

**HILL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT
REGULAR MEETING
MARCH 24, 2026 – 8:30 AM**

The Commissioner's Court of Hill County, Texas, met this day in regular session with the following members present: Shane Brassell, County Judge; Jim Holcomb, County Commissioner, Precinct #1; Larry Crumpton, County Commissioner Precinct #2; Scotty Hawkins, County Commissioner Precinct #3, Martin Lake, County Commissioner, Precinct #4; and Nicole Tanner, County Clerk.

I. County Judge Shane Brassell called the Hill County Commissioners Meeting to order at 8:30 AM. Michael Nemecek led us in prayer.

II. County Clerk Nicole Tanner led the Pledge of Allegiance to the U. S Flag and the Texas Flag.

III. County Judge welcomed visitors and announcements and presentations were held if any.
Presentation to Ragina Honeycutt, Maintenance Department, 1st Peer Recognition Award for her hard work and dedication as an employee to Hill County.

IV. Open Forum was announced and the following people came forward and spoke with concerns regarding transparency and their opposition to the Wind, Solar and Data Centers that are here and future Tax Abatements for the ones that want to come to Hill County.

Linda Polley	Scott (last name unknown)	Adam Schronk
Jana Burch	Lauralee Vallon	Shawn Young
Jeff Vallon	Michael Vallon	William Zimmerman
Mairi Kaska	John Blaha	Online speaker BZ Watchdog (Basil Zangare)
Don Griffin	Melinda Kavanaugh	

**CONSENT AGENDA:
2026-5086**

On motion made by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, the following consent agenda items were approved:

Minutes from - March 10, 2026

Invoices from – March 17, 2026 and March 24, 2026

Payroll for – March 20, 2026 and Payroll for Election Workers for March 13, 2026

Monthly Report for Revenue and Disbursements for February 2026

Observe and Record Elected Officials Training Certificates – Rachel Parker, Hill County Treasurer.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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V. COURT ORDERS:

1. EMPLOYEE WAGE/STATUS CHANGES

2026-5087

On motion made by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Martin Lake, it is hereby ordered to approve the Employee Wage/Status Changes.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2. COUNTY BONDS

NO ACTION TO BE TAKEN ON COUNTY BONDS

3. ON-SITE LIMITED COMPLIANCE REVIEW OF THE HILL COUNTY JAIL

2026-5088

On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is hereby ordered to observe and record the On-Site Limited Compliance Review of the Hill County Jail, by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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4. **BUDGET AMENDMENTS**

2026-5089

On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Larry Crumpton, it is hereby ordered to approve the following budget amendments:

Kevin Cordell, Constable Precinct #4 for the purchase of a tool box.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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5. **RESOLUTION REGARDING LEGISLATION TO IMPROVE COUNTY ROAD INFRASTRUCTURE AND SAFETY**

2026-5090

On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve a resolution regarding Legislation to improve County Road Infrastructure and Safety.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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6. **DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY US ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**

2026-5091

On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve the Department of the Army U.S. Army Corps of Engineers notification of the Government's intent to exercise Option period one (1) and associated CLIN 1001 Contract W9126G25P0025 for Three Rivers Increased Law Enforcement Services, Aquilla and Whitney Lakes, Texas. (AKA The Lake Patrol Contract)

All Commissioners voting AYE. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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7. **CONTRACT WITH GOVERNMENT CAPITAL FOR MOTORGRADERS**

2026-5092

On motion by Commissioner Martin Lake and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve a Corrected Public Finance Act Contract with Government Capital Corporation for the financing of three 2020 John Deere 772G motor graders including the execution of all accompanying documents.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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8. **CONTRACT WITH GOVERNMENT CAPITAL FOR 2-WHEELDRIVE CHIP SPREADER**

2026-5093

On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Larry Crumpton, it is hereby ordered to approve a Public Finance Act Contract with Government Capital Corporation for the financing of an Entyre 2-Wheeldrive Chip Spreader including the execution of all accompanying documents.

All Commissioners Voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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9. **NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENT IMPLEMENTATION ADMINISTRATOR**

2026-5094

On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve the National Opioid Settlement Implementation Administrator for Six Remnant Defendants.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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10. **HILL COUNTY INDIGENT HEALTHCARE PROGRAM**

2026-5095

On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Larry Crumpton, it is hereby ordered to approve the Hill County Indigent Healthcare Program.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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11. **RESIGNATION OF MARTIN LAKE ON INVESTMENT COMMITTEE**
2026-5096
On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Larry Crumpton, it is here by ordered to accept Commissioner Martin Lake's resignation from the Investment Committee effective March 24, 2026.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 71
12. **APPOINT NEW INVESTMENT COMMITTEE MEMBER**
2026-5097
On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Martin Lake, it is hereby ordered to appoint Commissioner Jim Holcomb to the Hill County Investment Committee.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 73
13. **2026 CHEVY TRAVERSE FOR JPO**
2026-5098
On motion by Commissioner Martin Lake and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is hereby ordered to approve the purchase of a 2026 Chevy Traverse for the Hill County Juvenile Probation Department.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
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14. **DONATION REFUND FOR RICHARD CARNER**
2026-5099
On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to refund a \$200.00 donation to Richard Carner for chip seal work on HCR 1207 that was not timely completed.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
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15. **COUNTY SUPPLY BIDS**
2026-5100
FUEL BID PRECINCT # 1
On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is here by ordered to accept bid from Scott Oil Co. for Precinct #1 for Off Site Fuel.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
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- 2026-5101
FUEL BID PRECINCT #2
On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from Dixie LP Gas (Independent Oil) for off-site and on-site fuel for Precinct #2.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 82
- 2026-5102
FUEL BID PRECINCT #3
On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is hereby ordered to accept bids from Dixie LP Gas (Independent Oil) for on-site fuel and Farmers Coop Gin for off-site fuel for Precinct #3.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 85
- 2026-5103
FUEL BID PRECINCT #4
On motion by Commissioner Martin Lake and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is here by ordered to accept bid from Itasca Cooperative for off-site and on-site fuel for Precinct #4.
All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**
Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 89

2026-5104

ROAD BASE BIDS

On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is hereby ordered to accept all bids from Cemex Inc., Canfield Materials LLC, Janek & Whitten Construction, Vulcan Construction Materials and Conners Construction for Road Base based on quantity, quality and availability for all Precincts in Hill County.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 92

2026-5105

STEEL PIPES AND CULVERTS

On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from Wilson Culverts for Steel Pipe and Culverts for all Precincts.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2026-5106

ASPHALT AND EMULSIONS

On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to accept all bids from P2 Square Emulsions, Ergon Asphalt & Emulsions, Cleveland Asphalt Products and Texas Materials Group for Asphalt and Emulsions based on quantity, quality and availability for all Precincts.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2026-5107

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS

On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is hereby ordered to accept bids from Yoder Bridge LLC for bridges and CXT Incorporated for Box Culverts for all Precincts.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 123

2026-5108

MATERIAL HAULING SERVICES PRECINCT #1

On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Larry Crumpton, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from Hillsboro Sand and Gravel for Material Hauling Services for Precinct #.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2026-5109

MATERIAL HAULING SERVICES PRECINCT #2

On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from Hillsboro Sand and Gravel for Material Hauling Services for Precinct #2.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2026-5110

MATERIAL HAULING SERVICES PRECINCT #3

On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Martin Lake, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from Janek & Whitten Construction for Material Hauling services for Precinct #3.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2026-5111

MATERIAL HAULING SERVICES PRECINCT #4

On motion by Commissioner Martin Lake and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve bid from Janek & Whitten Construction for Material Hauling services for Precinct #4.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2026-5112

PRESSURE WASHING PRECINCT #1

On motion by Commissioner Jim Holcomb and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from Rado Real Estate, LLC (AKA Blue Diamond) for Pressure Washing in Precinct #1.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 134

2026-5113

PRESSURE WASHING PRECINCT #2

On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from 4R Services, LLC for Pressure Washing for Precinct #2.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

Exhibits can be found in Volume Z-64 Page 136

2026-5114

PRESSURE WASHING PRECINCT #3

On motion by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins and seconded by Commissioner Martin Lake, it is hereby ordered to accept bid from 4R Services, LLC for Pressure Washing for Precinct #3.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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2026-5115

PRESSURE WASHING PRECINCT #4

On motion by Commissioner Martin Lake and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve bid from 4R Services, LLC for Pressure Washing for Precinct #4.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

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16. FINAL PLAT HILL PRAIRIE ESTATES, PHASE ONE

NO ACTION ON THE HILL PRAIRIE ESTATES, PHASE ONE

17. PRELIMINARY PLAT MARISCAL DE LA PRADERA, PHASE ONE

2026-5116

On motion by Commissioner Martin Lake and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve the Preliminary Plat for Mariscal De La Pradera, Phase One.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

18. PRELIMINARY PLAT TREADWELL SCHOOL SUBDIVISION

2026-5117

On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Scotty Hawkins, it is hereby ordered to approve a Preliminary Plat for Treadwell School Subdivision.

All Commissioners voting Aye. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY**

19. EXECUTIVE SESSION – 10:05 A.M.

Pursuant to Section 551.087 of the Texas Government Code, the Commissioners Court of Hill County will meet in a closed/executive session to discuss or deliberate regarding commercial or financial information that the government body has received from a business prospect that the governmental body seeks to have locate, stay or expand in or near territory of the governmental body and with which the governmental body is conducting economic development negotiations on updates regarding economic development activity: Project Dispatch, Project Freeze Pop, Project Iron Current and Project RA.

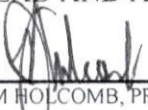
Commissioners reconvened into Regular session at 10:39 A.M.

No action from the court as a result from the Executive Session.

IV. **ADJOURNMENT**

On motion by Commissioner Larry Crumpton and seconded by Commissioner Jim Holcomb, it is here by ordered to adjourn.

THE FOREGOING MINUTES OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF HILL COUNTY WERE READ AND APPROVED APRIL 7, 2026.



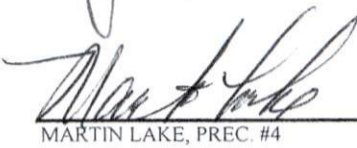
JIM HOLCOMB, PREC. #1



LARRY CRUMPTON, PREC. #2




SCOTTY HAWKINS, PREC. #3



MARTIN LAKE, PREC. #4



COUNTY CLERK NICOLE TANNER



COUNTY JUDGE SHANE BRASSELL