

Introduced by J. W. Buchanan
Referred to Committee on Counties

A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

An Act establishing the north boundary line of Sherman County and extending the east and west boundary lines to the north boundary line; providing for a survey establishing and marking the corners in the north boundary line; and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. The north boundary line of Sherman County shall lie on the north boundary line of the State of Texas as established by a survey of the General Land Office of the United States of America in 1932, recorded in _____ of the General Land Office of Texas. The east and west boundary lines of Sherman County shall be the lines heretofore established for such boundaries, extended north to the north boundary line of the State of Texas as established by the aforementioned survey.

Sec. 2. The Commissioners Court of Sherman County shall direct the County Surveyor of Sherman County, or in event there is no County Surveyor it shall appoint a competent surveyor, to run the north boundary line of Sherman County as herein established and to mark the corners of the north boundary, and to make a report of the field notes therefor. A copy of the surveyor's report shall be submitted to the Commissioners Courts of Hansford and Dallam Counties, and upon approval of the report by the Commissioners Courts of Sherman, Hansford and Dallam Counties the Commissioners Court of Sherman County shall file an approved copy in the General Land Office of Texas for use in fixing the county lines on the maps and records of the Land Office.

Sec. 3. It has recently become known that there is a strip of land lying between the north boundary of Sherman County, as heretofore established by a survey which has been recognized as officially fixing the territory within Sherman County, and the north boundary of the State of Texas, as established by a survey of the General Land Office of the United States of America in the year 1932 fixing the boundary between the States of Texas and Oklahoma, which is not included within the boundaries of any county of this State. This situation creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

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