COUNTY OF FREESTONE

Commissioners Court
Lloyd Lane, County Judge
Andy Bonner, Precinct No. 1
Will McSwane, Precinct No. 2
Richard McGowan, Precinct No. 3
Clyde Ridge Jr., Precinct No. 4

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FREESTONE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

Notice of Special Meeting

DATE OF MEETING: July 29, 2026
LOCATION: 118 E. COMMERCE, COMMISSIONERS COURTROOM, FAIRFIELD, TEXAS
Pledge of Allegiance, Pledge to the Texas Flag
Call to Order – 9:00 a.m.
Posting in accordance with Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as amended, known as the Texas Open Meetings Act.

Members of the Public who wish to speak shall each have 3 minutes to address the Court regarding matters not appearing on the agenda or on an item on the agenda.
The Commissioners Court may not deliberate or take action on any item that is not posted. Any discussion of the subject must be limited to providing specific factual information.

DISCUSS AND CONSIDER ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

1. Approve minutes of July 15, 2026, regular meeting.
2. Budget transfers and amendments.
3. Approve and pay bills.
4. Approve payroll.
5. Reports: Senior Services, Justices of the Peace, County Clerk, District Clerk, Auditor, Treasurer, Sheriff, Road Reports, Tax Assessor/Collector, Constables, Veterans Service Officer, Extension Agents, Health, Environmental, and OSSF, Miscellaneous Reports.
6. Burn Ban.
7. Special Road Use Agreements, Contracts, Permits and Bonds, consider Notifications of Telephone Construction, and Applications for Plats or Replats.
8. Approve bonds and education certificates of County Officials and Employees.
9. Review and consider action on JAVS Maintenance Contract for District Courtroom starting on August 1, 2026-July 31, 2027. – Previously Tabled Agenda Item.
10. Award bid for Group Medical Insurance.
11. Accept Resolution for Freestone County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan. – Leonard Smith.
12. Remove Hannah Hale from the CPS Board.
13. Add Samantha Baggerly to the CPS Board.
14. Discuss and consider action to finance purchase of a Motorgrader for Precinct 4 Road & Bridge.
15. Create a special fund line item for Opioid Settlement Proceeds.
16. Discuss the use of AI within County Offices.
17. Budget Workshop.
18. Discuss tax rate and vote on proposed rate and record vote.
19. Vote to set the proposed salaries, expenses, or allowances for 2026-2027 Fiscal Year.
20. Announce date for meeting to vote on tax rate. (August 19, 2026, at 9:00AM)

Comments from Commissioners Court members.
Adjournment.
Posted on bulletin board second floor at the Courthouse and on Freestone County website on July 23, 2026.

FILED FOR RECORD
At 4 ,o'clock P M

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RENEE GREGORY
Clerk County Court, Freestone County, Texas
By