#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

#### COUNTY OF MCCULLOCH

JUNE 23, 2025

The Commissioner's Court of McCulloch County met in Regular Session on June 23, 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

Christine A. Jones

County Clerk

Mikkie Williams **Greg Torres** 

County Treasurer

County Attorney

Matt Andrews

County Sheriff

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

**PUBLIC COMMENTS: NONE** 

#### MINUTES:

Minutes from June 09, 2025, were presented and approved with correction. Commissioner Deans made the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

Minutes from June 16, 2025, were presented and approved with correction. Commissioner Deans made the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

### BILLS:

Bills from June 23, 2025, were presented and approved with Commissioner Deans making the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

ELECTED OFFICIALS/DEPARTMENT HEADS: Commissioner Anderson reported that she and the County Judge Frank Trull attended the burn pile presentation. There were 20 to 21 people in attendance and the presentation was highly informative. Commissioner Anderson also reported to the Court that Governor Abbott vetoed the Hemp ban in Texas.

County Judge Frank Trull reported that it is time for the Courthouse Preservation Historical Society funding cycle to begin.

County Treasurer Mikkie Williams attended the BPU conference last week and got to meet with our Representative from the Governor's office, and in turn learned a lot about the procedures of the BPU program. She will be attending meetings in Del Rio and Eagle Pass to learn of new grants on jail and bail reform making it more difficult to bond out of jail in certain circumstances.

DISCUSSION: 1. Carol Anderson addressed the Court, and discussion was held on Precinct #2 to use special road and bridge funds for emergency road repair. Commissioner Anderson informed the public and court on the election process of how the court set the tax for special road and bridge funds. The court agreed to research values in all precincts to see how to distribute funds according to legislative laws. Commissioner Deans needs material to fix his roads so that they are more passable, in which TDEM has not gotten all of his information loaded into the system yet. County Treasurer Mikkie Williams requested the name of the fund be changed as to what the election determined. Currently there is \$300,000.00 available in funds.

# **ACTION:**

- The Court discussed and approved the McCulloch County Conservation Association (MCCA) grant request for the 2025-2025 budget cycle presented by Grant Jones. The amount of the request is \$38,400.00 which has not changed in seven years. Commissioner Anderson made the motion to accept the request of \$38,400.00 by the MCCA and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor motion carries. 5-0
- 2. The Court approved the budget line-item adjustment for criminal, probate, and guardianship records data load project by LGS from Security Forms 0010.0402.4328 to Document Preservation 0010.0402.4428 in the amount of \$4000.00 to finish out the Preservation and Restoration project by Terrologic for the County Clerk's office. Commissioner Deans made the motion to accept the line item adjustment of \$4,000.00 and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor motion carries. 5-0
- 3. The Court discussed and rejected the bid by Nandin Construction on the paint/caulk of the exterior of 101 N. High Street County Clerk/Tax Assessor office. This is to be able to advertise and ask for more bids with better breakdown and explanation of cost and processes. Commissioner Young made the motion to reject this bid and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor motion carries. 5-0
- 4. The Court discussed and approved the composition of the elected official salary grievance committee per Texas Local Government Code section 152.014 (a) (1) or section 152.014 (a) (2). Commissioner Anderson made the motion to accept the composition of the official salary grievance committee using Texas Local Government Code section 152.014 (a) (1), with Commissioner Deans seconded. All in favor motion carries. 5-0
- The Court approved donations, memorials, and reporting monies received to the McCulloch County Library for May 1, 2025, through May 31, 2025. Commissioner Bratton made the motion to accept the donations, memorials, and reported monies to the McCulloch County Library with Commissioner Young seconded. All in favor motion carries. 5-0
- 6. The Court approved the McCulloch County Library Strategic Long-Range Plan for 2025-2029. Commissioner Deans made the motion to accept the McCulloch County Library Strategic Long-Range Plan with Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor motion carries. 5-0
- 7. The Court approved to move to Budget Workshop. Commissioner Anderson made the motion and Commissioner Young seconded. All in favor motion carries. 5-0

## **BUDGET WORKSHOP**

Discussion on Sheriff budget for the ability to hire a second administration assistant within his department.

County Commissioner's discussion on the hiring of 1 or 2 road hands and pay scale depending on experience of applicant.

Reset budget workshop to June 30, 2025

Having no further business, the meeting adjourned at 12:57 PM with Commissioner Deans making the motion and Commissioner Bratton seconded. All in favor Motion carries. 5-0

Frank Trull

County Judge

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County Clerk