

*There was a Public Hearing held beginning at 2:30 P.M. regarding the Redistricting of County Election Justice of the Peace and Commissioners Court Precincts. Everyone in attendance was asked to sign a sign-in sheet and after public comments and concerns were heard, the hearing was closed at 2:34 P.M.*

**INVOCATION**

Commissioner Pct. 3-James Strain, DeKalb, TX

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Pledge of Allegiance to the United States

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONERS COURT MINUTES  
NOVEMBER 3, 2021**

**BE IT REMEMBERED**, that on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2021, the **HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS COURT** of Bowie County, Texas met in **SPECIAL SESSION** at the Courthouse in New Boston, Texas after due notice had been posted on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2021 with the **HONORABLE JUDGE BOBBY L. HOWELL** and presiding with the following Commissioners being present.

Sammy Stone	Commissioner Pct. #1
Tom Whitten	Commissioner Pct. #2
James Strain	Commissioner Pct. #3
Mike Carter	Commissioner Pct. #4

Also in attendance was the following County Official:

- County Clerk Tina Petty

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

None

**REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS**

Court convened at 2:37 P.M. when the following **ORDERS, JUDGMENTS and DECREES** were had and **ORDERED** spread upon the minutes of the Court to-wit.

**Item 1: On this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2021, a motion was made by Commissioner Mike Carter and duly second by Commissioner James Strain to approve one or more alternative plans for the redistricting of Bowie County Commissioners Court Precincts. The Court reserves the right to take any and all appropriate actions regarding the redistricting of Bowie County political boundaries, including the acceptance of new boundaries for the Commissioners Court precincts, modification of any boundaries, and/or tabling the pending proposals for later consideration and/or action.  
Motion was put to a vote and all Commissioners voted yes and none voted no.  
Motion carried.**

**Item 2: On this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2021, a motion was made by Commissioner Sammy Stone and duly second by Commissioner Tom Whitten to set the date of November 10, 2021 at 9:00 A.M. for a Public Hearing and Special Commissioners Court to finalize the redistricting of Bowie County.  
Motion was put to a vote and all Commissioners voted yes and none voted no.  
Motion carried.**

**Item 3: There was no Executive Closed Session to discuss security matters, personnel matters and litigation as allowed in the Government Code, Section 551.072.**

**On this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2021, a motion was made by Commissioner Sammy Stone and duly second by Commissioner Mike Carter to adjourn.  
Motion was put to a vote and all Commissioners voted yes and none voted no.  
Motion carried.**