

MINUTES OF MARION COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT

JANUARY 30, 2026

The Commissioners' Court of Marion County met in Special Session at 9:00 a.m. on January 30, 2026. All members present with County Judge Leward LaFleur presiding.

J.R. (JOHN ROSS) ASHLEY, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT #1
JACOB PATTISON, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT #2
PAUL D. WEBB, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT #3
GERED R. LEE, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT #4

ITEM NO. 1

CONSENT AGENDA:

- a. ORDER APPROVING MINUTES OF MEETING JANUARY 26, 2026
- b. ORDER APPROVING BOND: AMANDA L. "MANDY" MOORE, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT 2

Motion by Ashley, seconded by Pattison to approve the consent agenda. All members present voted Aye. Motion carried 4-0.

ITEM NO. 2

ORDER APPROVING TO SIGN THE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING LEGISLATION TO EXEMPT TEXAS COUNTIES FROM THE STATE HOTEL OCCUPANCY TAX.

Motion by Lee, seconded by Ashley. All members present voted Aye. Motion carried 4-0.

See Exhibit "A" attached

ITEM NO. 3

**ORDER TO APPOINT AMANDA L. MOORE AS JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
PRECINCT 2 TO FILL AN UNEXPIRED TERM BEGINNING FEBRUARY 1, 2026 –
DECEMBER 31, 2026.**

Motion by Lafleur, seconded by Ashley. All members present voted Aye. Motion carried 4-0.

Commissioner Lee abstained from the vote

ITEM NO. 4

**COURT TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT
CODE SECTION 551.071 (CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY CONCERNING TAX
ABATEMENTS).**

Entered into at 9:15

Out at 9:46

ITEM NO. 5

**ORDER THAT WE PUBLISH PROPOSED ABATEMENT GUIDELINES IN THE
NEWSPAPER AND ON THE COUNTY WEBSITE HOWEVER I WOULD LIKE THEM
POSTED IN THE NEWSPAPER PRIOR TO US PUTTING THEM ON THE COUNTY
WEBSITE TO GIVE THE NEWSPAPER A LITTLE LEADWAY AND IN THE
GUIDELINES IT STATES THERE'S A \$1000.00 APPLICATION FEE FOR ANYBODY
THAT WANTS TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH US TO ABATE THEIR
TAXES THERE'S A 1000.00 DOLLAR THAT I WOULD ALSO DESIGNATE THAT
MONEY TO THE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE TO BE USED AT HIS
DISCRETION FOR ANY CHILD ABUSE SITUATION.**

Motion by Lafleur, seconded by Ashley. All members present voted Aye. Motion carried 4-0.

ORDER TO ADJOURN

Motion by Ashley, seconded by Pattison. All members present voted Aye. Motion carried 4-0.
Meeting adjourned at 9:49 a.m.

There being no further business brought to the attention of the Commissioners' Court, it is ordered that the Commissioners' Court of Marion County, Texas, adjourn and stand adjourned until the next Regular Session, unless and until called together in Special Session before that time

I attest to the accuracy of
the foregoing minutes.



COUNTY CLERK



COUNTY JUDGE

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