# THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF ARCHER COUNTY, TEXAS

met in Regular Session on Monday, February 26, 2024 at 10:00 A.M.

Those present:

Randall C. Jackson County Judge

Wade Scarbrough
Darin Wolf
Pat Martin, III
Todd Herring
Commissioner, Precinct 1
Commissioner, Precinct 2
Commissioner, Precinct 3
Commissioner, Precinct 4

Karren Winter County Clerk

Jack Curd Sheriff

Diana Patterson Constable, Precinct 3
David Levy via Zoom County Attorney

Paul O. Wylie, Jr.
Patricia Vieth
Auditor
Treasurer

Nita Lewis Court Coordinator Lori Rutledge District Clerk

Paige McSpadden County Agent CEA ANR

Jay FranklinDeputy SheriffGreg AndersonDeputy Sheriff

#### **Public in Attendance:**

Nathan Lawson – Archer County News Leslie Hash; Clifton Russell - Citizens

# A. CALL TO ORDER

Greeting, Roll Call, and Determination of Quorum

Pledge of Allegiance to the United States and Texas Flags

Registration of Attendees by the County Clerk

The meeting was called to order by Randy Jackson, and a quorum was noted.

# B. Approve Final Agenda:

Item #5 was removed from the agenda.

# ORDER TO APPROVE FINAL AGENDA

The motion was made by Wade Scarbrough and seconded by Todd Herring to approve the Final Agenda. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

# C. <u>PUBLIC COMMENTS, MISCELLANEOUS REPORTS, DISCUSSIONS OR</u> PRESENTATIONS AGENDA:

Lori Rutledge advised the Court that she would be purchasing a new printer for her office.

Paige McSpadden gave the Court an update on Archer County Livestock results.

#### D. <u>ACTION AGENDA</u>

1. Approve departmental reports.

## ORDER TO APPROVE REPORTS

The motion was made by Pat Martin, III and seconded by Todd Herring to approve departmental reports: **Treasurer**; **Constable**, **Precinct 2**; **Extension Agent CEA-FCH**; **Extension Agent CEA ANR**; **Holliday Public Library**. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

Treasurer Financial Report ending February 15, 2024

Extension Agent CEA-FCH Extension and Travel Report January, 2024

**Extension and Travel Report February, 2024** 

Extension Agent CEA-ANR Extension and Travel Report December, 2023

# **Extension and Travel Report January, 2024**

Constable, Precinct 2 2023 Yearly Totals

December 2023 Calls for Service January 2024 Calls for Service

2023 Racial Profiling

Constable, Precinct 3 2023 Racial Profiling

2. Approve vouchers for payment.

#### ORDER TO APPROVE VOUCHERS

The motion was made by Todd Herring and seconded by Pat Martin, III to approve vouchers for payment. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

3. Approve line-item transfers. Randy Jackson discussed Precinct 3 transfer.

#### **ORDER TO APPROVE TRANSFERS**

The motion was made by Pat Martin, III and seconded by Wade Scarbrough to approve line-item transfers. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

Department - Account	Account Name	Increase	Decrease
031.0400.0103	Temporary Part-time Salaries	10,000.00	
031.0400.0340	Special Projects		10,000.00

4. Approve Education Certificates.

## **ORDER TO APPROVE CERTIFICATES**

The motion was made by Todd Herring and seconded by Pat Martin, III to approve Education Certificates. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

2023 VG Young School for Commissioners Courts 14 hours District 3 AgriLife Conference 7 hours

Patricia Vieth 2023 Certificate of Compliance Continuing Education

County Treasurers' Association of Texas Continuing Education 51<sup>st</sup> Annual County Treasurers' Spring Education 21 hours 75<sup>th</sup> Annual CTAT Conference 13.50 hours

**Public Funds Investment Act Continuing Education** 

51st Annual County Treasurers' Spring Education 5 hours 75th Annual CTAT Conference 3.50 hours

Diana Patterson TCOLE #3188 State and Federal Law Update 4 hours

Gregory M. Anderson Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access with CCH Recertification Test

Melonie Wheeler Andrews Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

**Cultural Diversity** 

TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access with CCH Recertification Test

Kristopher P. Asmus Basic Jail Certification for Texas Peace Officers

Ryan Chavis TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access with CCH Recertification Test

Justin Coleman Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access with CCH Recertification

Jack Curd, II Basic County Corrections Physical Skills Train the Trainer 32 hours

TMCEC Court Security – 10999 8 hours

Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

Center for Domestic Preparedness 1 hour
Use of Force in Jail Settings #3504 TCOLE 16 hours

**Interpersonal Communications in Corrections #3503** 

TCOLE 16 hours Local Rabies Control Authority 6 hours

Brandon Demoss TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access with CCH Recertification Test

Jesse Fleitman Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

**Defensive Driving** 

Jay Franklin Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

TCIC/TLETS Less Than Full Access with CCH Recertification Test

TMCEC Court Security – 10999 Field Training Officer #3702 TCOLE Basic Active Shooter Level I

Robert Guerra TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access with CCH Recertification Test

Dennis Hahn Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

Michael Hammel Basic Active Shooter Level I

Mason Hilbers TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access Test

**Basic County Corrections** 

Makayla Hughes Hall Crimes Against People w/Disabilities – 398

**Level 3 Security Awareness Certification** 

TCIC/TLETS Full Access with CCH/CCQ Recertification Test

**Objective Jail Classification** 

Basic Life Support (CPR and AED) Program

Whitney Johnson Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

TCIC/TLETS Full Access with CCH/CCQ Recertification Test

Carl Keener TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access Recertification Test

Brandon Lane Basic Doppler Radar User Course

**TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access with CCH Recertification Test** 

**Level 3 Security Awareness Certification** 

First Responder Training: Working w/Older Adults - 3908

Crystle Lucia Level 2 Security Awareness Certification

**Basic County Corrections** 

Brandon Mason TCIC/TLETS Mobile Access Recertification Test

**Defensive Driving** 

TMCEC Court Security – 10999 Field Training Officer (Online)

**Effective Communication and Interviewing** 

4-Day Less Lethal ICP Instructor

Madison Miller Basic Life Support (CPR and ADE) Program

Jack Monroe Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

TMCEC Court Security – 10999

**Taser 7 Energy Weapon** 

TCIC/TLETS Less Than Full Access with CCH Recertification Test

Diana Patterson Emergency Medical Dispatch, 5<sup>th</sup> Edition, Version 4 Recertification

Emergency Mgmt for Ppl w/Disabilities - 400

**Basic Instructor Proficiency** 

**Cardiac Emergency Communications (786)** 

Finding Wellness – Building a Healthier Life – 4202

Kelly Perry TCIC/TLETS Less Than Full Access with CCH Recertification Test

TMCEC Court Security – 10999

Randall Quick TMCEC Court Security – 10999

**Taser 7 Energy Weapon** 

TCIC/TLETS Less Than Full Access with CCH Recertification Test

Stacey Quick Basic Life Support (CPR and AED) Program

James Dale Richey Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

Security and Privacy: General Role

Cultural Diversity 39

**TCIC/TLETS Full Access with CCH Recertification Test** 

TMCEC Court Security - 10999

Madison Richey Visual Observer for Drones #4033

399 - ASL & Effective Use of Interpreters

**Texas Food Handler Program** 

Security and Privacy: General Role

Objective Jail Classification Academy Advisory Board

Internet-Basic Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Concepts for Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and Explosive (CBRNE)

**Events** 

**Cardiac Emergency Communications 786** 

Victoria Roland Basic Life Support

Geneva Schroeder Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

**Objective Jail Classification** 

Joshua Sosebee Basic Life Support

Donald Stevens Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

Rebecca Stevens TRS & Emergency Tech – 396

2022-2023 Cybersecurity Awareness Training Cardiac Emergency Communications 786
Active Attack Emergency Communications

Advanced Human Trafficking – 3271

Finding Wellness – Building a Healthier Life – 4202

Artie Woods Level 3 Security Awareness Certification

**Texas Crime Prevention Association** 

5. Approve Publisher's Certificates. Removed.

Consider and/or take action on Illegal Dumping on County Roads. (Tabled 2-12-2024) Pat Martin, Ill discussed wanting to place a notice in the newspaper and on the County Website regarding illegal dumping.

## APPROVE ACTION ON ILLEGAL DUMPING

The motion was made by Pat Martin, III and seconded by Todd Herring to approve notice for Illegal Dumping on County Roads to be placed in Archer County News for two weeks and post on county and sheriff's website. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

7. Discuss and/or take action on SB22 Funding/Distribution. Randy Jackson advised the Court that he was waiting for an e-document from the Comptroller that authorizes Archer County's acceptance of the funding for SB 22. Jack Curd requested getting approval to fund additional salary for Deputies, Jailers and Dispatch once the funding is received from SB22. Curd stated adding an additional deputy at the cost of \$68,566.64 with SB22 funding. The additional deputy will be a grant position, if the grant goes away so does the position. The remaining funds of SB22 will be used to purchase equipment for the Sheriff's Department. Randy Jackson stated he would like to wait on grant compliance guidelines.

# ORDER TO APPROVE FUNDING

The motion was made by Todd Herring and seconded by Wade Scarbrough to approve funding when SB22 funding has been received by the County. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

8. Discuss and/or take action on Constable Pct 3 auto claim. Randy Jackson reported that Constable, Precinct 3 vehicle was totaled. The cash value of the vehicle claim was \$19,255.00 with additional money available to remove equipment from the vehicle. Diana Patterson discussed the lease of a new vehicle with a \$1.00 buyout for a three-year, four-year or five-year lease. Patterson stated that the only vehicle available at this time is a 2023 Chevrolet Trail Boss Crew cab Pickup from Herb Easley Motors, Inc.

Court convened into Executive Session before action was taken on items #8 and #9.

**ORDER TO STAY WITHIN BUDGET** 

The motion was made by Wade Scarbrough and seconded by Todd Herring for Constable, Precinct 3 to stay within her budget for a replacement vehicle. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

9. Consider and/or take action on Archer County Vehicle Use Policy.

#### ORDER TO TABLE APPROVING POLICY

The motion was made by Wade Scarbrough and seconded by Todd Herring to table approving the Archer County Vehicle Use Policy. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

10. Adjourn into Executive Session.

## ORDER TO CONVENE INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

The motion was made by Pat Martin, III and seconded by Wade Scarbrough to convene into Executive Session per Texas Government Code 551.071(1). Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

Executive Session convened at 10:47 a.m.

Executive Session adjourned at 11:50 a.m.

## ORDER TO ADJOURN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

The motion was made by Pat Martin, III and seconded by Todd Herring to adjourn from Executive Session. Voting yes 1-3-4-Judge

Having no further business to consider, the Court adjourned at 11:58 a.m.

I, Karren Winter, County Clerk of Archer County, and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court, Archer County, Texas do hereby certify that the foregoing Commissioners Court Minutes are a true and correct record of the proceedings.

ATTEST: Karren Winter

Karren Winter, Archer County Clerk