



# **GALVESTON COUNTY, TEXAS**

## **COMMISSIONERS COURT**

722 Moody, County Courthouse, Galveston, Texas 77550 (409) 766-2244

Mark Henry      Patrick Doyle      Kevin O'Brien      Stephen Holmes      Ken Clark  
County Judge    Commissioner, Precinct 1    Commissioner, Precinct 2    Commissioner, Precinct 3    Commissioner, Precinct 4

### **SPECIAL MEETING-AGENDA MARCH 22, 2012 – 7:00 P.M.**

In accordance with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), persons in need of a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding shall, within three (3) days prior to any proceeding contact the County Judge's office at 722 Moody, Galveston, Texas 77550 (409) 765-2244.

1. Call to Order Specially Scheduled Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
2. **Public Comment on County Commissioner Redistricting Maps.**
3. Consideration of adopting an Order approving redistricting plan for Galveston County Commissioners Court Precincts (Districts).
4. Adjourn Meeting

#### **Appearances before Commissioners Court**

a. 3minutes

A speaker whose subject matter as submitted relates to an identifiable item of business on this agenda will be requested by the County Judge or other presiding court member to come to the podium where they will be limited to three minutes (3) A speaker whose subject matter as submitted does not relate to an identifiable item of business on this agenda will be limited to three minutes (3) and will be allowed to speak before the meeting is adjourned. Please arrive prior to the meeting and sign in with the County Clerk.

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AGENDA

ITEM

#2

**NO  
BACK – UP  
PROVIDED**

AGENDA

ITEM

#3

**GALVESTON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT ORDER ESTABLISHING  
NEW COMMISSIONER PRECINCT BOUNDARIES**

On this the 22 day of March 2012, the Commissioners Court of Galveston County, Texas convened in a regularly scheduled meeting with the following members thereof present

Mark Henry, County Judge,  
Patrick Doyle, County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1,  
Kevin O'Brien, County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2,  
Stephen D. Holmes, County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3, and  
Kenneth Clark, County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

When the following proceedings were had, to wit:

An Order approving a redistricting plan for Galveston County Commissioners Court  
Precincts (Districts)

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and other laws, the Galveston County Commissioners Court desires to divide the Commissioner Precinct Boundaries; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Galveston County Commissioners Court has determined that the interests of the people of the county are best served by changing the existing Commissioner Precinct Boundaries, and,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF GALVESTON COUNTY, TEXAS**, that Commissioners Precincts are hereby composed as depicted in the attached map, affixed hereto as "Exhibit A" and fully adopted and incorporated in this Order "Exhibit A" represents the map and statistics presented to the United States Department of Justice as Galveston v. U.S Settlement Offer #2 delivered to the Department of Justice this day. If there are any unassigned territories they are to be resolved in the manner as presented to the Department of Justice in the aforementioned settlement offer.

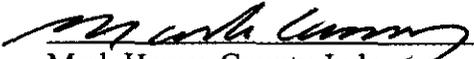
**BE IT FURTHER ORDERED**, Beirne, Maynard & Parsons, L L P shall forthwith submit this order and corresponding demographic data to the Voting Rights Division of the United States Department of Justice for preclearance. It is further ordered by the Court that this Redistricting Order shall take effect immediately.

Upon the Motion of County Judge Henry and Seconded by Commissioner O'Brien the above Redistricting Plan passed with 3 votes in favor thereof and 2 votes against.

Passed and approved this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March 2012.

County of Galveston

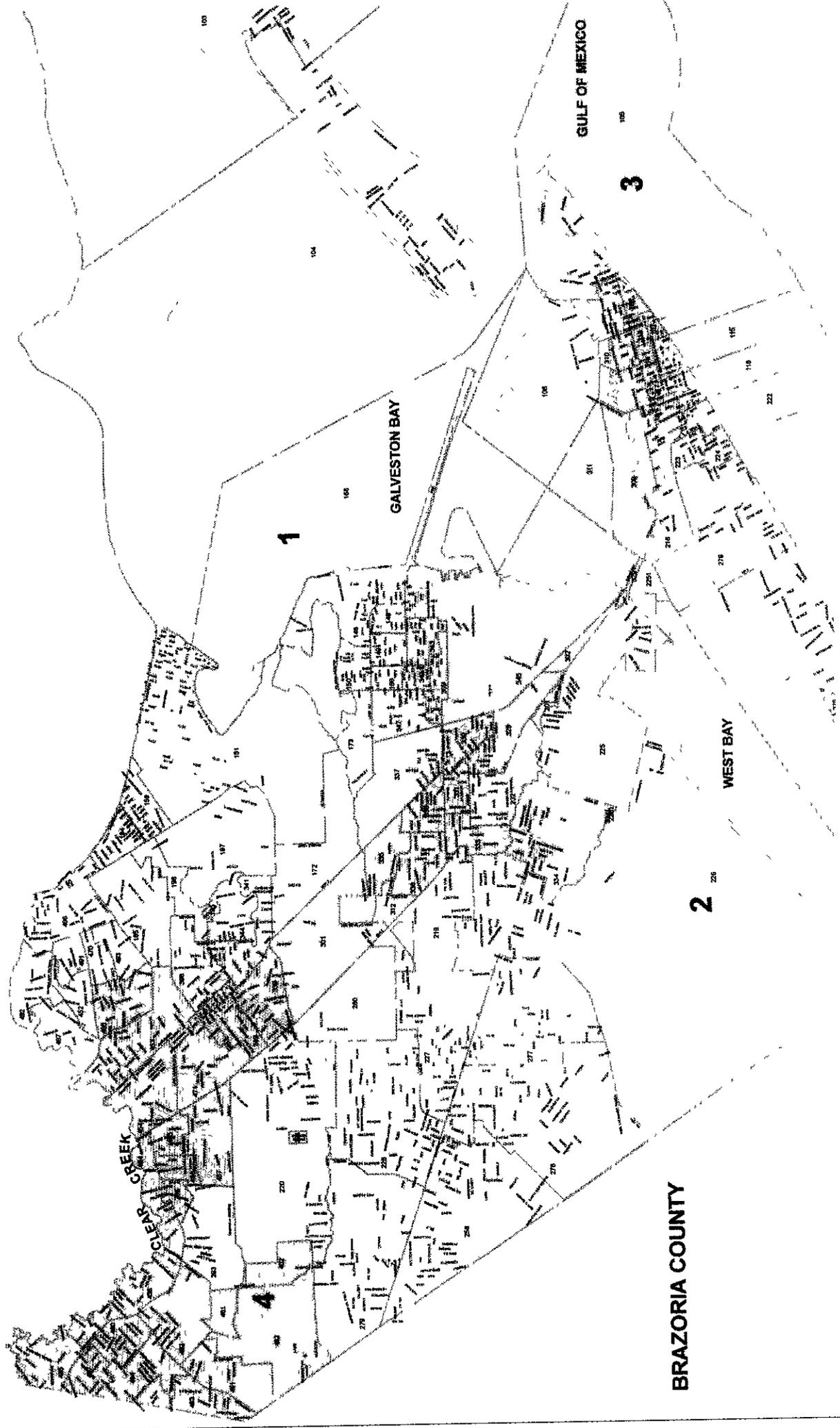


  
Mark Henry, County Judge

  
Dwight Sullivan  
County Clerk

# GALVESTON VS US SETTLEMENT OFFER #2

HARRIS COUNTY



GULF OF MEXICO

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GALVESTON BAY

1

WEST BAY

2

CREEK

BRAZORIA COUNTY

4