

**MINUTES OF COMMISSIONERS COURT, MOORE COUNTY, TEXAS
SPECIAL SESSION, TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2026**

**STATE OF TEXAS }
COUNTY OF MOORE }**

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT ON THIS 26TH DAY OF MAY, 2026 there came to be held a Special Session of Commissioners Court of Moore County, Texas in the Commissioner's Courtroom of the Courthouse in Dumas, Texas. The following persons were present to wit: County Judge, Rowdy Rhoades; Daniel Garcia, Commissioner Precinct 1; Miles Mixon, Commissioner Precinct 2; Dee Vaughan, Commissioner Precinct 3; Colt Farni, Commissioner Precinct 4 and Brenda McKanna, County Clerk.

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

During routine announcements and reports County Treasurer, Kara Milligan announced the county would be hosting a county dinner and casino night on July 24, 2026. She stated she has completed the 2023-2024 SB22 audits.

Motion was made by Commissioner Farni that the bills 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 special handling presented for approval.
Motion was made by Commissioner Farni to approve the expenditure to Patrick Pirtle, Visiting Judge in the amount of \$940.46. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Farni to approve a gas line permit for TKO Gas to bore CR F and Texas Beef Road. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried. Copy of permit attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve the request from Humberto Mendoza to name a road Mendoza Avenue that is in the area of Section North 261 Block 44 with no county maintenance to the road in the near future. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Farni. Motion carried. Copy of information provided attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to approve the District Attorney's office updating the copy machine service lease with SPC in the amount of \$215.37 per month effective June 1, 2026 for a term of 60 months. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried. Copy of agreement attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Farni to extend the Burn Ban. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried. Copy of burn ban attached and made a part hereof by references.

Monty Hysinger, Dumas ISD Superintendent appeared before the court to ask the county to partner with the Dumas Independent School District in providing a School Resource Officer and would like to do a cost-sharing arrangement. It was discussed that a decision like this would need to be made regarding the budget. Commissioner Vaughan stated it would need to be placed in the budget, and it would be considered during budget hearings.

Motion was made by Commissioner Garcia to table action on county providing a School Resource Officer to Dumas ISD for further discussion. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Farni. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Vaughan to approve the flooring renovation for the Sheriff's office in the amount of \$13,060.00 which was a budgeted item. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried. Copy of quote attached and made a part hereof by references.

Motion was made by Commissioner Farni to approve the replacement of the elevator phone line with Plains Internet in the amount of \$2,008.19 with expenditure to be paid out over a period of three years. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried. Copy of quote attached and made a part hereof by references.

Randy Kelso, Road & Bridge Supervisor gave an update on the department. Randy stated they are working on Road 28 and Cemetery Road. He stated the summer hands drove the entire county and cleaned up bar ditches. They are working on a new flow line for water crossing on Zofness Road. Commissioner Vaughan stated County Road R and County Line needs some patching on them.

At 9:46 A.M. motion was made by Commissioner Vaughan that the court enter in Executive Session according to Govt. Code Sec. 551.074 to discuss personnel matters regarding Pretrial Services personnel. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Garcia. Motion carried.

At 10:10 A.M. motion was made by Commissioner Garcia that the court reconvene in open court. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Mixon. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Commissioner Mixon to take "No Action" regarding Pretrial Services personnel. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Vaughan. Motion carried.

It appears there is no other business to come before the court. Motion was made by Commissioner to 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.

Daniel Garcia
Commissioner Precinct.1, Daniel Garcia

Dee Vaughan
Commissioner Precinct 3, Dee Vaughan

Brenda McKanna
ATTEST: Brenda McKanna, County Clerk

- Absent -
Commissioner Precinct 2, Miles Mixon

Colt Farni
Commissioner Precinct 4, Colt Farni

Rowdy Rhoades
County Judge, Rowdy Rhoades

