

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

**COUNTY OF COKE**

On this the 27th day of April, 2026, at 9:00 a.m., the Honorable Commissioners' Court met in regular session in the usual meeting place thereof, the courthouse in Robert Lee.

The meeting opened with the pledge to the flag, and prayer was offered by Keith Fletcher.

Judge Spain announced the presence of a quorum with all members of the court being in attendance, except for the absence of Pct. #1 Commissioner Donald Robertson.

Hal Spain	County Judge
Henry Chisholm	Commissioner, Pct. #2
Kizzie Waggonner	Commissioner, Pct. #3
Danny Webb	Commissioner, Pct. #4

and Carolla Orcutt, County Clerk, when the following proceedings were had, to wit;

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Mr. Floyd Blackburn spoke, wanting speed limit lowered on Humble Road to avoid dust being thrown up in the air and to prevent trucks from speeding.

Chief Appraiser Dustin Vernor spoke to the court concerning recently released preliminary taxing values.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Commissioner Chisholm made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda as presented, which includes approving the minutes from April 13, 2026. Extension Report, Sheriff's Report, County Auditor's Report, Constable's Report, Pct. 1, J.P. Report, Trapper Report and the payment of bills. Commissioner Waggonner seconded the motion. Motion carried. See attachments.

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING EXTENSION OF WILDFIRE DISASTER DECLARATION FOR COKE COUNTY**

Commissioner Chisholm made a motion to approve the extension of Wildfire Disaster Declaration for Coke County until May 11th. Commissioner Waggonner seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**BURN BAN**

No action taken. Burn ban remains off.

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING BOND FOR RESERVE DEPUTIES.**

Commissioner Chisholm made the motion to approve. Commissioner Waggonner seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING BOND FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**

Commissioner Chisholm made the motion to approve. Commissioner Waggonner seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING SINGLE BOND FOR TREASURER ASSISTANT**

Commissioner Chisholm made the motion to approve. Commissioner Waggonner seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING  
APPROVAL/DENIAL OF OPEN MEETINGS ACT AND PUBLIC INFORMATION  
ACT CERTIFICATIONS FOR JENNIFER HENDERSON**

Commissioner Waggoner made the motion to approve. Commissioner Chisholm seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING ACCEPTING  
DONATION TO COKE COUNTY**

Judge Spain made a motion to approve accepting donation to Coke County as restitution for Precinct 2. Commissioner Chisolm seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING COKE  
COUNTY DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH AND  
SAFETY EMERGENCY.**

Commissioner Chisholm made a motion to approve the extension of Wildfire Disaster Declaration for Coke County until May 11. Commissioner Waggoner seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING ACCEPTING  
RESIGNATIONS, TERMINATIONS, TRANSFERS, NEW HIRES, ETC.**

No action taken.

**CONSIDER AND TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION CONCERNING BUDGET  
AMENDMENTS AND LINE-ITEM ADJUSTMENTS**

Judge Spain made a motion to accept the budget amendments and line-item adjustments as presented. Commissioner Webb seconded the motion. Motion carried. (attached)

**REPORTS FROM COMMISSIONERS AND JUDGE**

Commissioner Chisholm reported Pool in Bronte is up and running after repairs to pool surface were made.

Judge Spain reported April 28 there will be food distribution at Coke County Courthouse.

There being no further business, Judge Spain adjourned meeting at 10:26 am.

As per HB 2931, Section 4:

**I, Carolla Orcutt, County Clerk of Coke County, Texas do hereby attest that this is an accurate accounting of the proceedings of the Commissioners' Court Meeting that met in Regular Session on April 27, 2026.**

**I hereby set my hand and seal to this record April 27, 2026.**

  
Carolla Orcutt, County Clerk and  
Ex-Officio Clerk of Commissioners' Court

  
Hal Spain, County Judge

