COMMISSIONERS COURT
REGULAR MEETING
JANUARY 20, 2026

BE IT REMEMBERED that on this day, the Commissioners Court of Kaufman County, Texas met in a Regular Meeting in the Commissioners Court Meeting Room, Kaufman Texas with the following members present: **Jakie Allen**, County Judge; **Terry Crow,** Commissioner Precinct 1; **Skeet Phillips,** Commissioner Precinct 2; **Kelly Lane,** Commissioner Precinct 3; **Tommy Moore**, Commissioner Precinct 4; **Laura Hughes,** County Clerk.

INVOCATION;
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG;
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE TEXAS FLAG;
REMARKS FROM VISITORS;

CONSENT AGENDA

2. There came on to be a motion to accept the Consent Agenda.

A. Accept Commissioners Court Meeting Minutes for January 13, 2026.

Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Terry Crow.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE ORDER

3. There came on to be a motion to approve an Order Prohibiting Outdoor Burning (Burn Ban).
Motion was made by Commissioner Terry Crow and seconded by Commissioner Skeet Phillips.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO ACCEPT REPORT

4. There came on to be a motion to accept the Collection's Department 4th Quarter 2025 Analysis.
Motion was made by Commissioner Tommy Moore and seconded by Commissioner Kelly Lane.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO ACCEPT REPORT

5. There came on to be a motion to accept the Veterans Services Department Quarterly Report for 1st Quarter FY 2026.
Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Tommy Moore.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO ACCEPT REPORT

6. There came on to be a motion to accept the Kaufman County Treasurer's Monthly Report for December 2025.
Motion was made by Commissioner Kelly Lane and seconded by Commissioner Terry Crow.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered,

MOTION TO ACCEPT REPORT

7. There came on to be a motion to accept the Kaufman County Treasurer's Quarterly Investment Report for October through December 2025.
Motion was made by Commissioner Terry Crow and seconded by Commissioner Skeet Phillips.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE CONTRACT

8. There came on to be a motion to approve a Contract with Axon to provide video evidence equipment, platform, evidence management system, and Taser CEW devices for Constable Precinct 2.
Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Tommy Moore.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO TABLE POLICY

9. There came on to be a motion to table Kaufman County CDL Drug and Alcohol Testing Policy.
Motion was made by Commissioner Tommy Moore and seconded by Commissioner Kelly Lane.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE VENDOR

10. There came on to be a motion to approve Collision & Crime, a sole source for Leica Geosystems RCT360 Laser Scanner for Sheriff's Office.
Motion was made by Commissioner Kelly Lane and seconded by Commissioner Terry Crow.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE PURCHASE

11. There came on to be a motion to approve the purchase of a Leica Geosystems RTC360 Laser Scanner for the Sheriff's Department, utilizing grant funds through Sole Source Procurement.
Motion was made by Commissioner Tommy Moore and seconded by Commissioner Kelly Lane.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE RECLASSIFICATION OF POSITION

12. There came on to be a motion to approve the reclassification of the current vacant Buyer 1 position to a Purchasing Administrative Coordinator position.
Motion was made by Commissioner Terry Crow and seconded by Commissioner Skeet Phillips.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE EASEMENT ACCESS

13. There came on to be a motion to approve granting Utility Easement and Covenant of Access to Farmers Electric Cooperative, Inc. for the Kaufman County Lake Ray Hubbard Facility.
Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Terry Crow.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE APPOINTMENTS

14. There came on to be a motion to approve the correction to December 30, 2025, Commissioner's Court appointment of ESD #6 Commissioners. This correction is as follows: On December 10, 2024, the Commissioners Court appointed ESD #6 Commissioners Mark Duncan, Mario Luna, and Robert Schlebach for a 2-year term ending on December 31, 2026. Mark Duncan, Mario Luna, and Robert Schlebach remain ESD #6 Commissioners until the expiration of their terms on December 31, 2026.
Bradley Lewis and Sandra Taylor are appointed to a 2-year term beginning retroactively on January 1, 2026, and expiring on December 31, 2027. Dana Curry and Rick Barnes are not re-appointed as their terms expired on December 31, 2025.
Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Terry Crow.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE SCHEDULING PUBLIC HEARING

15. There came on to be a motion to approve scheduling a Public Hearing by Resolution regarding the Petitions for the Creation of Kaufman County Fresh Water Supply District No. 8-10 and related districts for a single project, located in the unincorporated area of the County, and issue notice of date and time of public hearing.
Motion was made by Commissioner Terry Crow and seconded by Commissioner Tommy Moore.
Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE EXITING REGULAR MEETING AND ENTER INTO PUBLIC HEARING

16. There came on to be a motion to approve exiting Regular Meeting and enter into Public Hearing.

17. Public Hearing; to receive input regarding not allowing Thru Trucks and placing "No Thru Truck" signs on the following County Roads within Precinct 4: County Road 4024; using SH 274 to County Road 4023.

Motion was made by Commissioner Tommy Moore and seconded by Commissioner Kelly Lane.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

PUBLIC HEARING

17. Public Hearing held. No one from the Public spoke on the topic.

MOTION TO APPROVE EXITING PUBLIC HEARING AND ENTER INTO REGULAR MEETING

18. There came on to be a motion to approve exiting Public Hearing and enter into Regular Meeting.

Motion was made by Commissioner Tommy Moore and seconded by Commissioner Terry Crow.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE ORDER

19. There came on to be a motion to approve not allowing thru trucks on the portion of County Road 4024, located in the unincorporated area of Kaufman County Precinct 4 and placing "No Thru Truck" signs on the following County Road within Precinct 4: County Road 4024; using SH 274 to County Road 4023.

Motion was made by Commissioner Tommy Moore and seconded by Commissioner Kelly Lane.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE LINE-ITEM AND BUDGET TRANSFERS/CORRECTIONS

20. There came on to be a motion to approve Line-Item and Budget Transfers/Corrections.

Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Kelly Lane.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE CLAIMS FOR PAYMENT

21. There came on to be a motion to approve Claims for Payment.

Motion was made by Commissioner Kelly Lane and seconded by Commissioner Tommy Moore.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

MOTION TO APPROVE EXITING REGULAR MEETING AND ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

22. There came on to be a motion to approve exiting Regular Meeting and enter into Executive Session.

A. Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.071, Consult with counsel regarding pending or contemplated litigation, subjects, or settlement offers, including but not limited to:

i. Kaufman County, Texas v. Texas General Mechanical et al

ii. Construction Law Matters.

iii. Potential claims/cases involving EEOC, Civil Rights, county issues.

Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Terry Crow.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Executive Session was held. Judge has certified agenda.

MOTION TO APPROVE EXITING EXECUTIVE SESSION AND ENTER INTO REGULAR MEETING

23. There came on to be a motion to approve exiting Executive Session and enter into Regular Meeting.

Motion was made by Commissioner Kelly Lane and seconded by Commissioner Tommy Moore.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

NO ACTION TAKEN ON ITEM 23

MOTION TO ADJOURN

24. There came on to be a motion to adjourn.

Motion was made by Commissioner Skeet Phillips and seconded by Commissioner Tommy Moore.

Motion was put to a vote. Motion carried and is so ordered.

I, Laura Hughes, County Clerk of Kaufman County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above Commissioner Court Minutes are true and correct record of the proceedings from the Commissioners Court Meeting.

ATTEST:

Laura Hughes

Laura Hughes, County Clerk

COMMISSIONERS COURT
KAUFMAN COUNTY, TEXAS