

**JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS**  
**September 18, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.**

The Faulkner County Quorum Court met in its regular session at 6:00 PM on September 18, 2025, in Courtroom “4” located in the Faulkner County Justice Building with Judge Allen Dodson presiding.

The Invocation and pledge were led by Justice Lyon.

**Attendance:** County Judge Allen Dodson, County Administrator Tom Anderson, Administrator Randy Higgins, County Clerk appear through her chief deputy, Tammie Lemings, Treasurer Scott Sanson, Counsel Philip Murphy and the following Court members were present: Justices Allison, Kendrick, Lachowsky, Lyon, Meeks, Moss, Pearson, Shock, Strain, Tyler, Coats, Knight & Yorgey.

**Approval of the Journal:** Justice Yorgey made a motion that the Journal of Proceedings be approved, and such motion was seconded by Justice Kendrick. The Journal was unanimously approved.

**County Officer’s Report:** The Treasurer’s report was provided to the Court on the Financial Standing of the County and a copy is on file.

**Standing Committees Reports**

**Budget & Finance:** Met last week and have two (2) Ordinances to present under “New Business.”

**Courts & Public Safety:** No report.

**Personnel:** Met last week and forward two (2) Ordinance to Budget & Finance and have two (2) to present under a “New Business” tonight.

**Infrastructure & Roads:** No report.

**Public Comments:** No Report

**Special Reports:** None

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:**

The Court discussed Proposed Ordinance 25-24. This is an appropriation Ordinance to amend and supplement Faulkner County Ordinance 24-52 (November 20, 2024), and to declare an emergency. Justice Lachowsky made a motion to accept Proposed Ordinance 25-24, and such motion was seconded by Justice Knight. Counsel Murphy read Proposed Ordinance 25-24 by title only. After discussion, Judge Dodson called for a vote by roll call for Proposed Ordinance 25-24. The roll was called and Proposed Ordinance 25-24 passed with a vote of 13-0.

The Court discussed Proposed Ordinance 25-25. This is an Ordinance to create a new position in Victim Witness, Department 0429, and to declare an emergency. Justice Kendrick made a motion to accept Proposed Ordinance 25-25, and such motion was seconded by Justice Coats. Counsel Murphy read Proposed Ordinance 25-25 by title only. After discussion, Judge Dodson called for a vote by roll call for Proposed Ordinance 25-25. The roll was called and Proposed Ordinance 25-25 passed with a vote of 13-0.

The Court discussed Proposed Ordinance 25-26. This is an Ordinance to set the compensation of Election Coordinator, Position 1001, and to declare an emergency. Justice Kendrick made a motion to accept Proposed Ordinance 25-26, and such motion was seconded by Justice Lyon. Counsel Murphy read Proposed Ordinance 25-26 by title only. After discussion, Judge Dodson called for a vote by roll call for Proposed Ordinance 25-26. The roll was called and Proposed Ordinance 25-26 was passed with a vote of 13-0.

The Court discussed Proposed Ordinance 25-27. This is an Ordinance to reclassify a job title, to amend and supplement Faulkner County Ordinance 24-52 (November 20, 2024), and to declare an emergency. Justice Lachowsky made a motion to accept Proposed Ordinance 25-27, and such motion was seconded by Justice Knight. After discussion, Judge Dodson called for a vote by roll call for Proposed Ordinance 25-27. The roll was called and Proposed Ordinance 25-27 was passed with a vote of 13-0.

**Appointment:**

Marcus Shock was presented for appointment to the Museum Board by Judge Dodson. Justice Kendrick made a motion to approve the appointment of Marcus Shock to the Museum Board, and such motion was seconded by Justice Moss. The appointment was unanimously approved.

**Adjournment:** Adjourned at 6:53 PM

**\*\*\*\*\*An audio tape of this meeting is kept on file\*\*\*\*\***