is as follows:

- 6 Service Calls (included calls from City of Bronte, Sheriff's Office, and calls to individual officers);
  - 2 Verbal Warnings Issued;
- 0 Written Warnings Issued;
- 1 Citation Issued;
- 1 Yard Complaint;
- 1 Vehicle Complaint.

Fire Chief Martin DeLaGarza presented the Fire Department Report. Volunteers have installed the on the new fire department building. Susan Williams is writing a grant. The fire department received an \$8,000 grant from the Forest Service for training purposes. Funds are needed for the installation of spray foam for the interior of the new building. Training for cadets will be provided in San Angelo, Texas, in the rescuing of citizens from vehicles.

Fire Chief Martin DeLaGarza requests certificate of title for a 1992 GMC Fire Truck "Booster" to transferred to the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department. The certificate is currently under the City of Bronte. A motion was made by Council Member Wade Stautzenberger to approve of transferring the certificate of title of the 1992 GMC Fire Truck to the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department. The motion was seconded by Council Member Paul Gohman and carried with a vote of 4 - 0.

Fire Chief Martin DeLaGarza requests the City of Bronte to help with repair expenses on a 1992 GMC Fire Truck. The clutch needs to be readjusted and the estimate for expenses amounts to \$1,600 for repairs and labor.

The City has future expenses that need to be funded, backhoe, mowers, shredder, etc. Funds were allocated to the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department at the beginning of the fiscal year in the amount of \$6,000 from the City. The Council requests that the Fire Department use the funds previously transferred.

Funds have currently been used to fix the following: 1) the pump went out; 2) equipment; 3) hoses.

A motion was made by Council Member Paul Gohman to table the request for fund repairs on the 1992 GMC Fire Truck near the end of the fiscal year. The motion was seconded by Council Member Wade Stautzenberger and carried with a vote of 4 - 0.

City Secretary Crystal Blevins presented the Animal Report is a follows:

- 3 Dogs;
- 18 Cats;
- 2 Opposums;
- 3 Skunks.

There was discussion only and no action was taken.

There was discussion of Livestock Permits regarding the following:

Howard Baker - 324 Briarwood - coats, horses,

mules, fowl; Lynn and Kaci Follis - 315 W. George - longhorn and goats; Bethany Pritchard - 708 Meadow Lane - miniature donkey.

Livestock Permits are a continuation from the previous calendar year.

The City Secretary failed to list the agenda item as an action item, no action was taken. Livestock Permits will be included on the March 15, 2018, agenda as a discussion and action item.

Utilities Director Ricky Royall had visited with three companies to discuss the blading of the None of them are streets. interested in submitting a bid for the project. The cost to blade the streets would be expensive but there wouldn't be a lot of dirt removed. Estimate to blade the streets would be \$300 per hour. The County can charge FEMA rates instead of charging per hour. They are willing to trade service for other services. Priority locations include South Washington Street, across from the football field, and West Jackson Avenue.

The creek north of Bronte affects the flow of water south of town. A suggestion was made to use a terrace to provide a ditch on County property. Water flows down Oliver Street toward the creek but was blocked when the laundromat was changed in to a house. The ditch is not a right-of-way. A suggestion was made to talk to the property owner to reopen the ditch.

A suggestion was made to continue to find someone to provide the service. Request was made to contact Reece Albert for a quote.

County Commissioner offered to allow the City of Bronte to use their grader. The City is unable to find someone to operate the County maintainer. County previously requested a current or former County employee to operate the machinery. Matt Moore has agreed to perform the task per Utilities Director will hour. discuss with Matt requesting quote to repair priority locations.

Utilities Director requests permission from City Council to handle the streets issue as he sees fit. A motion was made by Council Member Santiago Utilities Rodriguez to give Ricky Royall Director permission to perform whatever task is necessary up to the amount of \$8,000 for the maintenance of the streets. The motion was seconded

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**Something's Missing!** A storm rolled through Bronte Tuesday evening, April 24, 2018, that included some high wind gusts. The winds with this storm resulted in the loss of the top portion of the Stripes sign in Bronte.

Council Member Paul Gohman. The motion carried with a vote of 4 - 0.

A motion was made by Council Member Paul Gohman to approve of applying for a HOME Reseration, seconded by Council Member Wade Statuzenberger. The motion carried with a vote of 4 - 0.

First National Bank in Bronte, Texas, has received the City of Bronte's authorized signer list, but it listed only the General, Water, Sewer and Sanitation Fund. City Secretary requests the Concil to approve of any and all funds, CDs, safety deposit box, etc. to be updated.

The City Secretary requests the Deputy City Secretary Marian Gohman, Mayor Pro Tem Misti Bedford, and Council Member George Tomes be removed as signers from all of the City of Bronte's bank accounts, CDs, deposit box, etc., and add Mayor Gerald Sandusky, Mayor Pro Tem David Bedford, Council

Edward **Jones** 

Member Stormy Vaughn, and City Secretary Crystal Blevins. The motion carried with a vote of 4 - 0.

Council Member Stormy Vaughn has a schedule conflict for the April 19, 2018, Council Meeting and would like to see if other members would consider changing the meeting date in April. A motion was made by Council Member Paul Gohman rejecting the request and asked that we keep the date as scheduled for April 19 for the City Council meeting. seconded motion was Council Member Santiago Rodriguez and carried with a vote of 4 - 0.

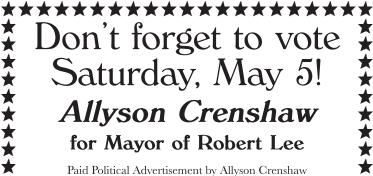
A motion was made by Council Member Stormy Vaughn to adjourn the meeting at 8:17 pm and was seconded by Council Member Santiago Rodriguez. The motion carried with a vote of 4 - 0.

## County Commissioners meeting minutes told

The Coke County Commissioners Court met in regular session on April 10, 2018, at the courthouse in Robert Lee. Those in attendance included County Judge Roy Blair, Commissioner Precinct 1 Donald Robertson, Commissioner Precinct 2 Paul Williams, Commissioner Precinct 3 Marshall Millican, Commissioner Precinct 4 Joe Sefcik, and County/ District Clerk Mary Grim.

The meeting opened with pledge to the flag and prayer was offered by Commissioner Williams.

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