

**THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ANGELINA**

Commissioners Court met in Regular Session on Tuesday, February 24, 2026 at 10:00 A.M. at the Angelina County Commissioners Courtroom and Annex, 211 East Shepherd Avenue, Room 106, Lufkin, Texas with the following members present:

Keith Wright	County Judge
Tim Sprinkle	Commissioner Precinct #1
Kermit Kennedy	Commissioner Precinct #2
Tom Berry	Commissioner Precinct #3
Kenneth Jeffrey	Commissioner Precinct #4

1. Judge Wright called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M. with all members present.
2. Opening prayer by Rev. Stephen Pinkney, New Beginning Baptist Church, Lufkin, TX.
3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Flag of the State of Texas.
4. Public Forum: None

**CONSENT AGENDA**

5. Consider approval of the minutes of February 10, 2026 Regular Session of Commissioners Court Meeting;
6. Discussion/action on a 2025 budget transfer for the Jury Fund:

Transfer from:	Trial Expense	#013-113-4621	\$ 2,760.44
Transfer to:	Jury-District Ct.	#013-113-4625	\$ 2,010.00
	Jury Board & Meals	#013-113-4628	\$ 750.44

\*To cover increased cost of Jury fee payout and Jury meals
7. Discussion/action on a budget transfer for County Attorney:

Transfer from:	Fund Balance	#074-000-3100	\$36,000.00
Transfer to:	Capital Outlay	#074-174-4995	\$36,000.00

\*To cover cost for investigator vehicle
8. Consider approval of any departmental reports and routine items;
9. Discussion/action on approval and authorization for payment of the bills as submitted by the County Auditor;

Tim Sprinkle made a motion to approve the consent agenda. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.

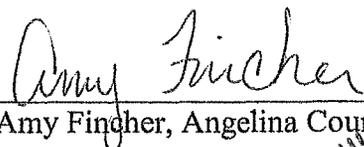
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.

## **BUSINESS AGENDA**

10. Died for lack of a motion. (Discussion/action on a request from the Angelina County Landfill on awarding the bid for the sale of Caterpillar 826H Landfill Compactor)
11. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve the preliminary plat of Peppertree Estates-Phase 1 in Pct. #4, after changes are made (limit access on CC Road and added notes). Tom Berry seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
12. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve the reappointment of Phyllis Grandgeorge to the Workforce Board for another three (3) year term representing Community Based Organizations for Angelina County, the term expired on December 31, 2025. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
13. Kermit Kennedy made a motion to approve a three-year (3) lease/purchase agreement for two (2) patrol vehicles for the Sheriff's Office with the first payment due in February, 2027. Tom Berry seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
14. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve a transfer of vehicles from the District Attorney's Office to the Sheriff's Office:  
  
2011 Ford Crown Victoria-VIN# 2FABP7BV8BX169196  
2013 Ford Explorer-VIN# 1FM5K7B80DGA37621  
  
Tim Sprinkle seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
15. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve the increase in jury service rates from \$58.00 to \$60.00 per day. Tom Berry seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.

16. Tom Berry made a motion to approve the Jury Fund Cash Payment Procedure presented by Jill Brewer, County Treasurer. Kenneth Jeffrey seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
17. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve the Treasurer Monthly Report, Month Ended January 2026. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
18. Died for lack of a motion. (Appearance of Jill Brewer, County Treasurer, to present/discussion/action on the updated Angelina County Credit Card Policy)
19. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve to enroll all County Personnel in the 2026 State mandated Cyber-Security Training, authorizing the IT Director to digitally sign the enrollment form. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
20. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve sponsoring the Fishers of Men Tournament at Cassels-Boykins Park, September 29 thru October 3, 2026. Tom Berry seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.
21. Judge Wright made a motion to adjourn at 10:42 A.M. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.  
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey  
Voted Against: (None)  
Motion carried.

I, Amy Fincher, Angelina County Clerk, do hereby attest to the accuracy of the Commissioners Court Minutes for February 24, 2026 on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026.

  
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Amy Fincher, Angelina County Clerk

