## THE STATE OF TEXAS

## **REGULAR MEETING**

#### COUNTY OF MCCULLOCH

**JULY 8, 2024** 

The Commissioner's Court of McCulloch County met in Regular Session on the 08<sup>TH</sup> day of July, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. with the following present:

Frank Trull County Judge Carol Anderson Commissioner Pct. #1 Randy Deans Commissioner Pct. #2 Jason Behrens Commissioner Pct. #3 Don Bratton Commissioner Pct. #4 Melanie Tovar **Deputy County Clerk** Mikkie Williams **County Treasurer Greg Torres County Attorney** 

Matt Andrews Sheriff

Invocation was given by Commissioner Behrens followed by the Pledge to the U.S. and Texas Flags.

### **Public Comment:**

#### MINUTES:

Minutes from May 28, 2024 were presented and approved with Commissioner Deans making the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

Minutes from June 03, 2024 were presented and approved with Commissioner Deans making the motion and Commissioner Behrens seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

Minutes from June 10, 2024 were presented and approved with Commissioner Anderson making the motion and Commissioner Behrens seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

Minutes from June 24, 2024 were presented and approved with Commissioner Anderson making the motion and Commissioner Deans seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

Bills for July 08, 2024 were presented and approved with Commissioner Deans making the motion and Commissioner Behrens seconded. All in favor Motion carried. 5-0

**Elected Officials/Department Heads:** County Sheriff Matt Andrews introduced his newest deputy Zach Johnson to the Court.

Randy Deans spoke on the windows at the courthouse.

County Judge Frank Trull informed the Court that the installation of the new Phones for McCulloch County will take place on July 11, 2024. Judge Trull also reported that the District Courtroom lights have been repaired and replaced.

## Discussion:

 Discussion with possible action on the purchasing Land Pride Shredder per quote received that will come from ARPA Funds or Road and Bridge Capital Outlay FY 2023/2024. Commissioner Behrens made the motion to purchase Land Pride Shredder with ARPA funds and Commissioner Anderson seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

# Action:

- The Court approved FY 2024/2025 County employee basic term life insurance through The Standard Insurance Company. Commissioner Anderson made the motion with Commissioner Behrens seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.
- The Court discussed, acted, and approved FY 2024/2025 County employee voluntary long term and short-term disability insurance through One America Insurance Company. Commissioner Behrens made the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.
- The Court discussed, acted, and approved the Contract and Agreement for detention of Juvenile
  Offenders between the Juvenile Board of San Patricio County and Juvenile Board of McCulloch
  County through the McCulloch County Commissioners Court. Commissioner Deans made the
  motion with Commissioner Behrens seconded. All in favor Motion carried. 5-0
- 4. The Court discussed, acted, and approved appointing Greg Torres to the Board of Trustees of Central Texas Mental Health and Mental Retardation Center DBA Center for Life Resources. Commissioner Behrens made the motion with Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.

- The Court discussed, acted, and approved a line-item transfer from Capital Outlay 0015.0415.5010 to Materials 0015.0415.4453 in the amount of \$5,000.00 for purchase of road materials.
   Commissioner Behrens made the motion with Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0
- The Court discussed, acted, and approved the opening of the sealed bids for the hauling of crushed rock/caliche mix to be used on FEMA project in Precinct #4. Commissioner Deans made the motion and Commissioner Anderson seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.
- 7. The Court discussed, acted, approved and awarded DNC Trucking and Water Express for the hauling of crushed rock/caliche mix to be used on FEMA project in Precinct #4. Commissioner Deans made the motion with Commissioner Behrens seconded. County Judge Frank Trull was against this motion and award. Motion carries. 4-1.
- 8. The Court approved the opening of the sealed bids for the purchase of crushed rock/caliche mix to be used on FEMA project in Precinct #4. Commissioner Deans made the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.
- 9. The Court discussed, acted, approved and awarded Hannah Material for the purchase of crushed rock/caliche mix to be used on FEMA project in Precinct #4. Commissioner Deans made the motion and Commissioner Anderson seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.

Commissioner Deans made the motion for RECESS at 10:35 a.m. with Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.

## **RECESS**

10. In Budget Workshop with Commissioner Deans making the motion at 10:50 a.m. and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion Carries. 5-0

Having no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:04 P.M. with Commissioner Deans making the motion and seconded by Commissioner Bratton. All in favor motion carried. 5-0

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THURSE COUNTY

County Judge

Christine A. Jones

**County Clerk**