L. W. "Nubbin" Cooper Jr. County Commissioner, Precinct 1

Chris Kirkendall
County Commissioner, Precinct 2



Amanda Young
County Commissioner, Precinct 3

Alvin Roberts
County Commissioner, Precinct 4

Wayne McDaniel
County Judge

COMMISSIONERS COURT OF HARDIN COUNTY, TEXAS HARDIN COUNTY COURTHOUSE - COMMISSIONERS COURTROOM (A-131)

NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING AND AGENDA TUESDAY | MARCH 23, 2021 | 10:00 A.M.

AGENDA AND MINUTES

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT ON MARCH 23, 2021, THERE WAS BEGUN AND HOLDEN A REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF HARDIN COUNTY, TEXAS, WITH THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS OF THE COURT PRESENT:

HONORABLE WAYNE MCDANIEL	HARDIN COUNTY JUDGE
HONORABLE L.W. COOPER, JR.	COMMISSIONER PCT. 1
HONORABLE CHRIS KIRKENDALL	COMMISSIONER PCT. 2
HONORABLE AMANDA YOUNG	COMMISSIONER PCT. 3
HONORABLE ALVIN ROBERTS	COMMISSIONER PCT. 4
HONORABLE GLENDA ALSTON	HARDIN COUNTY CLERK

WHEN THE FOLLOWING PROCEEDINGS WERE HAD AND ORDERS MADE TO-WIT; IN ADDITION TO THE ROUTINE BUSINESS OF THE COUNTY, THE SUBJECT OF SAID MEETING WILL BE THE FOLLOWING:

- 1) Call meeting to order. Judge Wayne McDaniel
- 2) Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance. Commissioner Chris Kirkendall
- 3) Approve Minutes of the March 9, 2021 Regular Meeting. *Glenda Alston, County Clerk*MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER ROBERTS

SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER YOUNG

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED AS PRESENTED

4) Consider approval of request to cancel all Registered Claims from March 9, 2021; and Approval of Cash Statement as presented. *Deborah McWilliams, County Treasurer* (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER ROBERTS

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED AS PRESENTED

5) Authorization to pay County bills as presented. Angela Gore, County Auditor (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER COOPER

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED AS PRESENTED

6) Consider acceptance of the audited financial statements for Hardin County ESD 4 for the year ending September 30, 2020. (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER COOPER SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER ROBERTS

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED AS PRESENTED

7) Discussion and possible action regarding refund exceeding \$500.00 limit for Account Numbers: 42552 for tax year 2019; and 42552, 110414, 43928, 123257, 92703, 119652, and 59314 for tax year 2020. Shirley Cook, Tax Assessor-Collector (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL

SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER COOPER

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED

8) Consider and possibly approve extending the Families First Coronavirus Response Act beyond the last pay period in March, 2021. *Debbie Mendisabal, Human Resources Director* (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL

SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER YOUNG

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED RECOMMENDATION TO MAKE SURE THE PERSON WHO IS OUT RIGHT NOW WOULD STILL BE COVERED THROUGH THE TIME HE/SHE COMES BACK TO WORK. AFTER THAT, IT WOULD NOT BE EXTENDED ANY FURTHER AND TO BRING TO COURT, CASE BY CASE.

9) Discussion and possible action to amend the Hours Worked and Overtime Policy to include emergency call outs without prior notification shall be compensated at the overtime rate for the hours worked due to the emergency (other than during a disaster/emergency closing). Commissioner L.W. Cooper, Jr, Precinct 1 (SEE ATTACHED)

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER COOPER SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED TO TABLE AGENDA ITEM #9

10) Permission to solicit bids for overlaying approximately 1.3 miles on Cooks Lake Rd and 0.8 miles on Peck Rd, located in Precinct 4. *Commissioner Alvin Roberts*

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER COOPER

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED

11) Consider request to authorize the County Judge to sign Agreement for engineering/sanitarian services relating to the 2019-2020 Texas Community Development Block Grant Program (TxCDBG) for Sewer Projects. *Misty Sims, Purchasing Agent*

MOTION BY: JUDGE MCDANIEL

SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER COOPER

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED TO TABLE AGENDA ITEM #11

12) Consider request to rescind authorization granted previously to apply for the 2021-2022 Texas Community Development Block Grant Program (TxCDBG), and reject all proposals received to date, and return/reject all proposals that are due on March 25, 2021 for Grant Administrator. *Misty Sims, Purchasing Agent*

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL

SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER YOUNG

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED

- 13) Discussion only of any item not on the Agenda without taking any action. Any County Official
- 14) Adjourn.

MOTION BY: COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL SECOND BY: COMMISSIONER COOPER

IN FAVOR: JUDGE MCDANIEL, COMMISSIONER KIRKENDALL, COMMISSIONER COOPER,

COMMISSIONER ROBERTS AND COMMISSIONER YOUNG.

ACTION: APPROVED

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*Any attendee of this Open Meeting may be permitted to comment on an Agenda item by raising their hand (or by verbal notification if joining remotely), and being recognized by the Chair prior to the Court taking action. Anyone who addresses Commissioners Court in person <u>must</u> do so from the podium.

This Open Meeting will be held in accordance with Governor Abbott's March 16, 2020 suspension of certain provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act, which are being implemented to maintain government transparency while mitigating the risk of spreading COVID-19. In-person attendance is limited to 20. Members of the public will be entitled to participate and address the Court during the meeting via remote access: Dial (877) 402-9753; Access Code 6995123 before the meeting begins. When you dial in, announce yourself, then mute your line.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

WAYNE MCDANIEL HARDIN COUNTY JUDGE

GLENDA ALSTON
HARDIN COUNTY CLERK