

THE STATE OF TEXAS

REGULAR MEETING

COUNTY OF MCCULLOCH

AUGUST 11, 2025

The Commissioner's Court of McCulloch County met in Regular Session on the 11th day of August 2025 at 9:00 a.m. with the following present:

Frank Trull	County Judge
Carol Anderson	Commissioner Pct. #1
Randy Deans	Commissioner Pct. #2
Rod Young	Commissioner Pct. #3
Don Bratton	Commissioner Pct. #4
Mikkie Williams	County Treasurer
Greg Torres	County Attorney
Matt Andrews	County Sheriff

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

Public Comment: Bruce James addressed the court on two agenda items, #3, and #8. Mr. James gave recognition to County Judge Trull and Commissioner Anderson on their work for McCulloch County; He is in favor of the proposed salary increases to further help and keep good employees in current positions. Mr. James would like the court to support a Resolution in opposition to the 765 KV transmission line route through McCulloch County.

Lisa Dodd spoke to the court and is against the 5% raise for elected officials and the stipend for County Commissioners. Mrs. Dodd would like to see raises for lower paid positions.

MINUTES:

BILLS:

Bills for August 11, 2025, were presented and approved with the correction of a \$1800.00 Water Xpress and Construction, LLC bill being split between precincts 2,3, and 4. Commissioner Deans made the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carried. 5-0

Elected Officials/Department Heads: County Judge Frank Trull submitted a letter of request for assistance to the NRCS for the emergency Watershed Protection Grant along with the request for Public Assistance through the FEMA portal. Judge Trull also reported there was another fire alarm problem in the attic. Not sure if it was from the recent rains because it is in an area that leaked. Judge Trull also met with the insurance adjuster last week and TAC will not cover the roof damage. He suggested that the court meet with County Attorney Greg Torres to see what options will be available.

Discussion: 1. Tonya Alschwede discussed with the court the designation of the McCulloch County Treasurer the responsibility for managing the 452nd District Attorney's funds effective September 1, 2025. Mason County has been managing the DA's budget, now County Treasurer Mikkie Williams has agreed to manage the funds for better clarity and transparency.

2. Discussion and presentation from Mark Moseley, McCulloch County SWCD easements and ONCOR/LCRA proposed 765 KV transmission line was heard. Mr. Moseley reported that SWCD holds permanent easements for conservation dams and prior approval from SWCD is required before structures are added and some easements restrict construction of structures in easement due to altering natural flow of water for flood control. Dam Watch tagged 5 dams in the last rains event for surveillance. The dams held as designed.

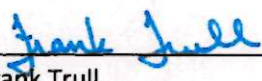
3. Discussion was held on the FY 2025-2026 proposed increases to Elected Officials salaries, supplements, vehicle stipends, and longevity pay. Judge Trull has proposed a 5% raise and a \$2000.00 stipend for Commissioners', which is an increase from \$1500.00 to the \$2000.00 for Precincts 1 and 3. Commissioner Bratton concedes it is a fair proposal. Commissioner Deans also agrees with proposed salaries by Judge Trull, Commissioner Anderson agrees with the 5% raise as long as it does not raise taxes. Commissioner Young agrees 5% is reasonable and wants to keep good people in their jobs. Commissioner Young will donate his raise back to the General Fund.

Action:

1. The Court acted and approved the use of the Courthouse Lawn for 4-H "Fair on the Square" September 10, 2025, from 5-7 PM. Commissioner Young made the motion with Commissioner Deans seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.

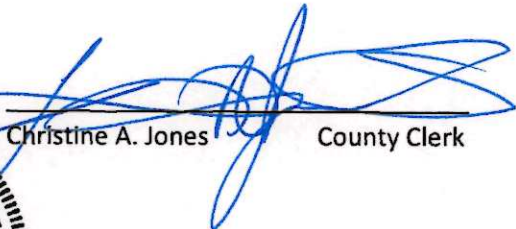
2. The Court acted and approved CTTC request of a road crossing permit on CR 326 in precinct #3, originating from existing hand hole 701-21L/HH2 boring south under the road onto private property. This crossing is necessary to provide a local community building in Pct. #3 with access to 911, telephone and internet services. Commissioner Deans made the motion to approve the road crossing with the change of precinct #4 on the agenda to Precinct #3 and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0.
3. The Court heard and discussed the request for an update by Kelsy White on CR 472, West 377 over the hill and request from FEMA to document damages, seek engineering recommendations and FEMA/disaster funding or improvements also requesting exact locations of existing culverts for them to also be looked at by the engineer. NO ACTION was taken at this time. Commissioner Bratton and Commissioner Young are working on the problem with Commissioner Young doing PSTAT for emergency work. Davey Kroll addressed the court and is very appreciative of the work and effort that has been done so far. Commissioner Bratton made the motion for NO ACTION with Commissioner Young seconded. All in favor Motion carried. 5-0
4. The Court acted and approved the County Judge to apply for the SB 22 Grant on behalf of the Sheriff's Office with Sheriff Andrews in agreement. Commissioner Deans made the motion with Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0
5. The Court acted and approved the Interlocal Agreement for E9-1-1 Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) Service between McCulloch County and the Concho Valley Council of Governments. The term will begin September 1, 2025, and shall terminate on August 31, 2027. Commissioner Young made the motion with Commissioner Deans seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0
6. The Court acted and approved a contract and agreement for Juvenile offender detention services between Taylor County and McCulloch County. Commissioner Deans made the motion with Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0
7. The Court acted and approved a Juvenile service agreement between Grayson County and McCulloch County. Commissioner Young made the motion with Commissioner Deans seconded. All in Favor Motion Carries. 5-0
8. The Court acted and approved increases to Elected Officials salaries, supplements, vehicle stipends, and longevity pay for FY 2025-2026 for publication per Local Government Code 152.013. Commissioners Anderson and Young agreed to donate their 5% increase back to the General Fund. Commissioner Deans made the motion with Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

Having no further business, the meeting adjourned at 10:25 AM with Commissioner Deans making the motion and seconded by Commissioner Bratton. All in favor motion carried. 5-0



Frank Trull County Judge





Christine A. Jones County Clerk