



RESOLUTION NO. 19,810

**A RESOLUTION OF THE HUNT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT APPOINTING DIRECTORS TO THE BOARD OF THE NORTHEAST TEXAS RURAL RAIL TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT (NETEX) PURSUANT TO TEXAS TRANSPORTATION CODE CHAPTER 172**

WHEREAS, the Northeast Texas Rural Rail Transportation District (NETEX) was created on November 21, 1994, by concurrent order of the Commissioners Courts of Titus, Franklin, Hopkins, Delta, Hunt, and Collin Counties (later joined by Lamar County) under Texas Transportation Code Chapter 172, Subchapter B; and

WHEREAS, Hunt County, as a creating and participating county, is entitled under the NETEX Interlocal Cooperation Agreement and Tex. Transp. Code § 172.052(c)(5) to appoint directors to the NETEX Board of Directors in the manner and number established by the concurrent orders and interlocal agreement; and

WHEREAS, Hunt County currently has two (2) director positions on the NETEX Board, one of which has been filled by Greg Sims under a prior appointment now in holdover status, and the other of which is currently also in holdover status due to the lack of recent appointment; and

WHEREAS, Tex. Transp. Code § 172.102(a) provides that a director serves a two-year term, and § 172.104 authorizes the Commissioners Court that appointed a director to fill a vacancy for the unexpired term; and

WHEREAS, Tex. Transp. Code § 172.103 establishes eligibility for appointment, requiring only that a director be a resident of the appointing county and not prohibited by the Texas Constitution from serving; and

WHEREAS, Greg Sims is a resident of Hunt County and is eligible to serve; and

WHEREAS, County Judge Bobby Stovall is a resident of Hunt County, an elected official of Hunt County, and is not prohibited by the Texas Constitution from serving on the NETEX Board; and

WHEREAS, the Hunt County Commissioners Court desires to: (a) Confirm and reappoint Greg Sims to a new two-year term commencing November 21, 2025, and ending November 20, 2027; and (b) Appoint County Judge Bobby Stovall to fill the unexpired term of the second director position, effective upon adoption of this resolution and continuing through November 20, 2026; and

WHEREAS, this action complies with all requirements of Texas Transportation Code Chapter 172, the NETEX Interlocal Agreement, and the Texas Open Meetings Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF HUNT COUNTY, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Greg Sims is hereby reappointed and confirmed as a Director of the Northeast Texas Rural Rail Transportation District (NETEX), with a new two-year term beginning November 21, 2025, and ending November 20, 2027.

SECTION 2. That Bobby Stovall, Hunt County Judge, is hereby appointed as a Director of the Northeast Texas Rural Rail Transportation District (NETEX) to fill the unexpired term of the second Hunt County position, effective immediately upon adoption of this resolution and continuing through November 20, 2026.

SECTION 3. That the County Clerk is directed to:

- a. File a certified copy of this resolution with the Secretary of the NETEX Board;
- b. Transmit a certified copy to the Texas Secretary of State as an amendment to the district's governance records; and
- c. Cause this resolution to be recorded in the official minutes of the Hunt County Commissioners Court.

SECTION 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

ADOPTED by the affirmative vote of the Commissioners Court of Hunt County, Texas, on November 25, 2025.

  
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Bobby Stovall  
Hunt County Judge

ATTEST:

  
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Becky Landrum  
Hunt County Clerk