Whereas on January 16, 1977 The Declarant emigrated from the Free State of Ohio County of Clinton to the County of Tarrant of the free Republic of Texas.

Whereas at no time since my emigration to Texas was I at any time told by any officer claiming to represent the government of Texas on any level or any constitutionally elected officer of the government of Texas that Texas was a captured nation of WAR and that all Officials operating in the capacity as officers of the states were of a class of citizenship foreign to the Soil of Texas and operating only in color of law, and that I had the right to exercise my rights of Citizenship once established and declared as a Citizen of the Republic Texas rather than as of a class either born or naturalized as a citizens of the united States via the 14th amendment to the constitution of united States of America, nor was I ever told by any one at any time that I had a right in any Free state in the union to exercise rights of a Citizen outside of those specified as congressional in nature at the 14th amendment.

Whereas the Declarant has and by bona fide acts and action since May 14., 1994 declared his intentions to claim and perfect his Citizenship in a primary State and Allegiance as a Citizen of the Republic of Texas, and hereby the aforesaid declaration and acts perfects such.

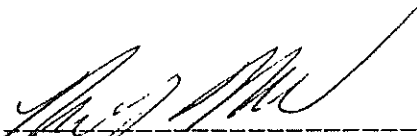
Whereas the Declarant hereby forever renounces all allegiance and fidelity to any claims of rights, privileges or immunities by through or at the 14th amendment to the Constitution to the United States of America or any claim to being a **Subject** under the jurisdiction of the united States pursuant to that Amendment.

Whereas the Declarant now certifies his primary allegiance to the Republic of Texas and with other Citizens of the Union in consummating all rights of all Citizens of all free States of the Union in the decentralization of government back in the hands of responsible Citizens and their local governments, additionally the declarant **disclaims** to be a qualified property taxpaying voter and is not of a class of citizens who can amend or vote to amend the Texas' constitution of 1876 as amended.

And hereby has previously claimed the:

Foreign Status for an American, Non-Resident Alien Outside the District of Columbia, i.e., the united States, USC 26 7701 (a)(9) and not as a citizen of the United States at 26 CFR 1.1-19 (c) or at 26 CFR 1.1-1(a)

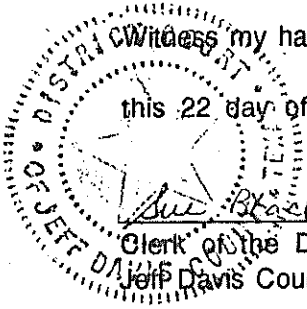
Now therefore the Declarant has maintained his domicile in Jeff Davis County, Texas, since November of 1979, and is a freeholder of land by allodial claim to title (patent) as an assigns which are part of lands referenced and contained in acts of international treaty with the United States of America 1838 and 1845, of which were **Certified** on August 29, 1994 and in which the aforesaid Texas Citizens have now brought into operation on January 27, 1995 by political vote and by matters of law the Third Section of the Texas Treaty of 1845.

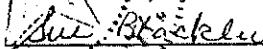
  
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Richard Lance McLaren

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 22 day of March 1995

Witness my hand and seal of office, at Fort Davis Texas

this 22 day of March 1995



  
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Sue Blackley  
Clerk of the District Court  
Jeff Davis County Texas

\* See Classes of citizenship clauses of an Ordinance dated March 30, 1870 as Codified By the Congress of the United States at Forty-First Congress. Sess. 2. Ch. 39 March 30, 1870 and at Article 6 section 2 of the constitution of Texas of 1876 as amended.

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Carol C. [unclear]  
Deputy*

AGENDA  
JEFF DAVIS COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS COURT  
9 A.M.  
JULY 11, 1994

- Call to Order
- Proof of Posting, Establish Quorum
- Read and Approve Minutes of Previous Meeting
- Hear Recommendation and Report from Jeff Davis County Library Board and hire Librarian
- Discuss Contract with Blue Cross/Blue Shield. Approve Contract
- Approve Rio Grande Council of Governments as Administrator of 1993 CDBG Grant. John Phillips to address Court for R.G.C.O.G.
- Consideration and approval of contract with Robert Davis & Co., as Financial Advisor and Bickerstaff, Heath & Smiley, L.L.P., as Bond Counsel in connection with purchase of real property
- Convene into Executive Session pursuant to Gov't Code Sec. 551.072 to discuss purchase of real property
- Reconvene into open session and consider and approve Real Estate purchase contracts
- Convene into Executive Session pursuant to Gov't Code Sec 551.071 to discuss litigation with County Attorney involving Davis Mountains Land Commission
- Reconvene into open session and instruct attorney regarding Davis Mountains Land Commission litigation
- Discuss and act upon interlocal contracts for housing Jeff Davis County prisoners
- Discuss Application for Statewide Transportation Enhancement Program. Approve application for mid-August deadline submission
- Approve line item transfers
- Approve Treasurer's Report and Pay Bills
- Adjourn

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Exhibit 8

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regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, was called to order at 9:00 A.M. on Monday, July 11, 1994, with all officers present.

mmr. Prec. 1 - Bill Cotton  
mmr. Prec. 2 - Chris Lacy  
mmr. Prec. 3 - Billie Weston  
mmr. Prec. 4 - Bill Gearhart  
County Judge - Bob Dillard  
County Clerk - Peggy Robertson

Judge Dillard determined that a quorum was present and the Clerk verified posting of the agenda. The Clerk read the minutes of the meeting which were approved as corrected by motion of Chris Lacy and second by Billie Weston. Motion carried.

Margaret Knight and Jane Wiant addressed the Court regarding the filling of the librarian position. Nine applications had been received and reviewed and narrowed to the three most qualified applicants. These three applicants would be interviewed by Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Wiant and Judge Dillard on Tuesday afternoon and Bill Gearhart made the motion to approve their selection with a second by Chris Lacy.

raig Dawson of Don Crawford & Associates addressed the Court regarding our health insurance contract with Blue Cross Blue Shield. This company is proposing that they be our agent to negotiate a contract with Blue Cross Blue Shield at no additional cost to the county. Mr. Dawson will get several health care proposals to the Court before the August meeting and this item will be placed on that agenda for action.

John Phillips of Rio Grande Council of Governments addressed the Court regarding their being administrator of the flood control and sewer improvement grant. Billie Weston made the motion to approve Rio Grande Council of Governments as administrator of the 1993 CDBG grant with a second by Bill Gearhart. Motion carried.

Executive Session: Government Code Sec. 551.072, Purchase of real property.

At 11:00 A.M. the Court reconvened into open session and Billie Weston made the motion to purchase the Union Mercantile Building with a second by Bill Cotton. Motion carried. Bill Cotton made the motion to approve the purchase of six lots to the west of the Courthouse for courthouse expansion and annex with a second by Billie Weston. Purchase price for the Union building is \$160,000. and purchase price for the six lots is \$30,000. Both of these motions carried.

Bill Gearhart made the motion to approve a contract with Sickerstaff, Heath & Smiley, L.L.P. as bond counsel in connection with the purchase of real property with a second by Chris Lacy. Chris Lacy made the motion to approve a contract with Robert Davis & Company as financial advisor in connection with the purchase of real property with a second by Billie Weston. Both motions carried.



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Billie Weston made the motion to apply for a Statewide Transportation Enhancement Program Grant in the amount of \$1 million to \$1.4 million. Jeff Davis County's match would be the Union Building, Six lots and money from the Hotel/Motel Occupancy Tax. This grant will need to be applied for by August 15, 1994, and we will know if we have received the grant by April, 1995. Bill Cotton seconded this motion which was carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Government Code Sec. 551.071 regarding litigation involving the Davis Mountains Land Commission.

Open session reconvened at 12:50 P.M. with no action being taken on the Davis Mountains Land Commission.

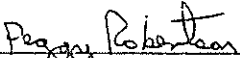
Bill Gearhart made the motion to request County Attorney Greg Hudson to talk with Culberson, Brewster, Reeves, Presidio and Pecos counties regarding interlocal contracts for housing Jeff Davis County prisoners with a second by Billie Weston.

Billie Weston made the motion to approve line item transfers with a second by Bill Cotton. Motion Carried.

Bill Gearhart made the motion to approve the County Treasurer's monthly report and approve and pay all bills with a second by Chris Lacy. Motion carried.

Chris Lacy made the motion to adjourn with a second by Bill Gearhart. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Peggy Robertson, County Clerk



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**The Common Law of Texas as Adopted and Perfected  
By Political Judgment on August 29, 1994  
Amendments to the Constitution of Texas  
Dated December 29, 1845 and as Encompassed  
by the Adopted Land Plan of The Davis Mountains and Big Bend  
Historical District Dated August 27, 1994**

1. That the Rights, Privileges, and Immunities of the Common and Natural Laws shall not be denied to any Natural Persons or Citizens on account of race, creed, sex, or natural or national origin.
2. That the Texas Constitution of 1845 shall have full force and effect for all those who seek its protection, and the same is hereby changed to exclude all reference to race, creed, sex or natural or national origin.
3. That every County in Texas shall establish and maintain Courts of Common Law Plea based solely upon Natural Law and American Common Law, which juries shall judge the Law as well as the Facts and drawing from the 1836 and the 1845 Constitutions of Texas; and, where conflicts exist between any other jurisdictions, the Common Law shall be of a primary authority.
4. The Judges of the Courts of Common Law Plea shall be commissioned by the counties at a salary equal to the highest salary of any judge of any county of similar population. However, no such judge at the time of his appointment may belong to any bar or similar association or hold any Title of Nobility or Honor, and no member of such association shall have any standings in this Court.
5. No suit or case heard or tried in Texas shall be tried in any other court or jurisdiction when remedies exist at Common Law.
6. No court in Texas on demand from any party to an action shall refuse to duly present its standings (Jurisdiction).
7. The People shall not be denied the right to hold land and its improvements under Patent or Allodial Title.

8. Texas shall make no law nor sign any agreement to place any lien or encumbrances nor abridge nor collaterally attack property of any voter through voter or elector registration; neither shall any existing Texas law or agreement place any lien or encumbrances nor abridge nor collaterally attack property of any voter through voter or elector registration.

9. No Persons or persons, Citizens or citizens, Residents or residents, or Domicile or other individual or Proper Person shall be forced or required to get any form of contract or license, registration or permit to engage in lawful activities. This shall not be construed as to deny the necessity to issue certificates of competency for the use of cars and trucks being used on the public highways by those who claim the **Right to Travel**, nor any other certificates of competency where there is a direct Common Law need to protect the safety and welfare of the Citizens at Large.

10. Any and all Contracts in Texas whether of public or private interest shall contain full disclosure to **all parties** affected by such contract, and these contracts shall be in a legible and understandable language, and all parties signing shall also initial each disclosure as understood; this affects all contracts now in full force and effect which are called into contest.

11. That all Land Commission Districts formed out of counties and historical districts, which will sit or have formally sat (but not limited to acts of 1846), will now comprise political subdivisions of Texas in their own right; and their Civil Common Law Authority and

responsibilities are now:

A. To disseminate information for the development, diversification, and implementation of private and community land planning.

B. The coordination of individual and community management of natural resources.

C. To coordinate efforts and actions of bringing to light the operation of the republican form of government and its transfer of power and the conversion of government back to its initial concepts and constitutional foundations.

D. The accomplishment of all goals by peaceful means, the reduction of friction wherever possible, and expansion and use of education to promote responsibilities in self government and the expansion of Liberty.

12. If two or more persons conspire to injure, oppress, threaten, or intimidate any Citizen in the free exercise or enjoyment of any Rights secured or claimed under the Natural or Common Law or by an operational Constitution at Law ; or

If two or more persons go in disguise on the highway, or the premises of another, with intent to prevent or hinder his or her free exercise or any Right so secured; or

Whoever, under color of any law, statute, ordinance, regulation, or custom, willfully subjects any inhabitants of any State, Land District, Territory, or District to the deprivation of any rights so secured

Shall be subject to all civil and criminal prosecution, fines and encumbrances, and forfeitures against their personal property as is allowed under the Common Law or its Operational Constitutions and the Rights of Conversion to Common Law.

Peggy L. Butler, Co. Cl.  
4.35 PM

AGENDA  
JEFF DAVIS COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS COURT  
9 A.M.  
SEPT. 12, 1994

CALL TO ORDER

ESTABLISH QUORUM, PROOF OF POSTING

APPROVE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

KARL ROSS AND DAVIS MOUNTAINS LAND COMMISSION TO ADDRESS COURT

APPROVE ELECTION JUDGES FOR NOVEMBER GENERAL ELECTION

SET DATES FOR PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED TAX RATE

EXECUTIVE SESSION: SEC. 551.071 REGARDING CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY;  
AND SEC. 551.074 REGARDING PERSONNEL MATTERS

PAY BILLS AND APPROVE TREASURER'S REPORT

ADJOURN

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A regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, was called to order at 9:00 A.M. on Monday, September 12, 1994, with Commissioners from precincts 2, 3 and 4 present.

Commr. Pct 1 -  
Commr. Pct 2 - Chris Lacy  
Commr. Pct 3 - Billie Weston  
Commr. Pct 4 - Bill Gearhart  
County Judge - Bob Dillard  
County Clerk - Peggy Robertson

Judge Dillard determined that a quorum was present and the Clerk verified posting of the agenda. Minutes from the August 8 regular meeting and August 12, August 22, August 29 and September 9, 1994 special meetings were read and approved with a motion by Chris Lacy and a second by Billie Weston.

Keith Jarratt addressed the Court regarding street maintenance. Oil had been placed on the streets he felt were most traveled but was now receiving requests for all other streets. He wanted to know whether to do the remaining streets or wait until next year.

Karl Ross addressed the Court representing Davis Mountain Land Commission and presented Judge Dillard with the " Adopted Land Plan of The Davis Mountains and Big Bend Historical District of Texas" for inclusion in the Court minutes. Mr. Ross asked the Commissioners' Court to recognize them as an organization. Mr. Ross stressed that they wanted no money from the County and wished to help the County in any way they could. Bill Gearhart requested that the Commissioners' speak with the County Attorney before taking any action on this issue and would invite Mr. Ross to attend a meeting with the County Attorney in regards to this item.

Judge Dillard addressed the Court submitting a list of Judges for the November General Election. Billie Weston made a motion to approve the following Election Judges:

Prct. 1 - Betty Cotton  
Prct. 2 - Gene Reinberg  
Prct. 3 - Lucy Jacobson  
Prct. 4 - Cleo Carr  
Prct. 5 - Emma Hartnett

A second was made by Chris Lacy. Motion carried.

A Public Hearing for the proposed tax rate was set for September 22, 1994, at 9:00 A.M. A second meeting was set for September 26, 1994, to vote on the proposed tax rate.

Executive Session: Sec. 551.071 Regarding consultation with attorney and Sec. 551.074 regarding personnel matters.

Bill Gearhart made a motion to approve the County Treasurer's monthly report, approve and pay all bills and adjourn with a second by Billie Weston. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

*Peggy Robertson*  
Peggy Robertson, County Clerk



True and correct  
copy of original  
filed in Jeff Davis  
County Clerk's Office

11:30

20<sup>th</sup> December 94 A

Notice of Perfection of Election At Law Peggy Robertson  
 December 11, 1994  
 Certification by Commission  
 Of the Reinstitution of the Courts At Law and their Officers  
 of the  
 Republic of Texas

County  
*Sue Blackley*

Whereas Texas never became a State of the Union in pursuant to the meaning and legal operations of a state under Article 4 Section 3 and the Tenth Amendment to the constitution of the united States of America;

Whereas Texas maintains its membership in the union by a treaty and agreements made by public functionaries;

Whereas pursuant to a political judgment perfected by political due process on August 29, 1994, by the (C)itizen **Class** of Jeff Davis County, Texas, who came as Belligerent Claimants in person against all political trusts and subdivisions under the constitutional and international doctrine and maxims of Law involving the separations of power and jurisdiction;

Whereas this **Class**, described in Edwards v. People of State of California 314 U.S.160 as State Citizens, only exists in Texas in a true Republic form and not in a status or color known as State Citizenship in relation to the Tenth Amendment to the Constitution to the United States;

Whereas this **Class** of Citizens strictly exercises its Judicial Powers (clarified in Home Tel v. Los Angeles 227 U.S. 278) in Texas as members of **Class** claimants and designation and as members of a Union with State Citizens;

Whereas this Class of (C)itizens is protected against infringements against their rights, property and lands by any officers who have sworn an oath pursuant to Ordinances dated and approved by the members of the political subdivision of the United States (Buck Act 4 USCA 105-110); this is also the existing de facto state of Texas which on March 30, 1870, linked all officers of the state of Texas by Article 16 Section 1 and Article 6 Section 2 of the constitution of 1876;

Whereas these Ordinances approved March 30, 1870 while Texas was under

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military occupation due to its participation in a war against the Union of States in violation of its Treaties of 1838 and 1845 with the Union, that these Ordinances forever tried to strip Texas of its Commonwealth Holding held prior to the war between December 29, 1845, and February 1, 1861, in which Texas held its prior Republic Sovereignty in a de facto State form in accordance with the U.S. Congressional HJR of March 1, 1845, and Texas Congressional HJR May 11, 1846. which was based upon the acts of the Ordinance of July 4, 1845, for which this holding/trust was evoked in part leaving Section Three to remain inviolate for the People and Citizens of the Counties of Texas in an organic Republic Form for future use or claim;

Whereas this **Class** of (C)itizenship is also described as a Foreign Status for an American, Non-Resident Alien Outside the District of Columbia, i.e., the united States, USC 26 7701 (a)(9) and are not United States citizens and are not 14th Amendment citizens naturalized by congressional contract;

Whereas this **Class** participated in a recent common law political election held in the Republic of Texas in the only currently certified county in the Republic of Texas, Jeff Davis;

Now after an official canvass of election results of November 8, 1994,

The following three individual have been duly and officially elected by the **Class** to officially represent the Republic of Texas in its political subdivision by and through its judicial system as established in 1836 and as amended in 1845 and as amended in 1994 via the common and political Law:

District Judge of the Republic **Alex Gonzalez**

County Judge of the Republic **Peggy Robertson**

County Clerk and Clerk of Court of the Republic **Sue Blackley**

Now therefore by the acts and actions of the people of the Republic of Texas in this election all County Constitutional Positions of 1836 and 1845 are now recertified in a Republic form as Superior in nature to that of the State.



## Certification

Pursuant to the authority granted by the Class to the operating Board of Land Commissioners in and for the County of Jeff Davis in the Republic of Texas the above election is declared as lawful and perfected in accordances with the Law of The Land.

Second, by these acts and actions the Common Law system of Texas is now reperfected and both District and County Courts and their elected officers so named above are bound for the equal protection under law of the Citizens Class of Texas.

Third, in conformance with and clarification of the Political Judgment of August 29, 1994, involving members of the Bar Association, only elected officers of the Court shall have temporary preferential rights to maintain such positions due to their extraordinary current positions of duality an the current state "of Necessity" which exists during the change over into a new system.

And as such the 83rd Judicial District Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, and Jeff Davis County Court have now been reestablished; by and through political acts of the Citizens of Jeff Davis County Texas, pursuant to the Law of The Land such courts exist as a judicial system At Law under the laws of the Republic of Texas.

In conformance thereto, the delegated agents of authority for We the People and Citizens of the Jeff Davis County, Texas, and as the first operating Board of Land Commissioners in and for the Republic of Texas hereby Certify by this Certificate and by the Seal of this Land District, formed and instituted by the Law of the Land, place into enabled operations the first legal Judicial District of the Republic of Texas Since 1845.

Signed and Sealed this the 11/24 day of December 1994.

*Karl Ross*  
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Karl Ross Commissioner

*Ronee Laird*  
-----  
Ronee Laird Commissioner

*Deborah Lagarde*  
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Deborah Lagarde Commissioner  
and Clerk

*Richard L. McLaren*  
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Richard L. McLaren  
Head of the Council For Legal Affairs

**Certification**

I, Deborah Lagarde, Clerk of the Davis Mountains Land Commission, the first operating and certified Land District in Texas hereby attest by my authority, position, signature and by the seal of the Commission that the aforesaid legal instrument certification was executed by lawful acts of the Republic of Texas in accordance with Law.

*Deborah Lagarde*  
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Deborah Lagarde Clerk  
in and for  
The Davis Mountain Land Commission  
and the Class

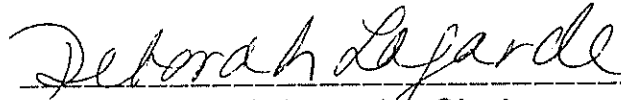


This the 11th day of December in the Year of our Lord 1994

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**Certification for Public Record**

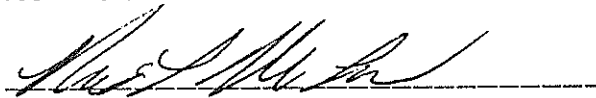
This Instrument was Posted or Filed for Public Records of Jeff Davis County, Texas, this the 11 Day December 1994, and Authenticated in Accordance with the Common Law



Deborah Lagarde Clerk  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission

Filed In Vol 1 Page 157-161  
Land Commission Records

**Entry into Public Records in Absence of Clerk**



Officer of The Republic of Texas  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission

This The 22 Day of DECEMBER 1994,



*The annual return of the Turkey  
Vulture's to the Davis Mountains  
of West Texas.*

*The  
Davis Mountains  
Land Commission*

*C/O HCR 74, Box 101-A  
Fort Davis, Texas PZ 79734*

Ronald Kirk  
Secretary of State  
P.O. Box 12887  
Austin Texas 78711

December 23, 1994

C.M.R.R.R. Z-097-408-899

Re: Notice of Election and Certification.

Dear Mr. Kirk:

This is to provide your office with documented certification and notice that on November 8, 1994, by and through the political acts of the People and (C)itizens of Texas in Jeff Davis County, Texas, it became the first recertified district county in the Republic of Texas.

Find enclosed a Certified copy of this Notice and Certification so that your office has been officially notified as to these political acts.

If you have any questions or need any further help regarding the above matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (915-426-3739) which is the Clerk of the Commission.

Sincerely:

Richard L. McLaren  
Head of the Council for Legal Affairs  
in and for  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission

CC. Local voter registrar Harvey Adams, County Sherriff

**Exhibit 12**



# Receipt for Certified Mail

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PS Form 3800, March 1993

Name <i>Rowland Kirk</i>	
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P.O. State and ZIP Code <i>Austin TX 78711</i>	
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- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

3. Article Addressed to:  
*Rowland Kirk see  
OR SEE  
BUYER POWER SERVICE  
P.O. MAIL BOX 12887  
AUSTIN TEXAS 78711*

4a. Article Number  
*2097-468-899*

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5. Signature (Addressee)  
*Rowland Kirk*

6. Signature (Agent, Postmaster, and General Services Commission)

7. Date of Delivery

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I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):

1.  Addressee's Address

2.  Restricted Delivery

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PS Form 3811, December 1991    U.S. GPO: 1993-352-714    DOMESTIC RETURN RECEIPT

By Nelson

S.C.R. No. 6

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, America's system of federalism provides for a  
2 division of political powers between the national government and  
3 the 50 states by enumerating and limiting the powers of the  
4 national government and reserving the remainder of permissible  
5 powers for exercise by the states or the people; and

6 WHEREAS, The Tenth Amendment to the United States  
7 Constitution declares this principle succinctly:

8 "The powers not delegated to the United States by  
9 the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States,  
10 are reserved to the States respectively, or to the  
11 people.";

12 and

13 WHEREAS, The Tenth Amendment, together with the Ninth  
14 Amendment, which reserves unenumerated rights to the people, was  
15 added for a specific purpose relating to the adoption of the Bill  
16 of Rights; and

17 WHEREAS, These two amendments, through their reservation of  
18 separate powers and rights, were designed to avoid any future  
19 expansion of the powers of the national government to include other  
20 possible governmental powers not expressly prohibited; and

21 WHEREAS, Two centuries later, the national government has  
22 acted increasingly to invade the province of state sovereignty by  
23 imposing countless mandates on state government and creating new  
24 state obligations and expenses without the benefit of compensating

1 federal funding; and

2 WHEREAS, The United States Supreme Court, in the 1992 case of  
3 New York v. United States, has reaffirmed the principle of state  
4 sovereignty as preserved by the Tenth Amendment; now, therefore, be  
5 it

6 RESOLVED by the 74th Legislature of the State of Texas, That  
7 the State of Texas hereby claim sovereignty under the Tenth  
8 Amendment to the United States Constitution over all other powers  
9 not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by  
10 that constitution; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That the Texas secretary of state forward official  
12 copies of this resolution to the president of the United States, to  
13 the speaker of the house of representatives and president of the  
14 senate of the United States Congress, and to all members of the  
15 Texas delegation to the congress; and, be it further

16 RESOLVED, That official copies of this resolution be prepared  
17 for the presiding officers of the legislatures of the other states  
18 for their consideration.



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Vulture's to the Davis Mountains  
of West Texas.*

*The  
Davis Mountains  
Land Commission*

*C/O HCR 74, Box 101-A  
Fort Davis, Texas PZ 79734*

Texas House State Affairs Committee  
C/O Chairmen Curtis Seidlits  
P.O. Box 2910  
Austin, Texas 78768

March 9, 1995

Overnight Mail

Re: Legal Notice of intent to politically execute Article 3 of the Treaty of Texas of 1845.

Dear Representatives:

This is to both legally and formally notify you that Citizens of Jeff Davis County, certified as a Class and certified as the Founders Class of Citizens by and through the diversity of Citizenship Clause of an Ordinance dated March 30, 1870, have voted to execute their rights in a December 27, 1994, call to vote which was certified on January 27, 1995, under the International Treaty of Texas as originally approved on March 1, 1845, at Section 3.

We are aware that the Texas Senate on January 24, 1995, adopted S.C.R. 6 reaffirming the 10th Amendment to the United States Constitution in attempt to regain the Sovereignty of Texas.

On August 29, 1994, The Davis Mountains Land Commission became the first constitutionally established political subdivision by Citizens in

Execution of Article 3 of 1845 Treaty of Texas - 1



Texas pursuant to the Supreme Court ruling of Texas vs. White of 1869 and Certified Records of Litigation with the Body Corporate, the Commissioners Court of Jeff Davis County. Additionally on this date the Citizens of Jeff Davis County established and began implementing the most comprehensive and aggressive Land Plan for decentralization of government and for the Citizens reclaiming their lands, community, government, law, and sciences.

On March 5, 1995, Land Commissioners of Jeff Davis County Texas voted unanimously to start execution of Article 32 of the adopted Land Plan of the district and to form a coalition of local foundations and associations to create the first Citizens training and education district in Texas.

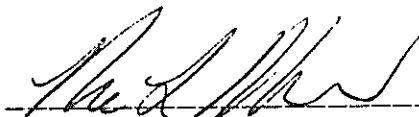
Much time, research, and effort have gone into what we believe will become the standard by which communities will start decentralization of government into a local Citizens network of land planning centers and district or county land commissions to create a new balance in all phases of government.

We would like to present our concepts and plans to the House Affairs Hearing Committee on the Sovereignty issues of S.C.R.. 6 for consideration when your Committee writes the final House Bill in support of S.C.R. 6, providing new alternatives for Citizens in regaining Texas Sovereignty.

The Commission will assume that this letter will serve as Legal Notice and the following Legal Documents will be included in the printed records of the proceedings of the Texas State House Affairs Committee involving the questions of legal Sovereignty of the Soil of Texas.

We can be reached at the above address or through Head Land Commissioner Karl Ross (915-426-3170) or Land Commission Clerk Deborah Lagarde (915-426-3739).

Sincerely,



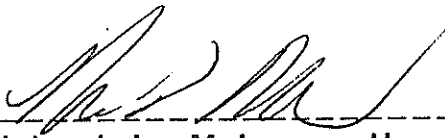
Richard L. McLaren  
Head of the Council for Legal Affairs  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission

## Enclosed Legal Exhibit Documents

1. July 11, 1994, Agenda and Minutes of Commissioners Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, Vol. 6 Page 264-266 (Certified Copy)
2. August 29, 1995, an Original File stamped Original of the a Political Judgment entered and filed of record in political litigation with the Body Corporate Commissioners Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, et. al.
3. Sept 12, 1994, Agenda and Minutes of Commissioners Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, Vol. 6 Page 287-288 (Certified Copy)
4. Copies of Commission correspondences of recognition with 21 Federal and State Agencies.
5. Copy of a letter dated February 10, 1995, from United States Department of Interior to the Davis Mountains Land Commission.
6. January 27, 1995, Certification of a vote for exercising the Third Article of the 1845 Treaty of Texas.

### Certification

I hereby certify as the Head of the Council for Legal Affairs of The Davis Mountains Land Commission that all parties of appropriate standings have been served via United States First Class Mail a true and correct copy of this Legal Notice and its execution as attached hereto as Exhibit 6.



Richard L. McLaren, Head of the Council for Legal Affairs  
In and For The Davis Mountains Land Commission

• Complete items 3, and 4a & b.  
 • Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
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 COMMISSIONER OF  
 STATE DEPT. COUNTY TO  
 CH. PERRY ADAMS.  
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 2097-409-898

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5. Signature (Addressee)  
 Perry Adams

6. Signature (Agent)

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PS Form 3800, March 1993



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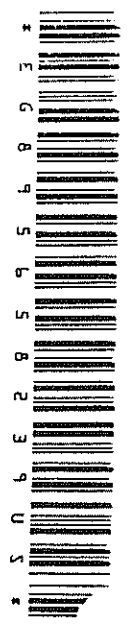
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 WEEKEND  HOLIDAY

Customer Signature

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**Certification of Amendment  
to The Adopted Land Plan  
August 27, 1994  
The Historical District  
The Davis Mountains and Big bend of Texas**

Pursuant to Article 30 of the adopted land plan of the District, a vote for the amendment to the plan was proposed by the members of the Board of Land Commissioners of the District to be submitted to vote dated December 27, 1994 for the purposes of executing a provisions of a Political Judgment dated August 29, 1994 and so amending Article 6 Section 1 of the District Land Plan as Article 6 Section 2.

With respects to the reference to the Third Section of and Ordinance of July 4, 1845 Re; Article 6 Section 1 of the District Land Plan.

Third-New States of convenient size not exceeding four in number, in addition to the State of Texas and having sufficient population, may hereafter by the consent of said State, be entitled to admission under the provisions of the Federal Constitution; and such states as may be formed out of the territory lying south of thirty six degrees thirty minutes north latitude, commonly, known as the Missouri Compromise Line, shall be admitted into the Union, with or without slavery, as the people of each state, asking admission, may desire; and in such State or States as shall be formed out of said territory, north of said Missouri Compromise Line, slavery, or involuntary servitude (except for crimes) shall be prohibited.

Which said proposed amendment by its intent and meaning so reads:

"of Necessity"  
Amendment Ordinance to the adopted land  
plan of Jeff Davis County Texas pursuant to Article 30

An Amendment to Article 6 now Section 2

2. That the County of Jeff Davis now certified and perfected as a political subdivision of the Republic of Texas by and through its political class of (C)itizens hereby exercise their rights pursuant to Section Three of the Ordinance of July 4, 1845 for the purposes of reinstating **Home Rule**. Upon political execution of this Amendment that all counties of Texas shall be notified and ask to politically adjoin in its execution and that upon a writ of assent of 51% of the counties so certified that it shall be perfected or in the alterative the section perfected in accordances with its terms thus then standing.

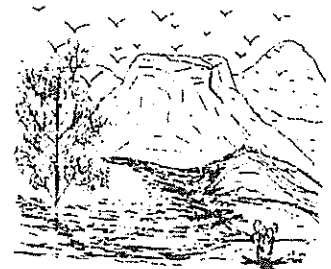
\* For the purposes of this Amendment the Word and Term **Home Rule** shall mean and refer to the development and recovery of local autonomy and shall not mean or refer to any legislative definition or enactment.

**Certification**

That upon this date certified by my signature and the authority of my office and the Seal of the Land District that I hereby attest that a vote of at least 51% of the members of the District was returned and counted to approve and to bring the aforesaid amendment into full force and effect under the Laws of Nations.

Signed and sealed January 27, 1995

*Deborah Lagarde*  
Deborah Lagarde Clerk  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission



The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
Est. 1994 The Republic of Texas

**Attestation of Certification**

*Karl Ross*  
Karl Ross Head Commissioner

*Richard L McLaren*  
Richard L McLaren  
Head of the Council of Legal Affairs

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, there is some confusion regarding the Davis Mountains Land Commission in relationship to the Jeff Davis County Commissioners' Court; and.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court desires to clarify its position while also recognizing the rights of Davis Mountains Land Commission members as private citizens of Jeff Davis County;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Commissioners' Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, does hereby formally state that it does not recognize the Davis Mountains Land Commission as a Political Subdivision of this county or an Advisory Board to this Court and furthermore respectfully requests that they not represent themselves as such and that they conduct their county business in a timely manner so as not to disrupt the routine business of the county offices.

EXECUTED on this the 13th day of March, 1995.

Peggy Robertson  
Peggy Robertson, County Judge  
Jeff Davis County, Texas

ATTEST:

Sue Blackley by Casichuan,  
Sue Blackley' deputy  
County Clerk



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*The  
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*C/O HCR 74, Box 101-A  
Fort Davis, Texas PZ 79734  
915-426-2210 Fax 426-3705*

Jane Nelson  
Texas State Senator

August 15, 1995

Fax No. 512-463-0923

Dear Senator Nelson:

I am contacting you on behalf of the members of The Davis Mountains Land Commission in regards to SCR. No. 6 sponsored by you in the 74th Legislature involving the resolution of claim of the Sovereignty State of Texas under the Tenth Amendment.

I have been unable to get an official explanation on why this resolution failed to make it to a public hearing by the House and passage by the Legislature.

I would appreciate if all possible a written explanation as to the reason.

Sincerely:

Richard L. McLaren  
Head of the Council for Legal Affairs  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission

*"A Political Subdivision of Texas"*



P.O. BOX 12068  
CAPITOL BUILDING  
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78711  
512/463-0109  
FAX, 512/463-0923  
TDD, 512/475-3758

DISTRICT OFFICE  
3700 FORUMS DRIVE  
FLOWER MOUND, TEXAS 75028  
(214) 724-0066  
FAX (214) 724-0750

JANE NELSON  
STATE SENATOR

Committees:

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, VICE CHAIR  
EDUCATION  
NOMINATIONS  
STATE AFFAIRS

August 15, 1995

Mr. Richard L. McLaren  
Head of the Council for Legal Affairs  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
c/o HCR 74 , Box 101-A  
Fort Davis, Texas 79734

Dear Mr. McLaren:

Thank you for your correspondence regarding SCR 6 which resolved that the State of Texas claim sovereignty under the Tenth Amendment to the United States Constitution over all other powers not otherwise enumerated and granted to the federal government by the Constitution.

The resolution was passed unanimously by the Senate State Affairs Committee and by the Senate. The resolution was referred to the House State Affairs Committee; however, it never received a hearing despite repeated requests to Chairman Seidlits who never expressed his concerns to me about this legislation.

Once again, I appreciate the opportunity to correspond with you on this matter.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jane".

Senator Jane Nelson

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 Notice of Disjoining and Separation  
 of Public Records  
 From the Care and Custody of the County Clerks Office of Jeff  
 Davis County Texas**

Whereas on September 12, 1994, The Davis Mountains Land Commission the civil land planning authority of the district a political subdivision of Texas-placed with the consent the County Clerk Peggy Robertson a bounded binder book for the dissemination of the of records to the public regarding various records of the land commission and its (C)itizen members who wish to file At Law rather than in Equity.

That on or about January 27, 1995 this record binder known as Vol. 1 of The Land Commission Records of Jeff Davis County Texas was removed from access and dissemination to the public by the acts and actions of the county attorney Glen Hassele without the knowledge and consent of the Land Commission and its Officers apparently based upon the complaints of a local special interest group who profit by maintaining a commercial gain in Equity at the expense of the rights of the Citizens who wish to maintain their rights and status At Law.

This record binder contained the following Public Record in accordances with the records of registration of posting of public records Volume One Land Commission opened September 12, 1995.

CFN	T/ Recd	Grantor/Grantee	File Date	Page(s)
1.	Judgment	Citizens/de facto Govt.	9/12/94	1-69
2.	Charter	Citizens/WTAFRF Fond.	9/12/95	70-71
3.	Min/Res	L.Comm/Public	9/26/94	72-73
4.	Lien/Trust	L.Comm/Com. Court	10/11/94	74-82
5.	Pub/Not	L.Comm/Public	10/17/94	83-
6.	Land Title	Ronee/Margaret Laird		
	Dec/Reg	L.Comm/Public	10/17/94	85-97
	Land Desc. 5.40 acres out of Sec. 4 Blk 1 G.H. & S.A. Ry Co.			
7.	Land Title	Win/ Grw/Taylor Whitehead		
	Dec/Reg	L.Comm/Public	10/17/94	98-104
	Land Desc. 16.70 acres out of Sur 76 Blk 224 T & ST. L. RR Co			
	Land Desc. 10.93 acres out of Sur 13 Blk WJG-1 E.L. & R.R. Ry Co.			
8.	Land Title	WTAWRF/Sproul		
	Dec/Reg	L.Comm/Public	10/17/94	105-117
	Land Desc. 467 acres out of Surveys 41, 55,1329,74, & 9			
	Land Desc. 181.64 acres out of Surveys 76,78,80, & 81 T & St. L. R. RR Co.			
9.	Land Title	Richard L. McLaren		
	Dec/Reg	L.Comm/Public	10/17/94	118-122
	Land Desc. 18.60 acres out of Survey Yancy No. 9			
10.	Land Title	George/Deborah Lagarde		
	Dec/Reg	L.Comm/Public	10/17/94	123-125
	Land Desc. 23.89 acres out of Survey 76 T & S.T. L. RR Co Blk 224			
11.	Land Title	Eleanor Ross		

Dec/Reg	L.Comm/Public	10/17/94	126-130
Land Desc. out of Block Y-I Survey 315 Calvin Robinson			
12. Lien/Trust	L.Comm/Comm Court	11/8/94	131/147
13. Lien	McLaren/Dillard et al	11/8/94	148-156
14. Cet/Election	L.Comm/Sect/State/Public	12/20/94	157/161

Whereas on February 7, 1994 after a meeting between Land Commission officials and county officials a legal notice of eminent domain challenge was issued by The Davis Mountains Land Commission, by and through its legal affairs officer, in challenge to their ability to maintain or offer an At Law solution to maintenance of At Law Records and records of land planning and the ability of the county to comply with the Law of the Land.

Whereas the delegated agents of authority have been unable to respond to the lawful challenge "of Necessity" of The Land Commission and its agent have agreed to relinquishing said records and their capacity At Law to maintain such records of Public Domain At Law.

**Public Notice**

Now therefore Public Notice is hereby given that all Public Records At Law which were formally in the possession of the County Clerk of Jeff Davis County Texas between September 12, 1944 and January 27, 1995 have been received IN FACT Officer RUBIN and Will now be disseminated to the public by The Land Commission at its office at the District Land Planning Center.

**Additional Public Notices**

Additional notices is hereby given that additional filings of records related to all forms of At Law documents will continue to be posted, filed and disseminated to the public by the Commission for its Citizen members and political subdivision in accordances with Law and all **Title Agents, Real Estate Agents, Government Officials, Officers of the Court, and all Title Lawyers are hereby put on notice.**

**Certification**

I, Deborah Lagarde, Clerk of The Davis Mountains Land Commission hereby certify that the following Notice and Records contained herein are to the best of my knowledge true and correct and by this Certification now been officially separated and disjoined from the Public Records formally

in the care and custody of the County of Jeff Davis de facto and these records and all additional filings At Law will be maintained at the Office of the Clerk of The Davis Mountains Land Commission at The District Land Planning Center.

Signed and Sealed this the 13th day of May 1995

Deborah Lagarde  
 Deborah Lagarde Clerk  
 The Davis Mountains Land Commission

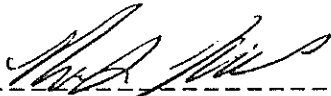


The Davis Mountains Land Commission  
 Est. 1904 The Republic of Texas

**Verification**

I Richard L. McLaren Head of the Council for Legal Affairs for The Davis Mountains Land Commission hereby verify the aforesaid above executed acts are in conformances with the Common Law and attest to it by my Signature "of necessity" in order that such notice can be posted in the Deed Records in for Public Notice at Commercial Law at UCC 1-103.

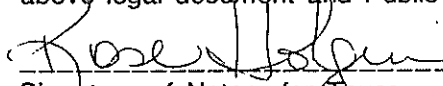
Signed this the 17 Day of May 1995



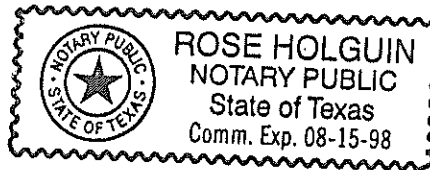
Richard L. McLaren  
Head of the Council for Legal Affairs  
The Davis Mountains Land Commission

**Notary**

Before me the undersigned Authority appeared Richard L. McLaren who signed and Verified the above legal document and Public Notice for the aforesaid purpose so stated therein.

  
Signature of Notary for Texas

5-17-95  
Date



copied from holdings of the Texas State Archives

14005  
DEED FOR RECORD

This 17<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1995

at 11:55 o'clock A.M.

*Luc Blackley*  
County Clerk, Jeff Davis Co., Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
COUNTY OF JEFF DAVIS }

I, the undersigned, Clerk of the County Court of  
said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing  
instrument of title, recorded on the 17th day of  
May, 1995, at 11:55 A.M., and duly  
referred to on the 18th day of May, 1995, at 10:15  
o'clock A.M., is a true and correct copy of the  
original as the same appears in the records of said County in  
Volume 150 Page 867

Witness my hand and seal of the County Court at office in Fort Davis, Texas,  
the day and year first above written.

*Luc Blackley*  
County Clerk, Jeff Davis County, Texas  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy

Richard L. McLaren  
C/O HCR-74 Box 101A  
Fort Davis Texas

June 26, 1995  
CMRRR Z-210-968-031

Sue Blackley  
Clerk of County and District Court  
Courthouse  
Fort Davis Texas

Dear Mrs. Blackley:

I would appreciate you forwarding me written confirmation as to my request of June 9, 1995 at CMRRR Z-780-828-243.

If you have any question please feel free to call me at 426-2210

Sincerely:

  
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Richard L. McLaren

Encl. Letter request of 6/9/95

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**Receipt for Certified Mail**

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Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

PS Form 3800, March 1993

Sent to <i>SUE BLACKLEY</i> <i>CLARK OR WIFE</i>	
Address and No. <i>COURT ST. OFF. DAVIS</i>	
Postage	\$
Certified Fee	
Restricted Delivery Fee	
Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered	
Return Receipt Showing to Whom Date and Address if a Change	
TOTAL Postage & Fee	\$
Postmark or Date	

**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, and 4a & b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):

- 1.  Addressee's Address
- 2.  Restricted Delivery

Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:  
*SUE BLACKLEY CLARK OR WIFE*  
*COURT ST. OFF. DAVIS*  
*COURT ST. OFF. DAVIS*  
*FOR DAVIS TEXAS.*

4a. Article Number  
*2-210-968-031*

4b. Service Type  
 Registered     Insured  
 Certified     COD  
 Express Mail     Return Receipt for Merchandise

7. Date of Delivery  
*JUN 26 1995*

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

i. Signature (Addressee)  
*Sue Blackley*

ii. Signature (Agent)  
*Sue Blackley*

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

Richard L. McLaren  
C/O HCR-74 Box 101A  
Fort Davis Texas

June 9, 1995  
CMRRR Z-780-828-243

Sue Blackley  
Clerk of County and District Court  
Courthouse  
Fort Davis Texas

Dear Mrs. Blackley:

On May 9, 1995 I notified the voter registrar office of Jeff Davis County Texas officially that my status of citizenship had changed and served them an original declaration made before you the clerk of court as to this status.


I must assume that they officially accepted the change and made the proper adjustment in their records since it is now 30 days and I have had know response or contest to my modification, as Such:

Please now also place my name in the Jury Box for selection with others of the same status to be able to serve on a Common Law Jury, so that a Natural Born Juridical Citizen can obtain a jury of his Peers to determine the Law as well as the Facts emanating either out of a Criminal or Civil Judicial proceedings under **Substantial** law under the Direction of the Court.

I will automatically assume that if a response to the contrary is not made to me within 14 days receipt of this notice that my request has been complied with.

If you have any question please feel free to call me at 426-2210

Sincerely:



Richard L. McLaren

Enc. Legal notice From McLaren to County Voter Registrar May 9, 1995  
Declartion of Status of Citizenship and Status March 22, 1995

Z 780 828 243

## Receipt for Certified Mail

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Sent to <i>SUE BLACKBURN COING</i>	
Street and No. <i>CONSTITUTION</i>	
P.O. State and ZIP Code <i>FEW DALE TEXAS</i>	
Postage	\$
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Restricted Delivery Fee	
Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered	1991
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<p>5. Signature (Agent)</p> <p><i>Sue Blackburn</i></p>	<p>4b. Service Type</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Registered <input type="checkbox"/> Insured</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified <input type="checkbox"/> COD</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise</p>
<p>6. Signature (Addressee)</p> <p><i>Sue Blackburn</i></p>	<p>7. Date of Delivery</p> <p><i>10-12-91</i></p>
<p>8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)</p>	

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.



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ORDER TRANSFERRING JURISDICTION

IN THE 83RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT  
OF JEFF DAVIS COUNTY, TEXAS

11/5/95  
- Ann Beckley  
District Clerk

In compliance with the directive created under Section 23, Subsection (b), Government Code, as amended by H.B. 3235 of the 74th Legislature, Regular Session, requiring the transfer of all pending cases of the 83rd Judicial District Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas, to the 394th Judicial District Court of Jeff Davis County, Texas;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the District Clerk of Jeff Davis County file and docket the below listed and numbered causes in the 394th Judicial District Court under the same procedure as those used for filing an original action; to wit:

CAUSE NO.	STYLE
1626	First National Bank of Alpine vs. Tom Palmer and Billie Sue Palmer
1677	Keith A. Leavitt, et al vs. Mick Davis, et al
1679	The State of Texas vs. Juan Hernandez Hernandez, et al
1681	Bernice Friend vs. Richard McLaren, et al
1687	The State of Texas vs. 1984 Deep Wagner
1690	Holloway Company, Inc. vs. Ironhorse Ironworks, Inc., et al
1692	Richard L. McLaren vs. Commissioners' Court of Jeff Davis County
1696	Virginia Vega vs. Casey Scott Adams

SIGNED on the 1st day of September, 1995.

JUDGE PRESIDING

