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

Invocation was led by Pastor Nate Morris of Friendship Assembly of God

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Justice Longmire

Roll was called and all were present.

Next order of business was the approval of the minutes from the May 19, 2025, meeting. Justice Pasmore made the motion to approve, and Justice Barnes seconded the motion. Judge Day took a vote, and it passed unanimously.

NO OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Judge Day reminded the Quorum Court about the Ordinance passed in 2021 requiring the County Fire Protection Districts to provide the County with an Annual Financial/Audit Report. Judge Day stated that in front of each Quorum Court member is a packet with the Audits for this year for their review.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Judge Day announced that the County was an award recipient for a Courthouse Security Grant.

Justice Cook asked about the Audit for Fire Districts page 2 and third sentence, "to verify 25% of anything over \$6,000", and if they are only required to report 25%. Judge Day stated that it was a fairly normal amount for the audit.

NO PUBLIC COMMENT

Motion to adjourn was made by Justice Rogers and seconded by Justice Tennison.

Meeting Adjourned at 5:37pm

Transportation Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: 6/16/2025

Call to Order:

Justice Cline called the meeting to order at 5:37 PM.

Attendance:

Justice Steve Cline, Justice Terry Couch, Justice David Tennison, Justice Garrett Barnes, Road Superintendent John James and Judge Marvin Day were present.

Road Work Update:

Road Superintendent John James provided an update on current road projects.

Plat Review:

Six plates were reviewed. Justice David Tennison made a motion to approve five of the plats. Justice Terry Couch seconded. All in favor. Five plats approved.

Adjournment:

With no further business, Justice Garrett Barnes made a motion to adjourn, and Justice David Tennison seconded. The meeting adjourned at 5:53 PM.

Public Services Committee Minutes June 16, 2025

Justice Rogers called the Public Services Committee meeting to order at 5:38 PM.

Committee members present were Richard Rogers (Chairman), Brad Noel, Linda Allison, and Kevin Williams.

The first agenda item was a resolution to recognize the Arkansas 250 Commission as It Begins Its Work to Celebrate Arkansas's Rich Two-Hundred-Fifty-Year History. Motion to approve made by Justice Brad Noel and seconded by Justice Kevin Williams. All in favor.

Resolution approved to bring before the full court. All in favor.

An ordinance to Standardize Rates for the Lake City Fire Protection District. Ordinance was previously tabled. Motion to bring ordinance back before the committee made by Justice Linda Allison and seconded by Justice Brad Noel. Justice Linda Allison made a motion to approve bringing the ordinance before the full court and Justice Brad Noel seconded. All in favor.

Motion to adjourn made by Justice Linda Allison and seconded by Justice Brad Noel.

Meeting adjourned at 5:49 PM.

Finance Committee Minutes 6-16-2025

Justice Josh Longmire called the meeting to order at 5:38 PM. Those present included Justice Dan Pasmore, Justice Darrel Cook, Justice Barry Forrest, and Justice Rick Myers. Craighead County Tax Collector Wes Eddington, Treasurer Terry McNatt.

Tax Collection report presented by Collector Eddington, noting an increase in collections of 10.9%.

Treasurer Terry McNatt presented the financial report, noting 72.36% of the 2025 budget remains unspent.

Appropriation Ordinance amending the 2025 Annual Operating Budget to include additional funding to Fund 3517, Department 0418, to account for a new Court Security Grant Project. A motion was made by Justice Darrel Cook and a second from Justice Dan Pasmore to read the ordinance by title only. A motion from Justice Barry Forrest and a second from Justice Darrel Cook were made to pass the ordinance to the full Quorum Court.

With no further business, Justice Barry Forrest made a motion to adjourn, and Justice Darrel Cook seconded. The motion was approved unanimously, and the meeting was concluded at 5:48 pm.