

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COLLIN

COMMISSIONERS' COURT
SPECIAL SESSION MEETING MINUTES
NOVEMBER 6, 2017

On Monday, November 6, 2017, the Commissioners' Court of Collin County, Texas, met in Special Session in the West Hallway, 1st Floor, of the Collin County Courthouse, 2100 Bloomdale Road, City of McKinney, Texas, with the following members present, and participating, to wit:

Judge Keith Self
Commissioner Susan Fletcher, Precinct 1
Commissioner Cheryl Williams, Precinct 2
Commissioner John Thomas, Precinct 3
Commissioner Duncan Webb, Precinct 4

Clark Gulette, Desert Storm Marine Veteran and Military Veteran Peer Network Service Coordinator, led the Invocation.

Dr. Briana Andor led the Pledge of Allegiance and the Pledge of Allegiance to the Texas Flag.

1. Judge Self called to order the Special Session meeting of the Collin County Commissioners' Court at 11:00 a.m.

2. Public Comments:

Ceremony to honor Collin County fallen warriors.

Judge Self thanked everyone for attending the ceremony honoring six Fallen Warriors who represent six different wars. Colin Kimball, an Air Force Veteran and creator of the portraits introduced R. D. Foster, Vietnam Veteran, to read a short biography on each of the six Fallen Warriors:

Army 2nd Lt. Oscar C. Key
USMC PFC Vernon M. Cain
USMC PFC Clarence Williams
Army Specialist Four Joe A. Johnson
Army Sgt. James Casey Joyce
Army Staff/Sgt. Christopher Trevor Woodard

Following the reading of the biographies, Mr. Kimball recognized the family of Timothy Barber, USAF Academy, and Retired Lt. Col. Greg Barber. The father and son were killed in a plane crash on New Year's Eve 2016. A portrait of Timothy was presented to Collin County during a ceremony early this year.

Mr. Kimball went into more detail on each of the six new honorees. He thanked Stacey Kemp, County Clerk, for the donations that help make the portraits possible. Mr. Kimball then presented the six portraits to Collin County. (Time: 11:17 a.m.)

3. Consent agenda to approve:

a. **AI-43941** Accept the donation of portraits of Collin County heroes, Commissioners Court.

Judge Self read the ages of the honorees which ranged from 19-30 years old. He said it is young men and women that fight our wars. They will continue to be sent into harm's way and the need to send them in harm's way will not decrease. The Judge recognized the Veterans in attendance and thanked them for their service. He also recognized friends and/or family members of the honorees who were in attendance.

Judge Self asked for a motion to accept the donation of the portraits of the six Collin County Fallen Warriors. (Time: 11:17 a.m.)

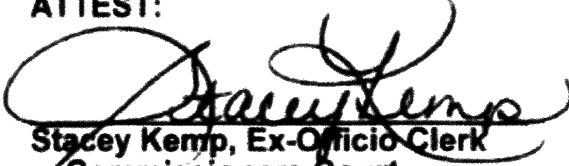
Motion by: Commissioner Susan Fletcher
Second by: Commissioner Cheryl Williams
Vote: 5 – 0 Passed


COURT ORDER NO. 2017-882-11-06

The Court did not recess into Executive Session. There being no further business of the Court, Judge Self adjourned the meeting at 11:17 a.m.



ATTEST:


Stacey Kemp, Ex-Officio Clerk
Commissioners Court
Collin County, T E X A S



Keith Self, County Judge



Susan Fletcher, Commissioner, Pct. 1

Not Present

Cheryl Williams, Commissioner, Pct. 2



John B. Thomas, Commissioner, Pct. 3



Duncan Webb, Commissioner, Pct. 4