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\$100,000.00. Work will be commenced within 5 days of contract signing and completed in 120 days, acts of God excepted. All construction will be equal or better than the existing structure. The existing hazard to the other piers consisting of drift and debris will be removed at the time of reconstructing bent No. 2, river stage permitting."

A joint resolution between Jefferson County and Douglas County for rebuilding the Lecompton Bridge was drawn up, as follows:

JOINT RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, a joint meeting being regularly called was held between the Boards of County Commissioners of Jefferson County, Kansas, and Douglas County, Kansas, on the above date, for the purpose of discussing necessary construction and repairs on the Lecompton bridge over the Kansas River between said counties. The following persons were present:

Charles E. Banning, Chairman;
Elmer W. Ousdahl and Ray C. Ogden, Commissioners;
Milton P. Allen, County Attorney;
Joe I. Rice, County Engineer;

all of Douglas County, Kansas.

R. D. Kimmel, Chairman;
John Yost, Commissioner;
John W. Burkert, Commissioner;
F. G. Edwards, Assistant County Engineer;
James S. Lester, Assistant County Attorney;

all of Jefferson County were present.

Whereas, it is necessary to reconstruct and repair the existing bridge, known as the Lecompton bridge over the Kansas River between said counties, which bridge has been partially destroyed and rendered impassable by flood, and

WHEREAS, plans and specifications have been prepared by Finney and Turnipseed, consulting engineers of Topeka, Kansas, which plans and specifications have been approved by the County Engineers of said counties and are dated February 25, 1953, and which plans and specifications are numbered "One" and consist of nine sheets and are now on file in the Offices of the County Clerks of said counties, and

WHEREAS, estimates of the cost of such construction and repairs have been made by the said Engineers of said counties which estimates are now on file in the Offices of the County Clerks of said counties, and

WHEREAS, the Boards of County Commissioners of said counties have in this joint session of said Boards adopted and approved said plans specifications and estimates and desire to have a letting of contract for the construction of same, and

WHEREAS upon the motion of Commissioner, John Yost, that said plans and specifications be adopted and approved which motion was seconded by Commissioner, Ray C. Ogden, after which said motion was discussed, duly put, and declared unanimously carried, and

WHEREAS, motion was made that the estimates be accepted and approved said motion being made by Commissioner, Elmer W. Ousdahl, duly seconded by Commissioner, R. D. Kimmel, was discussed, duly put, and declared unanimously carried, and

WHEREAS, the estimated cost of said construction and repairs amounts to One Hundred Five Thousand Dollars (\$105,000.00), and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by said parties that federal assistance will be received in said construction and repairs in the amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) from the Housing and Home Finance Agency, a Federal Agency, and

WHEREAS, motion was made by Commissioner, Ray C. Ogden, that the Construction and repairs be jointly supervised by the County Engineers of said counties which motion was seconded by Commissioner, John W. Burkert, discussed, duly put, and declared unanimously carried.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND AGREED by and between the Boards of County Commissioners of said counties that said plans and specifications and estimates hereinbefore described and referred to, be and the same are hereby adopted and approved as filed in the Offices of the County Clerks of said counties; that the construction costs shall be born as follows: Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) by the Home and Housing Finance Agency, a Federal Agency; Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) by Jefferson County, Kansas; Twenty Thousand Dollars by Douglas County, Kansas; that the construction of said repairs and construction shall be jointly supervised by the County Engineers of said counties; that the County Clerks of said counties shall immediately give not less than twenty days notice of the letting of contracts for said repairs and constructions, as provided by law.

*Joint Resolution
by Jefferson Co. Co.
regarding reconstruction
of Lecompton Bridge*