

**STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LEON**

**IN THE COMMISSIONERS COURT
OF LEON COUNTY, TEXAS**

On this the 25th day of July 2024, the Commissioners Court of Leon County, Texas, met for special called meeting at 1 p.m. with the following members present:

Byron Ryder – County Judge
Joey Sullivan – Commissioner Pct. No. 1
Paul Bing – Commissioner Pct. No. 2
Kyle Workman– Commissioner Pct. No. 3
T. J. Foley – Commissioner Pct. No. 4

Together with County Clerk Christie Wakefield, serving as an ex-officio member of the Commissioners Court, County Auditor Melissa Abney, County Treasurer Brandi Hill, Sheriff Kevin Ellis, Constable-Elect John Franks, District Attorney Caleb Henson and County Attorney Keith Cook.

1. OPEN COURT WITH PRAYER AND PLEDGES.

Commissioner Sullivan opened the meeting with prayer; pledges to the American and Texas flag were rendered.

2. DISCUSS AND POSSIBLY TAKE ACTION ON CLAIMS DUE.

None submitted.

3. DISCUSS AND POSSIBLY TAKE ACTION ON MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING(S).

None submitted.

4. REVIEW AND APPROVE PAYROLL.

None submitted.

5. DISCUSS AND POSSIBLY TAKE ACTION ON ANY BUDGET ITEMS, TAX RATES, SALARIES, EXPENSES, AND ALLOWANCES FOR 2024-2025 BUDGET.

Commissioner Workman made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Foley to qualify District Attorney Caleb Henson as a full-time employee, in regard to the 2024-2025 budget salary increase.

MOTION CARRIED.

Judge Ryder made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Workman to increase the annual stipend of Veteran Service Officer Kimberly Cervantes to \$10,000 for the next budget year.

MOTION CARRIED.

Commissioner Workman made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Foley to raise the part time hourly rate up to \$18 per hour for the part time Elections employee, effective for the first payroll in October 2024.

MOTION CARRIED.

Commissioner Workman made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Foley to increase the part-time hourly rate up to \$18 an hour for the Treasurer's part time employee, effective for the first payroll in October 2024.

MOTION CARRIED.

Commissioner Sullivan made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Foley to leave the Senior Nutrition meal delivery service as it is now for the next budget year.

MOTION CARRIED.

Commissioner Workman made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Sullivan, to increase the part-time hourly rate up to \$18 an hour for the 2 part-time deputies and the 1 part time jailer, effective the first payroll in October.

MOTION CARRIED.

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS.

None submitted.

7. ADJOURN.

Commissioner Sullivan made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Bing to adjourn.

MOTION CARRIED; MEETING ADJOURNED.

SIGNED AND APPROVED this the _____ day of _____, 2024.

Byron Ryder, County Judge

Joey Sullivan, Commissioner Pct. No. 1

Paul Bing, Commissioner Pct. No. 2

Kyle Workman, Commissioner Pct. No. 3

T. J. Foley, Commissioner Pct. No. 4

ATTEST:

Christie Wakefield, Leon County Clerk