

QUORUM COURT MINUTES 2/24/2025

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Judge Day called the meeting to order at 5:30PM

COUNTY & PROBATE COURT CLERK

Invocation was led by Dr. Greg Ota with New Life Empowerment Ministries

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Justice Forrest.

Roll was called and all were present except Justice Pasmore.

First order of business was the approval of the minutes from the February 10, 2025 meeting. Justice Forrest made the motion to approve and Justice Williams seconded the motion. Judge Day took a vote and it passed unanimously.

Road Committee minutes were read by Justice Cline.

Public Service Committee minutes were read by Justice Rogers

Finance Committee minutes were read by Justice Longmire

NO OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

An Appropriation Ordinance Amending the 2025 Annual Operating Budget to add Fund 3530, Department 0400, DPS Public Safety Equipment Grant was read. A Motion to approve was made by Justice Barnes and seconded by Justice Longmire. Judge Day asked if there were any questions and there were none. Roll was taken, and all Justices present were in favor. The Ordinance passed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Judge Day announced that the March 24th Quorum Court meeting would be moved up to March 17th due to Spring Break.

Judge Day announced that the ribbon cutting for the new Courthouse Annex would be on March 7, 2025 and that we will now be having Quorum Court in the new Annex building.

County Clerk MaryDawn Marshall announced the retirement party on March 28, 2025 from 2pm-4pm for Lesli Penny that will be held in the OEM meeting room for everyone to drop in.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Andrew Nadzam of 1421 Cole Street Jonesboro stood for public comment. He thanked Judge Day and the Quorum Court for their hard work and decision to spend the money necessary to get the county a much needed Courthouse Annex built. He stated the additional courtrooms would allow the courts to get caught up on the back log court docket. He again thanked everyone on behalf of the Bar Association and local attorneys.

Motion to Adjourn to committees was made by Justice Couch and seconded by Justice Williams. Meeting Adjourned at 5:48pm