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City of Eagle Lake

NOTICE OF CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE AND PUBLICATION OF ESTIMATED UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES

I, Robert Klockman, City Manager for City of Eagle Lake, in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the City of Eagle Lake without holding a public hearing as required by the code. That rate is as follows: \$0.375 per \$100 value.

The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Maintenance & Operation fund: \$177,553.35.
The estimated unencumbered fund balance for Interest & Sinking fund: \$0.
Robert Klockman
March 20, 1984

CALCULATIONS USED TO DETERMINE EFFECTIVE TAX RATE

- DATA
 - 1983 Total tax levy from the 1984 tax roll: \$162,120.00
 - 1983 Tax rate (6.26 MAO and 6.12 I&S): \$1,384,900
 - 1983 Debt service (I&S) levy: \$51,150.00
 - 1983 Maintenance and operation (MAO) levy: \$110,970.00
 - 1983 MAO taxes on property in territory that has ceased to be a part of the unit in 1984: \$0
 - 1983 MAO taxes on property becoming exempt in 1984: \$0
 - 1983 MAO taxes on taxable value lost because property is appraised at less than market value in 1984: \$0
 - 1984 Total taxable value of all property: \$43,000,000.00
 - 1984 Taxable value of new improvements added since Jan. 1, 1983: \$600,000.00
 - 1984 Taxable value of property annexed since Jan. 1, 1983: \$0
 - 1984 Tax levy needed to satisfy debt service (I&S): \$48,825.00
 - Rate to raise 1983 tax levy due to appraisal roll errors (rate that should have been less rate that was levied): \$0/100
 - Rate to recoup taxes lost in 1983 due to appraisal roll errors (that dollars divided by 1983 taxable value): \$0/100
- INTEREST AND SINKING (I&S) TAX RATE
 - 1984 I&S levy needed to satisfy debt (Data 11): \$48,825.00
 - 1984 Total taxable value of property (Data 8): \$43,000,000.00
 - Divide the 1984 I&S levy (4-A above) by the 1984 total taxable value (8-B above): \$1,135,455.22
 - 1984 Total taxable value (Data 8): \$43,000,000.00
 - Multiply by \$100 valuation: \$113,545.52
 - Calculated interest and sinking rate (I&S) for 1984: \$114/100
- APPRAISAL ROLL ERROR RATE
 - Rate to raise 1983 levy due to appraisal errors (Data 12): \$0/100
 - Add rate to recoup taxes lost due to errors (Data 13): \$0/100
 - Total rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors: \$0/100
- TOTAL EFFECTIVE TAX RATE FOR 1984
 - Calculated maintenance and operation (MAO) rate (3-C above): \$2,511/100
 - Add calculated interest and sinking (I&S) rate (4-E above): \$114/100
 - Add rate to adjust for appraisal roll errors (5-C above): \$0/100
 - Calculated 1984 Effective Tax Rate: \$2,725/100

1984 Effective Tax Rate to the tax year published as required by Sec. 26.04, Property Tax Code.

Sheriff's Report

By Jim Broussard

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We would like to remind all vehicle operators of the new DWI law which was passed during the last Legislature. The law is stronger than the old DWI law and if arrested for DWI, the bond to get out of jail will be doubled from what it used to be. If you're drinking, don't drink, let someone else drive for you.

3-12-84: Checked on a vandalism near Columbus. Worked school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Transported a prisoner to TDC in Huntsville. Checked on a suspicious subject on Interstate 10. Investigated a disturbance in Rock Island. Checked on an attempted burglary near Columbus. Checked on a disturbance in Alleyton. Responded to a burglar alarm on Burns Mill Road. Issued eight traffic citations and served four civil citations.

3-13-84: Investigated an unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. Worked school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Removed livestock from the roadway on 71 South. Had County Court. Issued 11 traffic citations and served six civil citations.

3-14-84: Checked on a disturbance near Columbus. Transported two patients to the San Antonio State Hospital. Had County Court. Worked school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Assisted at the scene of an accident near Rock Island. Assisted at the scene of an accident near Hattermann Lane. Issued two traffic citations and served four civil citations.

3-15-84: Checked on a theft north of Eagle Lake. Worked school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Checked on a reported burglary north of Columbus. Checked on a suspicious subject near Columbus. Checked on a disturbance on 90A west of Eagle Lake. Issued seven traffic citations and served eight civil citations.

3-16-84: Had JP Court. Worked school traffic in the morning and the afternoon. Assisted a stranded motorist on 90A. Assisted at the scene of an accident near Alleyton. Assisted a stranded motorist in Gladden. Issued two traffic citations and served four civil citations.

3-17-84: Assisted with traffic control for a parade in Columbus. Investigated a burglary on Smith Rau Road. Investigated a camp house burglary near



Above, Susan Gold and Michael Sibley are gold medal winners of the school art display at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. The Rice Consolidated School District was named runner-up to the Grand Prix award out of 52 entries. Pictured below are (left) Vance Corman, Best of Show in junior high division; Patrick Powers, Best of Show in elementary division; and Wade Miller, Best of Show in high school division.



Camp Fire Events

Taxpayers take advantage of Bullock's offer

State Controller Bob Bullock said Thursday 85 Texas taxpayers took advantage of the Comptroller's offer to "wipe the slate clean" by getting right with Texas tax law during February.

"We're still looking at some of these people's records to figure out just how they did it," Bullock said, "but when the chalk dust clears, we expect to have gained about \$500,000 in taxes."

A half million dollars is a lot of money and taxpayers are happy that it would have slipped through our fingers without this program. On the other hand, a half million is a small amount compared to the total we collect in taxes each year and it's not very much money compared to what these taxpayers will be paying from now on, now that they are on our tax system."

On February 12, three Camp Fire Blue Bird groups from Eagle Lake took a trip to Houston to help with the annual Valentine for Vets party. The groups made special valentines which were passed around to some of the vets.

After refreshments, entertainment was enjoyed by those present. The Eagle Lake groups sang a song for the Vets. After leaving the hospital, they had burgers at Burger King before returning home.

The three groups which attended were: Chirping Blue Birds, first grade; Melanie Duke, Meredith Anderson, Kimberly Estlinbaum, Brandy Zbrank, and leaders, Becky Anderson and Penny Henske; Happy Singing Blue Birds, second grade; Amy Moore, Leslie Center, Rebecca Marsalis, Kay Moss, Melinda Estlinbaum, and also attending were Jill Satsky & Lacy Moore, & leaders, Blue Birds, third grade; Crisi Andel, Kelli Walker, Stacey Spannhoff, Kristie Nachinger, Kimberly Powers, Kari Seuhm, Joy Johnson, and leaders, Jackie Andel and Maggie Walker.

The kindergarten Sparks also made valentines for the Vets.

The Eagle Lake Camp Fire Blue Birds have been selling candy in Eagle Lake the past few weeks. The three groups participating were the Chirping Blue Birds, Happy Singing Blue Birds, and Rockin Robin Blue Birds. The kindergarten Sparks sold candy for Valentines for the Vets and did very well.

The Blue Bird groups all together sold \$2,405. The leaders, parents and friends are very proud of the groups because this is the first year they have sold candy. The leaders would like to thank everyone who helped to make the candy sale such a success. Also special thanks to Mr. Wilcox, Mr. Beth, and Mr. Miller for letting the groups sell the candy in front of their

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Oil, gas waste safeguards

The Railroad Commission has increased pollution safeguards in a rule that provides for the protection of fresh water from wastes produced by oil and gas operations. The amendments to the Oil and Gas Division's Rule 8 require that all oilfield waste disposal be authorized by commission rule or permit. The changes authorize several disposal practices and the use of several types of pits in oilfield operations. They also require the permitting of existing salt water storage or disposal pits so that they comply with recent state legislation.

Another change requires that the producer of salt water from an oil well keep records on the amount and origin of water produced, where the water is disposed of, and who transports the water from the production site to the disposal site. According to the rule, "the county's case.

Columbus man fined \$1,000 in DWI case

A county court jury found William Benjamin Iagrig, of Columbus, guilty Monday, March 19, of driving while intoxicated. Iagrig was fined \$1,000 plus court costs. He was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail with a six-month probation period. The case was filed on January 31. County Judge Lester Cranek heard the case, with county attorney Ed Woolery-Price presenting the county's case.

Sea Arama trip

On March 10, Camp Fire groups from Eagle Lake traveled to Sea Arama in Galveston. The month of March at Sea Arama is Camp Fire and Girl Scout month. There was a total of 30 children and 10 adults attending.

The girls had a wonderful time seeing all the shows and having a picnic lunch. After spending the day at Sea Arama, the second and third grade groups went back along the beach road to see the damage of Hurricane Alicia. They also stopped at Surfside to find sea shells along the beach.

Crisi Andel of the Rockin Robin group celebrated her ninth birthday at Sea Arama. Kimberly Henske also had a birthday March 9 and she turned seven years old.

Everyone reported having an exciting time.