

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF ANGELINA**

Commissioners Court met in Regular Session on Tuesday, May 12, 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. Lynn Hargrow, Long Chapel CME 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: David Stua spoke against item #8.

CONSENT AGENDA

5. Consider approval of the minutes of April 28, 2026 Regular Session of Commissioners Court Meeting;
6. Consider approval of any departmental reports and routine items (Judge Wright requested for Jill Brewer to present the Investment Report);
7. Discussion/action on approval and authorization for payment of the bills as submitted by the County Auditor;

Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve the consent agenda. Tom Berry seconded the motion.

Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

BUSINESS AGENDA

8. Tom Berry made a motion to approve a request from Judge Jimmy Cassels, County Court at Law #2 Judge, to relocate his office to the District Attorney's current office location that is located behind his courtroom. Kenneth Jeffrey seconded the motion.
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey
Voted Against: (None)
Motion carried.

9. Kermit Kennedy made a motion to approve a Proclamation proclaiming JUNE 2026 as ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS MONTH in Angelina County. Tim Sprinkle seconded the motion.
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey
Voted Against: (None)
Motion carried.
10. Tim Sprinkle made a motion to approve the issuance of a Resolution for the Sheriff's Office to submit in support of the FY2027 Grant for Body Cameras from the Office of the Governor. Kenneth Jeffrey seconded the motion.
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey
Voted Against: (None)
Motion carried.
11. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve the Sheriff's Office to apply for the BJ FY25 Small, Rural and Tribal Body-Worn Camera Program Grant from the US Bureau of Justice and the approval of a Resolution in support of the grant. 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 sheriff's office to surplus 3 Whelen Liberty overhead emergency lightbars and to donate those to the Central Fire Department. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey
Voted Against: (None)
Motion carried.
13. Tom Berry made a motion to approve the donation of Asset ID# 18776, a 2016 Cross enclosed trailer, to Texas DPS. Tim Sprinkle 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 restriping and painting handicap spots at the Justice of the Peace, Pct. #4 parking lot in Diboll, Texas. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey
Voted Against: (None)
Motion carried.
15. Judge Wright made a motion to adjourn at 10:29 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 May 12, 2026 on this 12th day of May, 2026.



Amy Fincher

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