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NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE
COMMISSIONERS COURT OF BOWIE COUNTY, TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the above-named Commissioners Court will be held on the **23rd day of February 2026 at 9:00 A.M.** in the County Courthouse, New Boston, Texas, at which time the following subjects will be discussed to-wit

I. Preliminaries

1. Invocation
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Announcements

II. Agenda

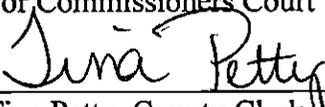
Call to Order.

1. Public Comments – public comments shall be limited to 3 minutes per presenter who submitted a public participation form at least 15 minutes before the start of the meeting. Comments must be pertinent to an agenda item or an area for which the Court has jurisdiction. The total allocated time is 30 minutes for all comments.
2. Commissioners Court response to public comments.
3. Consider and take action to approve a Resolution Supporting Legislation to Improve County Road Infrastructure and Safety.
4. Consider and take action to pay Four States Fiber the payment of \$690,993.00 from ARP Funds for the Bowie County Fiber Ring Project.
5. Consider and take action to appoint Lance Hall as Bowie County Fire Marshal for a two-year term ending February 2028.
6. Consider and take action to approve the bond of Lance Hall as Fire Marshal.
7. Consider and take action to approve a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) concerning Inter-Agency cooperation and Protocol for Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) between Red River Army Depot (RRAD) and Bowie County Sheriff's Office.
8. Consider and take action to approve the Treasurer's Monthly Report ending January 2026.

9. Consider and take action to appoint Aron Crabtree to the Board of Commissioners for ESD #5 for a one-year term.
10. Consider and take action to approve the Auditor's Monthly Report for January 2026.
11. Consider and take action to approve budget adjustments (line-item transfers).
12. Consider and take action re: payment of accounts payable and payroll.
13. Consider and take action to approve or to amend minutes as an order of the court.
14. **Adjourn Executive Session pursuant to the following Sections:**
 - a. Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code; Consultation with attorney regarding legal issues relating to pending or contemplated litigation.
 - b. Section 551.072 of the Texas Government Code; Deliberation of the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.
 - c. Section 551.074 of the Texas Government Code; Personnel Matters.
 - d. Section 551.087 of the Texas Government Code; Deliberation regarding Economic Development Negotiations.
15. Consider and take action to authorize the County Judge to execute settlement participation and release forms regarding confidential partial settlement matters in the Texas opioid multi-district litigation for Bowie County in the matter of *County of Bowie v. Purdue Pharma, L.P., et al.*

III. Adjournment.

For Commissioners Court

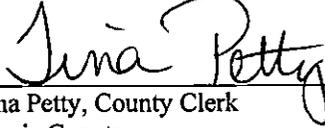


Tina Petty, County Clerk

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Any invocation that may be offered before the official start of the meeting of the Court shall be the voluntary offering of a private citizen, to and for the benefit of the Court. The views or beliefs expressed by the invocation speaker have not been previously reviewed or approved by the Court and do not necessarily represent the religious beliefs or views of the Court in part or as a whole. No member of the community is required to attend or participate in the invocation, and such a decision will have no impact on their right to actively participate in the business of the Court.

Dated the 17th day of February 2026.



Tina Petty, County Clerk
Bowie County