

**COMMISSIONERS COURT
JULY 24, 2008**

**STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF ROCKWALL**

**BE IT REMEMBERED THERE WAS HELD A WORKSHOP
MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT ON THE ABOVE DATE WITH
THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF THE COURT PRESENT:**

CHRIS FLORANCE	COUNTY JUDGE
JERRY WIMPEE	COMMISSIONER PCT #1
LORIE GRINNAN	COMMISSIONER PCT #2
BRUCE BEATY	COMMISSIONER PCT #3- ABSENT
DAVID MAGNESS	COMMISSIONER PCT #4
LISA CONSTANT	COUNTY CLERK

JUDGE FLORANCE CALLED THE WORKSHOP MEETING TO ORDER AT
10:00AM.

DISCUSSION OF JAIL IMPROVEMENTS:

CHRIS CUNY, DEBRA WILLIAMS, MIKE SULLIVAN AND MICHAEL HARLING
WERE PRESENT TO DISCUSS A PROJECT COMPLETED JOINTLY BY
THERE FOUR COMPANIES TO BUILD AN IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS
ENFORCEMENT FACILITY IN WILLACY COUNTY, TEXAS. THE GROUP
EXPLAINED THE USE OF COMBINING TAX AND REVENUE CERTIFICATES
OF OBLIGATION AS A FINANCING OPTION TO FUND A ROCKWALL
COUNTY JAIL EXPANSION, WHEREBY THE LEASING OF ADDITIONAL JAIL
BEDS WOULD PAY FOR SHORT AND LONG TERM JAIL NEEDS.
CURRENTLY, THE ROCKWALL COUNTY JAIL HAS 244 BEDS AND THE

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TEXAS JAIL STANDARDS RECOMMENDS THAT THE ROCKWALL COUNTY
JAIL SHOULD HAVE 528 BEDS AT BUILD-OUT.

NO ACTION WAS TAKEN AND WITH NO FURTHER ITEMS ON THE AGENDA;
JUDGE FLORANCE ADJOURNED THE WORKSHOP MEETING AT 11:35AM.

LISA CONSTANT, COUNTY CLERK

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