

**THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ZAPATA  
IN THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF ZAPATA COUNTY, TEXAS**

Be it remembered, that on this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of August, A. D., 2009, the Commissioners Court of Zapata County, Texas, convened in **SPECIAL SESSION** of said Court, at the regular meeting place thereof, in the Courthouse of Zapata, Texas, with the following members of said Court, to-wit:

**PRESENT:**

Hon. Rosalva Guerra	County Judge
Jose Emilio Vela	Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
Gabriel Villarreal	Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
Joseph Rathmell	Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
Norberto Garza	Commissioner, Precinct No. 4
Mary Jayne Villarreal-Bonoan	County Clerk

**ABSENT:**

Saíd Alfonso Figueroa	County Attorney
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**VISITORS:** Romeo Salinaz, Doroteo N. Garza, Sara Rocha, Nellie R. Treviño, Sigifredo Gonzalez, Jr., Alonso Lopez, Salvador Elizondo, Luis Lauro, Gonzalez, Rosalinda Gonzalez, Carmen Reyes, Juan Jose Meza, Jose Francisco Mendoza, and Gilbert Serna.

**WHEREUPON**, the following Orders and Proceedings were had by said Court, to-wit:

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 9:30 A.M.**

**ROLL CALL BY MARY JAYNE VILLARREAL-BONOAN, COUNTY CLERK**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Mr. Gilbert Serna, with Mercy Insurance Plans, informed Commissioners' Court that Molina Insurance put out a bid for the Chip business of the Mercy Insurance Plans. The deal is not finalized yet, but will go through on October 1, 2009 for the federal portion of the business. The CEO has left the company and a new person is now in charge. The commercial part of the business is not enough to continue business in Texas and will end at the end of the year. County employees insured with Mercy Insurance Plans will be covered until November 1, 2009.

**ORDER APPROVING REQUEST TO SEEK PROPOSALS TO REPLACE MERCY  
HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS**

Motion was made by Commissioner Vela, seconded by Commissioner Garza, to approve the request to seek proposals to replace Mercy Insurance Plans which service half of the County employees. The County will request a proposal from Blue Cross Blue Shield to cover 100% of County employees and another proposal for employees which were covered by Mercy Insurance Plans only, as requested by Doroteo N. Garza, County Auditor.

The above motion, being put to a vote, was approved by the affirmative vote of all members of the Court.

**ADJOURN**

Motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Garza, seconded by Commissioner Villarreal, and being put to a vote, was approved by the affirmative vote of all members of the Court.

There being no further business for disposition at this term, the Court adjourned.

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ROSALVA GUERRA, COUNTY JUDGE  
ZAPATA COUNTY, TEXAS

ATTEST:

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MARY JAYNE VILLARREAL-BONOAN  
COUNTY CLERK AND EX-OFFICIO CLERK  
OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF  
ZAPATA COUNTY, TEXAS