

COMMISSIONER'S COURT
Truman Dougharty, County Judge
William L. Fuller, Comm. Pct. 1
Thomas T. Gill, Comm. Pct. 2
Prentiss L. Hopson, Comm. Pct. 3
Leanord E. Powell, Comm. Pct. 4
Sandra K. Duckworth, County Clerk



Edward L. Shannon, Jr., Sheriff
Robert J. Choate, Criminal District Attorney
Bree Allen, District Clerk
Ginger Arnold, County Treasurer
Melissa J. Burks, Tax Assessor-Collector
Elizabeth A. Holloway, County Auditor

**2014 Newton County Resolution
Indigent Defense Grant Program**

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the Fair Defense Act, 77th Regular Session, counties are eligible to receive grants from the Texas Indigent Defense Commission to provide improvements in indigent defense services in the county; and

WHEREAS, this grant program will assist the county in the implementation of the provisions of the Fair Defense Act and the improvement of the indigent criminal defense services in this county; and


WHEREAS, Newton County Commissioners Court has agreed that in the event of loss or misuse of the funds, Newton County Commissioners assures that the funds will be returned in full to the Texas Indigent Defense Commission.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED and ordered that the County Judge of this county is designated as the Authorized Official to apply for, accept, decline, modify, or cancel the grant application for the Indigent Defense Formula Grant Program and all other necessary documents to accept said grant; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the County Auditor is designated as the Financial Officer for this grant.

Adopted this 15th day of October, 2013.


Truman Dougharty
Newton County Judge

Attest:

Sandra K. Duckworth, County Clerk