IN THE COMMISSIONERS COURT)(

OF)(

March 10, 1995

GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS)(

PROCLAMATION

ADOPTING A CRETACEOUS PELECYPOD, KNOWN AS GRYPHAEA GRAYSONANA AS THE OFFICIAL ANCIENT FOSSIL OF GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS,

GRAYSON COUNTY *was created by Act of the First Legislature approved March 17, 1846, and the one hundred fiftieth anniversary of that Act will occur March 17, 1996; and*

WHEREAS,

THE GRAYSON COUNTY SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION *has today been created and established by the Commissioners Court of Grayson County as the official county organization for the celebration of our County's Sesquicentennial; and*

WHEREAS,

THE GRAYSON COUNTY SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION *has indicated a desire to begin such celebration immediately and to that end has requested that the Commissioners Court, by official proclamation, adopt a cretaceous pelevypod known as* ***GRAPHAEA GRAYSONANA*** *as the* ***OFFICIAL ANCIENT FOSSIL*** *of Grayson County;*

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

THAT THE REQUEST *presented by* ***THE GRAYSON COUNTY SESQUICENTENNIAL COMMISSION*** *be granted; that the cretaceous pelcypod known as* ***GRAPHAEA GRAYSONANA*** *be and it is hereby adopted as the Official Ancient Fossil of Grayson County; and the said Commission having presented to the Court two suitably mounted specimens of* ***GRAPHAEA GRAYSONANA*** *gathered from the Grayson County banks of Lake Texoma;*

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

THAT *the mounted specimens of* ***GRAPHAEA GRAYSONANA*** *be permanently displayed in the Grayson County Commissioners Courtroom for the edification and enjoyment of the citizens and friends of Grayson County.*

.....*Caveat: In entering this Proclamation the Court does not necessarily endorse the statement in the Commission's Request that the elderly citizens of Grayson County "are often referred to in a defamatory manner by the youth of the county."*

Entered this the 10th day of March, 1995.

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF GRAYSON COUNTY, TEXAS

SIGNED

Horace Groff
County Judge

Douglas Walker
Commissioner, Precinct 1

Butch McCraw
Commissioner, Precinct 2

Carol Shea
Commissioner, Precinct 3

Gene Short
Commissioner, Precinct 4

ATTEST:

Sara Jackson
County Clerk

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Grayson County
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