

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF ANGELINA**

Commissioners Court met in Regular Session on Tuesday, August 11, 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 Commissioner Tim Sprinkle.
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: Michael McCracken and David Stua asked questions regarding item #8

CONSENT AGENDA

5. Consider approval of the minutes of July 28, 2026 Regular Session of Commissioners Court Meeting;

6. Discussion/action on a budget transfer for Veterans Service:

Transfer from:	Training Personnel	#010-005-4248	\$ 200.00
Transfer to:	Supplies Office	#010-005-4615	\$ 200.00

*To purchase new claims submission software called VetPro

7. Discussion/action on a budget transfer for 159th District Judge:

Transfer from:	Office Supplies	#010-045 4615	\$ 507.27
Transfer to:	Printing and Forms	#010-045-4611	\$ 507.27

*To purchase Attorney Fee vouchers.

8. Discussion/action on a budget transfer for the County Jail:

Transfer from:	Utilities: W&S	#010-025-4704	\$ 50,000.00
	Utilities: Supplies	#010-025-4615	\$ 15,000.00
	Utilities: Food Cost	#010-025-4403	\$ 75,000.00
Transfer to:	Inmate Medical	#010-025-4174	\$140,000.00

*To cover an unusually higher amount of acute medical conditions with the inmates

9. Discussion/action on a budget transfer for County Court at Law#2:

Transfer from:	Trial Transcripts CPS	#010-011-4637	\$ 4,500.00
Transfer to:	Visiting Reporter/Recorder	#010-011-4638	\$ 4,500.00

*To cover visiting Reporter/Recorder

10. Discussion/action on a budget transfer for Indigent Health Care:

Transfer from:	Office Supplies	#010-035 4615	\$ 700.00
Transfer to:	Conference/Training	#010-035-4248	\$ 700.00

*To cover cost for Conference/Training

11. Discussion/action on approving a 2026 salary correction for County Court at Law #1 Judge, to meet the state mandated salary. The salary and benefits will be transferred from contingency.

Transfer from:	Contingency	#010-075-4547	\$12,504.00
Transfer to:	Elected Officials	#010-009-4002	\$10,500.00
	Fed Payroll Tax	#010-009-4034	\$ 803.00
	Retirement	#010-009-4035	\$ 1,155.00
	Worker's Comp	#010-009-4037	\$ 46.00

12. Discussion/action on approving a budget transfer from contingency to the General Fund:

Transfer from:	Contingency	#010-075-4647	\$ 2,000.00
Transfer to:	Supplies	#010-075-4615	\$ 2,000.00

*To cover the cost of servicing the first aid kits in the various County buildings and other miscellaneous supplies

13. Consider approval of any departmental reports and routine items;

14. 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, removing items #8 and #11 and moving them to the Business Agenda. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

BUSINESS AGENDA

Tom Berry made a motion to approve Item #8. Kenneth Jeffrey seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve Item #11. Tim Sprinkle seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

15. Tom Berry made a motion to approve the final plat of Molandes Miles Road Place in Pct. #3. Kermit Kennedy 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 final plat of Coyote Grove No. 2 in Pct. #3, contingent on corrections made regarding the drainage and utility easement. Tim Sprinkle seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

17. Tom Berry made a motion to approve the final plat of Timberidge in Pct. #3, contingent on corrections made regarding the drainage and utility easements. Kenneth Jeffrey seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

18. Kermit Kennedy made a motion to approve increasing the Angelina County Airport T-Hanger rates from \$195.00 per month to \$225.00 per month. Tim Sprinkle seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

19. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve Resolution O11-26, Sponsor for the Angelina County Airport Runway 7-25 Extension, with signatures added. 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 the Sheriff's Office to apply for a County Feral Hog Abatement Grant from Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Wildlife Services program to purchase Pig Brig hog traps for loan to County Landowners. Tim Sprinkle seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

21. Tim Sprinkle made a motion to approve accepting \$200,000.00 from Azalea Springs Solar Park for the specific use to repair the Precinct #1 roads surrounding the Azalea Springs Solar Park. Kenneth Jeffrey seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

22. This is to certify that Angelina County received a payment in the amount of \$200,000.00 from Azalea Springs Solar Park for damages to county roads surrounding the solar park in Precinct #1. This is to create a budget for that revenue:

Debit: Hardtop Roads-Special Projects	#035-135-4895	\$200,000.00
Credit: Road Damage Reimbursements	#035-000-3609	\$200,000.00

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

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

23. Tim Sprinkle made a motion to approve a Resolution authorizing the fiscal year 2027 County Grant for the Annual Texas Feeding Texans Program for the Senior Citizen Center. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

24. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve the agreement between Angelina County and JuryQ for the new Jury Management Software. Tom Berry seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

25. Kermit Kennedy made a motion to approve the Plan Sponsor Agreement between the pharmacy benefit manager, ServeYou, and Angelina County. This will be a three-year contract, beginning 8/1/26 to manage the drug plan for the Angelina County health insurance. Admin fee will be \$8.95 per member per month. Kenneth Jeffrey seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

26. Kermit Kennedy made a motion to approve amending the contract with Texas Document Solution to add two copiers in the Tax Assessor office and two in the County Court at Law #2 office and Courtroom. at the cost of \$542.57 per month. Tom Berry seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

27. Kenneth Jeffrey made a motion to approve exchanging seven (7) guest chairs personally belonging to Phil Huber for the office chair he used as Veteran's Service Officer. Tom Berry seconded the motion.

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

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

28. Judge Wright made a motion to adjourn at 10:44 A.M. Kermit Kennedy seconded the motion.

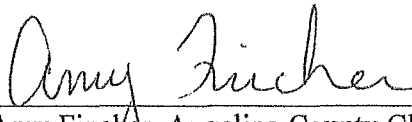
Voted For: Tim Sprinkle, Kermit Kennedy, Tom Berry and Kenneth Jeffrey

Voted Against: (None)

Motion carried.

I, Amy Fincher, Angelina County Clerk, do hereby attest to the accuracy of the Commissioners Court Minutes for August 12, 2026 on this 13th day of August, 2026.





Amy Fincher, Angelina County Clerk