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BE IT REMEMBERED that on this 1st day of July, 2021, at 8:00 o'clock a.m. there came on and was held in the City of Rocksprings, Edwards County, Texas, at the Edwards County Courthouse therein, a Special Open Meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Edwards County, Texas. The Agenda for this Regular Open Meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Edwards County, Texas was posted on June 28, 2021.

Present were:

Honorable Marty Graham, Commissioner of Precinct One Honorable Lee Sweeten, Commissioner of Precinct Two, was absent Honorable Matt Fry, Commissioner of Precinct Three Honorable Kenneth Reed, Commissioner of Precinct Four, was absent Honorable Souli Asa Shanklin, County Judge Honorable Olga Lydia Reyes, County and District Clerk

1. **Determination of quorum; Call to Order.** The Special Open Meeting was called to order at 8:00 o'clock a.m. by Judge Shanklin. The Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. Flag and the Texas State Flag were recited. The Court was led in prayer by Commissioner Fry. The roll was then called by Clerk Reyes. All Commissioners, with the exception of Commissioners Sweeten and Reed, were present.

2. DELIBERATE, CONSIDER and/or TAKE ACTION ON ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

a. Consider and Act upon Edwards County Commissioner's Court to give authority for Edwards County Sheriff to join the suit against the Biden Administration – Judge Shanklin. Sheriff Guthrie asked for permission to join the suit against the Biden Administration due to the ongoing border crisis. Commissioner Graham made the motion to grant permission to the Edwards County Sheriff to join the suit against the Biden Administration due to the Border Crisis with the full faith and support of the Edwards County Commissioner Court. Sheriff Guthrie informed the Court that this lawsuit will provide injunctive relief

for ICE and Border Patrol and other federal agencies to enforce federal immigration laws. Commissioner Graham's motion was seconded by Commissioner Fry. Judge Shanklin indicated that the two Commissioners not present in Court today, Commissioners Sweeten and Reed, are also in agreement with the action taken here today. No Commissioner noting any opposition, the motion carried 3/0.

- 3. **Set Time and Date.** The next regular open meeting of the Edwards County Commissioners Court will be on the second Tuesday in July (July 13, 2021) at 9:00 a.m.
- 4. New Business. No new business was discussed.
- 5. **Adjourn.** Commissioner Graham made the motion to adjourn this meeting of the Edwards County Commissioners Court; Commissioner Fry seconded the motion. No Commissioner noting any opposition, the motion carried 3/0. This meeting of the Edwards County Commissioners Court adjourned at 8:10 a.m.

APPROVED:

SOULI ASA SHANKLIN

Edwards County Judge

Attest:

OLGA LYDIA REYES

Edwards County and District Clerk

