

**STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LEON**

**IN THE COMMISSIONERS COURT
OF LEON COUNTY, TEXAS**

On this the 6th day of March 2023, the Commissioners Court of Leon County, Texas, met for special called meeting at 2:30 p.m. with the following members present:

Byron Ryder – County Judge
Joey Sullivan – Commissioner Pct. No. 1
Paul Bing – Commissioner Pct. No. 2
Kyle Workman – Commissioner Pct. No. 3
T. J. Foley – Commissioner Pct. No. 4

Together with County Clerk Christie Wakefield, serving as an ex-officio member of the Commissioners Court, Sheriff Kevin Ellis, EOC Director Jimmy Carrigan and County Auditor Melissa Abney.

1. OPEN MEETING WITH PRAYER AND PLEDGES.

Judge Ryder opened the meeting with prayer; pledges to the American and Texas flag were rendered.

2. DISCUSS AND POSSIBLY TAKE ACTION ON CLAIMS DUE.

Commissioner Workman made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Sullivan to approve the claims due.

MOTION CARRIED.

(COPY FOLLOWS)

3. DISCUSS AND POSSIBLY TAKE ACTION ON MINUTES FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING.

Commissioner Workman made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Sullivan to approve the minutes of the previous meetings.

MOTION CARRIED.

4. REVIEW AND APPROVE PAYROLL TO BE ISSUED.

None submitted.

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS #1.

None submitted.

6. CLOSE REGULAR SESSION AND OPEN EXECUTIVE SESSION UNDER TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE 551.074 (PERSONNEL MATTERS)

REGULAR SESSION CLOSED AT 2:31 P.M. ON MONDAY, MARCH 6, 2023.

7. OPEN EXECUTIVE SESSION.

8. DISCUSS EOC PERSONNEL.

9. CLOSE EXECUTIVE SESSION.

10. RESUME REGULAR SESSION.

REGULAR SESSION RESUMED AT 3:05 P.M. ON MONDAY, MARCH 6, 2023.

11. DISCUSS AND POSSIBLE TAKE ACTION ON EOC PERSONNEL.

Judge Ryder made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Sullivan to hire Bob Hickman as the new EOC Director, effective immediately at the same salary as Mr. Carrigan, along with the use of the company truck and gas card. Motion also includes that Mr. Hickman and Mr. Carrigan will work together until March 17, 2023, which is Mr. Carrigan's last day.

MOTION CARRIED.

12. PUBLIC COMMENTS #2.

None submitted.

13. ADJOURN.

Commissioner Sullivan made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Foley to adjourn.

MOTION CARRIED; MEETING ADJOURNED.

SIGNED AND APPROVED this the _____ day of _____, 2023.

Byron Ryder, County Judge

Joey Sullivan, Commissioner Pct. No. 1

Paul Bing, Commissioner Pct. No. 2

Kyle Workman, Commissioner Pct. No. 3

T. J. Foley, Commissioner Pct. No. 4

ATTEST:

Christie Wakefield, Leon County Clerk