



MINUTES for Mitchell County Commissioners' Court
REGULAR Session
Monday, July 14, 2025

1. **Call meeting to order**

Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County was called to order by Judge Redwine at 9:00 a.m., in Commissioners' Courtroom, 2nd Floor, 349 Oak Street, Colorado City, Texas.

County Judge	Mike Redwine	Present
Precinct 1, Commissioner	Dennis Jones	Present
Precinct 2, Commissioner	Jeremy Strain	Present
Precinct 3, Commissioner	Jesse Muñoz	Present
Precinct 4, Commissioner	Ricky Bailey	Present

2. **Invocation was led by Commissioner Strain**
Pledge was led by Judge Redwine

3. **Public Comment**

George Tyson, citizen
VOTE: NO ACTION

4. **Approve bills – Auditor's Office**

Approved bills in the total amount of \$235,343.28

MOTION: Made by Commissioner Bailey to approve bills as presented.

SECOND: Made by Commissioner Munoz

ATTACHMENTS: Yes

VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

Approve line item transfers – Auditor's Office

ATTACHMENTS: No

VOTE: No action

Approve Budget Amendments – Auditor's Office

ATTACHMENTS: No

VOTE: No action

5. **Discuss and action on part time D.A. Investigator Salary D.A. Forfeiture Funds – Richard Thompson**

District Attorney discussed the need to hire a part time investigator using D.A. Chapter 59 Forfeiture Funds. Looking to hire Brayden who currently works for Sweetwater P.D. This is a part time position; annual salary \$36K, no benefits, 20-40 hours a month.

MOTION: Made by Commissioner Strain to approve the use of Chapter 59 forfeiture funds for part time position.

SECOND: Made by Commissioner Jones

ATTACHMENTS: No

VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

6. **Discussion and possible action on Audit Finding/Recommendation previously presented in the June 23rd Commissioners' Court Special Session by Mitchell County Auditor Heidi Harris and Catherine Wilks, Independent Auditor. Specifically, 2024 financial statements/independent auditor's report to commissioners regarding Chapter 59 D.A. Forfeiture Funds – Richard Thompson**
Informational – Ricky Thompson, D.A. discussed how Chapter 59 D.A. Forfeiture Funds work. He voiced concerns regarding 2023 Independent Auditor's overstepping and county should not have been written up or recommendations for budgeting with county budget. This is not taxpayers money.
ATTACHMENTS: No
VOTE: No action
7. **Discussion and possible approval fro request for County Feral Hog Grant – Judge Redwine**
Judge discussed renewal \$5,000 grant from year to year trapper. Commissioner Strain agrees for the need, but would encourage the entire county to benefit and not only specific areas within the county.
MOTION: Made by Commissioner Jones to approve and accept renewal grant as presented.
SECOND: Made by Commissioner Munoz
ATTACHMENTS: Yes
VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.
8. **Discussion and approval on Radio Tower Lease Agreement Renewal between Mitchell County and Skybeam dba Rise Broadband**
County Attorney provided proposal for extension agreement with 5 years term for radio towers near old Kristi Lee Manor. Rise Broadband \$500/monthly paid to the county.
MOTION: Made by Commissioner Strain to approve renewal agreement with Rise Broadband.
SECOND: Made by Commissioner Bailey
ATTACHMENTS: Yes
VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.
9. **Discussion and approval on County Child Welfare Services Non-Financial Agreement – Judge Redwine**
Tabled until clarification if and who is on the board.
ATTACHMENTS: No
VOTE: No action
10. **Approve Monthly Minutes for June 2025 – County Clerk's office**
Approve minutes from Commissioner's Court Regular/Called meetings for June, 2025.
MOTION: Made by Commissioner Strain to approve minutes as presented.
SECOND: Made by Commissioner Bailey
VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

11. Approve Monthly Reports – Judge Redwine

MOTION: Made by Commissioner Strain to approve monthly reports as presented.

SECOND: Made by Commissioner Munoz

ATTACHMENTS: All reports provided and approved follow the minutes.

VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

12. The Commissioners Court may recess into executive session to discuss any matters on the agenda pursuant to a legal exception to the Open Meetings Act contained in the Texas Government Code or other Texas law, including without limitation (a) consultation with attorney or personnel matters pursuant to 551.071 and/or 551.074 of the Texas Government Code.

Consultation with Attorney – 551.071

No executive session.

13. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

MOTION: Made by Commissioner Strain to adjourn.

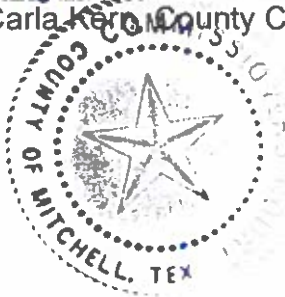
SECOND: Made by Commissioner Jones

VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

I, Carla Kern, County Clerk of Mitchell County, Texas, do hereby certify that these Commissioners' Court Minutes are a true and correct record of the proceedings from the meeting on Monday, July 14, 2025.



Carla Kern, County Clerk





MINUTES for Mitchell County Commissioners' Court
REGULAR Session
Monday, July 28, 2025

1. **Call meeting to order**

Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County was called to order by Judge Redwine at 9:00 a.m., in Commissioners' Courtroom, 2nd Floor, 349 Oak Street, Colorado City, Texas.

County Judge	Mike Redwine	Present
Precinct 1, Commissioner	Dennis Jones	Present
Precinct 2, Commissioner	Jeremy Strain	Present
Precinct 3, Commissioner	Jesse Muñoz	Present
Precinct 4, Commissioner	Ricky Bailey	Present

2. **Invocation was led by Commissioner Strain**
Pledge was led by Judge Redwine

3. **Public Comment**
George Tyson, citizen
VOTE: NO ACTION

4. **Approve bills – Auditor's Office**
Approved bills in the total amount of \$98,304.00
MOTION: Made by Commissioner Bailey to approve bills as presented.
SECOND: Made by Commissioner Munoz
ATTACHMENTS: Yes
VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

Approve line item transfers – Auditor's Office
ATTACHMENTS: No
VOTE: No action

Approve Budget Amendments – Auditor's Office
ATTACHMENTS: No
VOTE: No action

5. **Discussion and approve action to authorize a proclamation declaring August 2025 as Emergency Management Awareness and Appreciation Month in Mitchell County – Judge Redwine**
Judge Redwine presented proclamation declaring August 2025 Emergency Management Awareness and Appreciation month.
MOTION: Made by Commissioner Munoz approve proclamation as presented.
SECOND: Made by Commissioner Bailey
ATTACHMENTS: Yes
VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

6. **Discussion and possible approval to renew FY2026-27 Interlocal Agreement for Regional Defender for Capital Cases.**

Judge Redwine presented interlocal agreement with Lubbock public defender's office to provide legal protection if a capital offense case arises. Cost is \$2,136.00: FY2025-2027 October 1, 2025 – September 30, 2026; it will automatically renew on October 1, 2027 and expire September 30, 2027.

MOTION: Made by Commissioner Strain to approve interlocal agreement with public defenders.

SECOND: Made by Commissioner Jones

ATTACHMENTS: Yes

VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

7. **EXECUTIVE/CLOSED SESSION** – An executive/closed session meeting will occur pursuant to Sections 551.071(2) and 551.129 of the Texas Government Code (consultation with attorneys) for the Commissioners Court to consult with and seek advice from its attorneys regarding: (a) justice of the peace designation, justice of the peace court designation, and related jurisdictional territory designation options authorized by state law; and (b) any other matter described in this meeting agenda.

Executive session: 9:05 a.m. – 10:25a.m.

ATTACHMENTS: No

VOTE: No action

Judge Redwine opened public comments: 10:25 a.m. – 10:42 a.m.

8. **DISCUSSION AND POTENTIAL ACTION** – Discussion and potential action will occur pursuant to Article V, Section 18 of the Texas Constitution, Chapter 27 of the Texas Government Code, and other authority regarding the initiation of a review and potential future action by the Commissioners Court regarding: (a) justice of the peace designation, justice of the peace court designation, and related jurisdictional territory designation options authorized by state law; and (b) and all related matters, including public notice and scheduling going forward.

ATTACHMENTS: No

VOTE: No action

9. **Budget Workshop**

Began: 10:42 a.m.

Recess: 12:00 p.m. Resumed: 1:14 p.m.

VOTE: No action

10. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

MOTION: Made by Commissioner Strain to adjourn.

SECOND: Made by Commissioner Jones

VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

I, Carla Kern, County Clerk of Mitchell County, Texas, do hereby certify that these Commissioners' Court Minutes are a true and correct record of the proceedings from the meeting on Monday, July 28, 2025.



Carla Kern, County Clerk





MINUTES for Mitchell County Commissioners' Court
CALLED Session
Tuesday, July 29, 2025 9:00AM

1. **Call meeting to order**

Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County was called to order by Judge Redwine at 9:00 a.m., in Commissioners' Courtroom, 2nd Floor, 349 Oak Street, Colorado City, Texas.

County Judge	Mike Redwine	Present
Precinct 1, Commissioner	Dennis Jones	Present
Precinct 2, Commissioner	Jeremy Strain	Present
Precinct 3, Commissioner	Jesse Muñoz	Present
Precinct 4, Commissioner	Ricky Bailey	Present

2. **Invocation was led by Commissioner Jones/Strain**
Pledge was led by Judge Redwine

3. **Public Comment**

VOTE: No action

4. **Budget Workshop**

Commissioners' Court convened into budget workshop at 9:00 a.m.

Recess: 9:48 a.m. **Resume:** 9:50 a.m.

Recess: 11:22 a.m. **Resume:** 1:11 p.m.

VOTE: No action

5. **Adjourn**

Meeting adjourned at 2:05 p.m.

MOTION: Made by Commissioner Munoz to adjourn.

SECOND: Made by Commissioner Strain

VOTE: All in favor. Motion passed.

I, Carla Kern, County Clerk of Mitchell County, Texas, do hereby certify that these Commissioners' Court Minutes are a true and correct record of the proceedings from the meeting on Tuesday, July 29, 2025.

Carla Kern

Carla Kern, County Clerk





MINUTES for Mitchell County Commissioners' Court
CALLED Session
Wednesday, July 30, 2025 9:00AM

1. **Call meeting to order**

Commissioners' Court of Mitchell County was called to order by Judge Redwine at 9:00 a.m., in Commissioners' Courtroom, 2nd Floor, 349 Oak Street, Colorado City, Texas.

County Judge	Mike Redwine	Present
Precinct 1, Commissioner	Dennis Jones	Absent
Precinct 2, Commissioner	Jeremy Strain	Absent
Precinct 3, Commissioner	Jesse Muñoz	Absent
Precinct 4, Commissioner	Ricky Bailey	Absent

A quorum was not present, therefore the meeting was cancelled and no official action taken.

I, Carla Kern, County Clerk of Mitchell County, Texas, do hereby certify that these Commissioners' Court Minutes are a true and correct record of the proceedings from the meeting on Wednesday, July 30, 2025.

Carla Kern

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