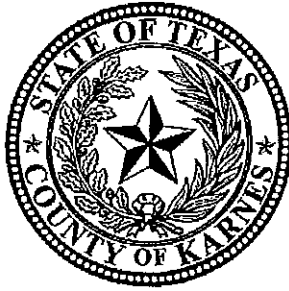


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Commissioner, Precinct 1

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Commissioner, Precinct 2

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JAMIE LEAL, COUNTY CLERK
KARNES COUNTY, TEXAS

Mary C. Rio Deputy

James Rosales
Commissioner, Precinct 3

Wade J. Hedtke
Karnes County Judge

Wesley Gisler
Commissioner, Precinct 4

**NOTICE OF MEETING
COMMISSIONERS COURT OF KARNES COUNTY TEXAS**

Notice is hereby given that the governing body of **Karnes County Commissioners Court** will hold a **Regular Meeting** on **Tuesday, June 23, 2026 at 9:00 AM** in the Karnes County Historic Courtroom, located at 101 North Panna Maria Avenue, Suite 200, Karnes City, Texas 78118 to discuss the following items of Karnes County business in accordance with Local Government Code 551*:

1. Welcome.
2. Quorum Present. ___ Yes ___ No Absent: _____
3. Opening Prayer.
4. Pledge of Allegiance.
5. Citizens to be heard.
Names: _____
6. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Authorizing the County Judge to execute a contract with Traylor & Associates, Inc., as previously awarded on November 26, 2024, for grant administration and environmental services related to Texas Department of Agriculture Grant Contract No. CDV25-0352. **Author: Judge Wade J. Hedtke/Traylor & Associates, Inc.**
7. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Authorizing the County Judge to execute a contract with Cope Engineering, as previously awarded on February 24, 2026 for engineering services related to Texas Department of Agriculture Grant Contract NO. CDV25-0352. **Author: Judge Wade J. Hedtke/Traylor & Associates Inc.**

8. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Establishing a Salary Grievance Committee pursuant to Local Government Code 152.014 and determination of the Salary Grievance Committee. **Author: Judge Wade J. Hedtke**
9. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Proposal and Renewal for FY 2027 employee health insurance benefits with TAC HEBP and authorizing the County Judge to sign contract. **Author: Elaine Simmons-HR Director**
10. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: County specific incentive program for employee health benefits for FY 2027. **Author: Elaine Simmons-HR Director**
11. Discuss/Take possible action: Re-establish GL Code 100-403-4260 for mileage reimbursement purposes for the Karnes County Clerk's Office. **Author: Jamie Leal-Co. Clerk**
12. Discuss/Take possible action: To transfer \$1,000 from GL code 100-403-4270 (Conference Expense) into GL code 100-403-4260 (Mileage Reimbursement). **Author: Jamie Leal-Co. Clerk**
13. Discuss/Take possible action: To approve reimbursement to Griselda Cantu for mileage expenses incurred from the beginning of Fiscal Year 2025-2026 through the current date, to be paid from GL code 100-403-4260 (Mileage Reimbursement). **Author: Jamie Leal-Co. Clerk**
14. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Recommendation by DRG Architects and Commissioner Precinct 4-Wes Gisler to approve final construction documents for the Precinct 4 EMS Satellite Building Project and authorize DRG Architects to take all actions necessary to issue construction documents for competitive sealed proposals for construction. **Author: Wes Gisler-Comm. Prct.#4**
15. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Recommendation by DRG Architects and Commissioner Precinct 4-Wes Gisler to approve final construction documents for the Precinct 4 Service Center and J.P. Office Building Project and authorize DRG Architects to take all actions necessary to issue construction documents for competitive sealed proposals for construction. **Author: Wes Gisler-Comm. Prct.#4**
16. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Request by Precinct 4 Commissioner to authorize Karnes County Road & Bridge to shred the property in Runge owned by Karnes County in preparation for planned construction of the Precinct 4 Service Center and EMS Station. **Author: Wes Gisler-Comm. Prct.#4**
17. Discuss/Take Possible Action: declaring an Osaki massage chair as salvage, serial # 385P218060117, and authorizing disposal by the Sheriff's Office. **Author: David Wiatrek-Comm. Prct.#1**

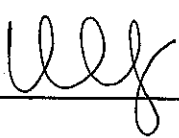
18. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Approve creation of a new General Ledger Account "Fuel" within Lonestar Grant #5371101 transferring \$20,000.00 of the \$100,000.00 received from Salaries GL 197-197-1210. This transfer has been confirmed as allowed per the grant provisions by the State. **Author: Sheriff Steve Bailey**
19. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Emergency underfloor repairs of plumbing due to massive swelling & heaving of the underfloor concrete mud slab at the County Jail (Phase I). Expense of \$55,736.00 to come from Jail Facility settlement line item GL 100-500-5742. **Author: Sheriff Steve Bailey**
20. Discuss/Take possible action: Public resale of trust properties pursuant to Chapter 34 of the Texas Property Tax Code. **Author: Tammy Braudaway-Tax Assessor-Collector/John T. Banks-Perdue, Brandon Fielder Collins & Mott LLP**
21. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Appointing Tammy Braudaway, Karnes County Tax Assessor-Collector to calculate the no new benchmark tax rates and the voter approval benchmark tax rates for the county for the 2026 tax year. **Author: Tammy Braudaway-Tax Assessor-Collector**
22. **Consent Agenda**

ALL MATTERS LISTED UNDER CONSENT AGENDA ARE CONSIDERED BY THE COURT TO BE ROUTINE IN NATURE AND, AS SUCH, WILL BE ENACTED BY ONE MOTION. THERE WILL NOT BE SEPARATE DISCUSSION OF THE INDIVIDUAL ITEMS. IF DISCUSSION IS DESIRED, THAT ITEM or ITEMS WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA AND WILL BE "CONSIDERED AND ACTED UPON" SEPARATELY.

A. Reports:

- 1) Justice of the Peace Pct #1
- 2) Justice of the Peace Pct #3
- 3) Justice of the Peace Pct #4
- 4) Elections Dept.
- 5) I.T. Dept.
- 6) Maintenance Dept.
- 7) Sheriff's Dept.
- 8) Constable Pct #1
- 9) Constable Pct #4
- 10) Constable Pct #3
- 11) AES

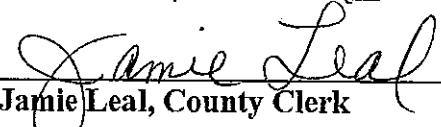
- 23. Discuss any item(s) from consent agenda to be considered and acted upon.
- 24. Updates From:
 - A. County Judge
 - B. Commissioner Pct. #1
 - C. Commissioner Pct. #2
 - D. Commissioner Pct. #3
 - E. Commissioner Pct. #4
- 25. Reports From:
 - A. Tax Assessor/Collector
- 26. Discuss/Acknowledgement of Personnel Changes - reporting by all departments on any changes in respective departments.
- 27. Payment of bills.
- 28. Acknowledge the Commissioners Court will meet on **July 14, 2026 at 9:00 AM**, in the Karnes County Historic Courtroom, located at 101 North Panna Maria Avenue, Suite 200, Karnes City, Texas 78118.
- 29. Adjourn.



Wade J. Hedtke
Karnes County Judge

***Karnes County Commissioners Court reserves the right to adjourn into Executive Session at any time during a regular or special called meeting to discuss any matters listed on the agenda, as authorized by Texas Government Code 551.**

CERTIFICATE: I hereby certify that the foregoing notice was duly posted by me on the Legal Notices Board and the Front Glass (East Entrance) at the Karnes County Offices on the Square located at 210 West Calvert, Karnes City, Texas on the 16TH day of JUNE, 2026, at 9:03 A.M., which is at least 3 business days prior to the scheduled meeting.



Jamie Leal, County Clerk

By Deputy: 
