MINUTES OF COMMISSIONER COURT, MOORE COUNTY, TEXAS REGULAR SESSION, MONDAY, MARCH 10, 2025

STATE OF TEXAS {} COUNTY OF MOORE {}

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT ON THIS 10TH DAY OF MARCH, 2025 there came to be held a Regular Session of Commissioners Court of Moore County, Texas in the Commissioners Courtroom in the Courthouse in Dumas, Texas. The following persons were present to-wit: Rowdy Rhoades, County Judge; Daniel Garcia, Commissioner Precinct 1; Miles Mixon, Commissioner Precinct 2; Dee Vaughan, Commissioner Precinct 3; and County Clerk, Brenda McKanna

Court having been opened according to law the following proceedings were had to wit:

Commissioner Farni was absent from the meeting.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting of February 10, 2025 and Special Meeting of February 24, 2025. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried. Commissioner Vaughan "Abstained" from the meeting of February 24, 2025.

Motion was made by Commissioner Vaughan that the bills as presented by County Auditor, Coy Barton, be approved for payment and the County Treasurer is hereby directed to issue warrant-checks thereof. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Garcia. Motion carried

There was one bill presented for special handling:

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve the payment to Texas Association of Counties in the amount of \$200.00 for Greg McClelland to attend the County Technology Conference with expenditure to be paid from County Clerk Records Management Fund. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Mixon to approve the Temporary Cash and Investments dated March 10, 2025 as presented by Coy Barton, County Auditor and the County Treasurer's Report of Cash Disbursements of the same date, be approved and duly recorded in the Commissioner's Court Minutes. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Garcia. Motion carried.

Ben Maples, Moore County Appraisal District Board Member presented information about Eagleview-Drone Powered Property Data doing aerial views to appraise the value of property. Copy of presentation attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve the bid from Metal Concepts in the amount of \$39,500.00 for repairs at the Sunray Barn. Motion was seconded by Commissioner

Vaughan. Motion carried. Commissioner Mixon voted "No". Copy of bid attached and made a part hereof by references.

Anissa Purswell, Representative from the Moore County Soil and Water Conservation District presented an annual report for the fiscal year 2025 and asked the court if they would consider increasing their funding during the next budget to \$4,800.00. Copy of presentation and budget request attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve a permit for West Texas Gas to slick bore gas line on FM 281 & County Road 7 in Precinct 1. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried. Copy of permit attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Vaughan to approve the FY25 Moore County Resolution Indigent Defense Grant Program. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Garcia. Motion carried. Copy of resolution attached and made a copy hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Vaughan to table any action regarding the 2025 collection rates per parcel for the Tax Assessor Collector. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve a Resolution Supporting the Modifications to the Strategic Highway Network and Highway System by the Texas Department of Transportation. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried. Copy of resolution attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Vaughan to approach the museum board about becoming the Moore County Historical Commission and have the current commission to serve with the museum board members. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve the NASPO agreement authorizing T-Mobile to utilize NASPO for services as the purchasing vehicle. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried. Copy of agreement attached and made a part hereof by references.

Don Willingham, Airport Manager reported that gas rates have increased at the airport along with the cost of service from West Texas Gas. He stated he did reach out to West Texas Gas to confirm the new rate was correct and they did say the cost of gas has increased due to the Railroad Commission rate increase

Motion was made by Commissioner Mixon to declare Konica Minolta Bizhub C311P printer manufactured in September 2018, Serial #A6DR012109400 as surplus. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried. Copy of request from County Attorney attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Mixon to deposit restitution monies into the General Fund that was found by the County Attorney's office. Motion was seconded by Commissioner

Vaughan. Motion carried. Copy of letter from County Attorney's office attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve the promotion of Deputy Anthony Gray to Sergeant Deputy with an hourly rate of \$31.17 per hour effective March 1, 2025. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Mixon to approve the employment of Julissa Castillo as the District Attorney Crime Victims Coordinator effective February 11, 2025 with a monthly salary of \$3,437.32 with a supplement of \$693.33 per month with salary to be paid from the grant and the SB22 Funds. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried.

Raymond Tate, Road & Bridge Supervisor gave an update on the department. Raymond stated he has received a call from a person regarding placing a 4 way stop sign at the intersection of Rabbit & Regier in Etter. The court suggested that law enforcement take a look at the streets and then there will have to be two public hearings before placing any stop signs at the intersections. Raymond stated they are helping in Sunray and will be starting Starkey Road.

It appears there is no other business to come before the court. Motion was made by Commissioner Mixon to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried.

THE ABOVE AND FOREGOING MINUTES HAVING BEEN READ AND APPROVED, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT THEY BE AND ARE HEREBY APPROVED AS PRESENTED.

Commissioner Precinct 1, J. Daniel Garcia

Commissioner Precinct 3. Dee Vaughan

Brénda McKanna, County Clerk

Commissioner Precinct 2, Miles Mixon

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Commissioner Precinct 4, Colt Farni

County Judge, Rowdy Rhoades