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Date: January 27, 2011
To: Judge Self and Commissioner's Court
From: Jon Kleinheksel, Director of Public Works *JK*
Re: County Road 574 Fence Compensation

Issue

Public Works received a written request from Bryn Wetton on CR574 to be compensated for the value of their existing fence.

Background

In summer 2011, CR574 is scheduled to be paved as part of the "50 mile a year" asphalt paving program. Typically, PW asks landowners on the affected road to donate a sliver of land adjacent to the road which allows us to widen it as well as pave it. This often requires us to move their fence back a predetermined distance at our expense.

Bryn Wetton owns a parcel of land on CR574 for which he built a custom reinforced fence since it is located in a floodplain and must tolerate fast moving water. Therefore, he has requested that Collin County reimburse him the value of replacing his fence in lieu of Public Works constructing a new fence further back from the road. The reimbursement amount is \$1584.00 and covers the cost of materials only (see attached).

Funds have been budgeted to accommodate this request. Public Works requests Commissioners' Court consideration and approval to reimburse Mr. Bryn Wetton for the replacement of his fence.

JK/cpc