

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE
LAMAR COUNTY, TEXAS
CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION

TAKE NOTICE that the Commissioners Court (the *Court*) of Lamar County, Texas (the *County*), shall convene at 9:00 o'clock A.M. on the 23rd day of January, 2017, at its regular meeting place in Lamar County Courthouse, and, during such meeting, the Court will consider the passage of an order authorizing the issuance of certificates of obligation in an amount not to exceed \$2,550,000 for the purpose or purposes of paying contractual obligations of the County to be incurred for making permanent public improvements and for other public purposes, to-wit: (1) designing, constructing, acquiring, purchasing, renovating, equipping, enlarging, and improving the County's Services Building (including HVAC improvements), (2) designing, constructing, acquiring, purchasing, renovating, equipping, enlarging, and improving the County's Courthouse Building (including HVAC improvements), (3) designing, purchasing, constructing, reconstructing, improving, and equipping the County Jail for criminal justice and law enforcement purposes, including roof repair and renovations, (4) designing, constructing, acquiring, purchasing, renovating, equipping, enlarging, and improving various County-owned facilities and buildings, and the purchase of materials, supplies, solar panels, equipment (including HVAC equipment), financial software, personal property, machinery, equipment, furniture, vehicles, generators, computers, computer software, photocopiers, office equipment, a camera system, cameras, landscaping, land, and rights-of-way for authorized needs and purposes relating to the aforementioned improvements, (5) acquisition of County vehicles and equipment related thereto, (6) acquisition of emergency radio equipment, and (7) the payment of professional services related to the design, construction, project management, and financing of the aforementioned projects. The certificates of obligation (the *Certificates*) will be payable from the levy of an annual ad valorem tax, within the limitations prescribed by law, upon all taxable property within the County and from a lien on and pledge of certain of the revenues derived by the County from the operation of the County's library system. The Certificates are to be issued, and this notice is given, under and pursuant to the provisions of the Certificate of Obligation Act of 1971, as amended, Texas Local Government Code Section 271.041 through Section 271.064, Section 1473.002, as amended, Texas Government Code, and Chapter 323, as amended, Texas Local Government Code.

/s/ Russ Towers
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the
Commissioners Court of Lamar County,
Texas