

ELLIS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT
OFFICIAL MINUTES – AUGUST 25, 2025

THE ELLIS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT MET FOR A SPECIAL MEETING ON MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 2025, AT 2:00 P.M., IN THE HISTORIC ELLIS COUNTY COURTHOUSE, COMMISSIONERS COURTROOM (2ND FLOOR) 101 W. MAIN STREET, WAXAHACHIE, TEXAS AT WHICH TIME THE FOLLOWING WAS DISCUSSED AND CONSIDERED, TO-WIT:

MEMBERS PRESENT:

COUNTY JUDGE JOHN WRAY

COUNTY CLERK: KRYSTAL VALDEZ

COMMISSIONERS:

PRECINCT 1 COMMISSIONER RANDY STINSON

PRECINCT 2 COMMISSIONER LANE GRAYSON

PRECINCT 3 COMMISSIONER LOUIS PONDER

PRECINCT 4 COMMISSIONER KYLE BUTLER

OPENING COURT:

COUNTY JUDGE CALLS MEETING TO ORDER, DECLARES QUORUM AND DECLARES NOTICES LEGALLY POSTED PURSUANT TO OPEN MEETINGS ACT.

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: *COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 4 KYLE BUTLER*

ADMINISTRATIVE:

NO ACTION (1.1) DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND ACTION TO EXECUTE CONTRACT AGREEMENTS WITH VR SYSTEMS, INC. FOR EVID SYSTEM SALE AND LICENSE AGREEMENT AND SOFTWARE FOR 100 EPOLLBOOKS USING THE TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BOARDS BUYBOARD COOPERATIVE CONTRACT #710-23 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$199,590.00. – *ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATOR JANA ONYON*

NO ACTION (1.2) DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND ACTION TO EXECUTE CONTRACT AGREEMENTS WITH VR SYSTEMS, INC. FOR VOTER FOCUS SYSTEM LICENSE AND MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT USING THE TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BOARDS BUYBOARD COOPERATIVE CONTRACT #710-23 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$264,624.00. – *ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATOR JANA ONYON*

COMMISSIONER GRAYSON ARRIVED AT 2:10 P.M.

NO ACTION (1.3) DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND ACTION TO EXECUTE CONTRACT AGREEMENTS WITH VR SYSTEMS, INC. FOR EVID SYSTEM HARDWARE REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE FOR EPOLLBOOKS USING THE TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BOARDS BUYBOARD COOPERATIVE CONTRACT #710-23 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$8,700.00 PER YEAR BEGINNING YEAR TWO. – *ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATOR JANA ONYON*

MINUTE ORDER 385.25 (1.4) APPROVING TO SET THE PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR FUNDING FISCAL YEAR 2026, AS FOLLOWS:

.246737 (M&O)
.009041 (I&S)
.018214 (F/M)
.273992 TOTAL PROPOSED TAX RATE

MOTION TO APPROVE BY COMMISSIONER GRAYSON, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER PONDER, MOTION CARRIED

ADJOURNMENT 2:20 P.M.

MOTION TO ADJOURN BY COMMISSIONER PONDER, SECONDED BY COMMISSIONER GRAYSON, MOTION CARRIED

THE OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE ELLIS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT SPECIAL MEETING ON AUGUST 25, 2025, ARE HEREBY APPROVED.



JOHN WRAY, COUNTY JUDGE



RANDY STINSON, COMMISSIONER, PCT 1



LANE GRAYSON, COMMISSIONER, PCT 2



LOUIS PONDER, COMMISSIONER, PCT 3



KYLE BUTLER, COMMISSIONER, PCT 4

WITNESS MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF OFFICE THIS 9TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2025.



KRYSTAL VALDEZ, COUNTY CLERK

