



Minutes for the
Madison County Commissioners Court
Tuesday, January 13, 2026

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MADISON

IN COMMISSIONERS COURT
OF MADISON COUNTY, TEXAS

The Madison County Commissioners Court met in Regular Session on the 13th day of January 2026, 9:30 a.m., at the Madison County Courthouse Annex, County Courtroom, 103 W. Trinity Street, Suite 106, Madisonville, Texas with the following members:

Clark Osborne	County Judge	Present
Stephen Parrish	Commissioner, Precinct 1	Present
Carl Wiseman	Commissioner, Precinct 2	Present
Carl Cannon	Commissioner, Precinct 3	Present
David Pohorelsky	Commissioner, Precinct 4	Present

1. Invocation and Pledges of Allegiance
 - Invocation – Commissioner Parrish
 - Pledge of allegiance to the United States and Texas flags – Judge Osborne
2. Call Regular Meeting to Order
 - Meeting was called to order at 9:31 A.M.

COUNTY CLERK – ADRIAN LAWSON

3. Review and/or correct minutes of the commissioners' court regular meeting held on December 23, 2025.
 - a) Agenda
No corrections needed.

COLLECTION REPORTS

4. Approve Collection Reports for County Clerk and County Criminal Court.
Reports submitted, see attached.
Commissioner Pohorelsky made a motion to approve; Commissioner Wiseman gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve the Collection Reports for County Clerk and County Criminal Court, all in favor.
MOTION CARRIED.
5. Approve Collection Reports for District Attorney.
No report submitted.
6. Approve Collection Report for District Clerk.
No report submitted.

Treasurer – Judi Delesandri

7. Approve paying County bills.
Report submitted, see attached.
Commissioner Wiseman made a motion to approve; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve paying County bills, all in favor.
MOTION CARRIED.
8. Approve bills paid since last court date – December 23, 2025.
Report submitted, see attached.
Commissioner Cannon made a motion to approve; Commissioner Parrish gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve bills paid since last court date December 23, 2025, all in favor.
MOTION CARRIED.
9. Approve Treasurer’s Report.
Report submitted, see attached.
Commissioner Cannon made a motion to approve; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve the Treasurer’s Report, all in favor.
MOTION CARRIED.
10. Approve personnel changes.
Report submitted, see attached.
Commissioner Pohorelsky made a motion to approve; Commissioner Parrish gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve the personnel changes, all in favor.
MOTION CARRIED.

Auditor – Susan Pugh

11. Auditor’s Report
Report submitted, see attached.
Commissioner Cannon made a motion to approve; Commissioner Parrish gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve the Auditor’s Report, all in favor.
MOTION CARRIED.
12. Budget Amendments.
Report submitted, see attached.
Commissioner Cannon made a motion to approve; Commissioner Parrish gave a second Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve Budget Amendments and Line-Item Transfers, all in favor.
MOTION CARRIED.

Departmental Reports

13. Historical Commission
No report submitted.
14. Designated Representative Monthly Report – Tom McWhorter
No reports submitted. Tom stated that for the month of December they processed four septic permits for a total of \$1,600.00.
15. Tax Assessor/Collector Monthly Report – Karen Lane, TAC
 - a) Reports
Report submitted, see attached.
16. Emergency Management Report – Shelly Butts

- a) Reports
Report submitted, see attached.
17. County Extension Agent Monthly Report-Allen Homann/Ty Jordan
No report submitted.
18. Veterans Affairs - Erica Greene/Gordon Plumlee
a) Report
Report submitted, see attached.
19. Elections Administrator-Bobbie Duke
No report submitted. Bobbie Duke spoke about a mass mail out and preparation for Primary Election.
20. Justice of the Peace – Steve Cole/Jon Stevens
a) JP1 Report
b) JP2 Report
Report submitted, see attached.
21. Sheriff’s Office – Bobby Adams
a) Report
Report submitted, see attached.
22. Madison County Library – Veronica Landmann
No reports submitted.
23. Constable – Charles Turner/Aaron Campbell
Reports submitted, see attached.
24. District Attorney – Courtney Cain
No report submitted. Courtney Cain spoke about a jury trial, and court statistics.
25. County Commissioners Report
Pct. 1 – Commissioner Parrish
No report submitted. Commissioner Parrish stated general maintenance.
Pct. 2 – Commissioner Wiseman
No report submitted. Commissioner Wiseman stated grading roads and general maintenance.
Pct. 3 – Commissioner Cannon
No report submitted. Commissioner Cannon stated maintenance.
Pct. 4 – Commissioner Pohorelsky
No report submitted. Commissioner Pohorelsky stated maintenance and grading roads.
26. Judge’s Report – Clark Osborne
No report submitted. Judge Osborne spoke about rain fall, the retaining wall at the courthouse, no burn ban, Highway 21 widening, battery centers by Energy Vault, Leon County Data Centers, and a Subregional Planning Committee.
- 27. Public Comment**
Hear Comments in reference to the following Agenda Items Only – time limit 3 minutes, one person at a time will be called from the Public Participation Forms submitted. Move to the front of the Court and stand at the podium.
- No Public Participation form submitted to the Clerk of Court.
 - Aaron Campbell received a certificate from Criminal Justice Information Services Security and Privacy Training for successfully completing the Security and Privacy: Security Role.

- Aaron Campbell received a certificate of completion as a certified operator for TASER Energy Weapons.

28. Presentations

29. Action Items

- a) Discuss and take action on clarification regarding Deputy pay increases approved May 2025.

- i) Request

Curtis Klinge, Judge Osborne, and Susan Pugh provided information to the court, see attached.

Commissioner Cannon made a motion to take no action; Commissioner Wiseman gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to take no other action besides the explanation provided on clarification regarding Deputy pay increases approved May 2025, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

- b) Discuss and take action on the Joint Resolution with the Democratic and Republican Parties of Madison County for the March Primary 2026 Election, and possibly the Primary Runoff in May 2026.

Bobbie Duke, and Judge Osborne provided information to the court, see attached.

Commissioner Parrish made a motion to approve; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve the Joint Resolution with the Democratic and Republican Parties of Madison County for the March Primary 2026 Election, and possibly the Primary Runoff in May 2026, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

- c) Discuss and take action on accepting bid received for the collection and disposal of rural containerized residential solid waste from all county precincts for Madison County, for the contract period beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2027.

Susan Pugh provided information to the court, see attached.

Commissioner Cannon made a motion to reject; Commissioner Parrish gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to not accept bid received for the collection and disposal of rural containerized residential solid waste from all county precincts for Madison County, for the contract period beginning January 1, 2026, and ending December 31, 2027, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

- d) Discuss and take action on approving and signing the US Bank Agreement for county credit cards for Madison County.

Susan Pugh and Judge Osborne provided information to the court, see attached.

Judge Osborne made a motion to approve; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve and sign the US Bank Agreement for county credit cards for Madison County, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

- e) Discuss and take action on phone line quotes for Madison County.

- i) Quote

Susan Pugh, Donna Cuevas, Shelly Butts, and Judge Osborne provided information to the court, see attached.

Judge Osborne made a motion to approve; Commissioner Cannon gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve Advantage phone line quote for Madison County, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

f) Discuss and take action on signing the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department County Boat Agent Agreement.

Karen Lane provided information to the court, see attached.

Commissioner Wiseman made a motion to approve; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve signing the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department County Boat Agent Agreement, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

g) Discuss and take action on the HOT Funds Application from the City of Madisonville, for the 2026 MudBug Music Festival.

Judge Osborne provided information to the court, see attached.

Commissioner Cannon made a motion to approve; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to approve the HOT Funds Application from the City of Madisonville, for the 2026 MudBug Music Festival, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

h) Review and accept Constable Pct. 2 Racial Profiling Report.

Charles Turner provided information to the court, see attached.

Commissioner Cannon made a motion to accept; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to accept Constable Pct. 2 Racial Profiling Report, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

30. Public Comment

No discussion or action will be taken at this time by the Court. A three (3) minute limit per speaker. One person at a time will be called from the Public Participation Forms submitted. Move to the front of the Court and stand at the podium. Please address your comments to your commissioner.

- No Public Participation form submitted to the Clerk of Court.
 - Justin Marsh made a comment about the solid waste bid.

31. Adjourn

Commissioner Wiseman made a motion to adjourn; Commissioner Pohorelsky gave a second; Judge Osborne called for a vote to adjourn, all in favor.

MOTION CARRIED.

Meeting was adjourned Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at 10:25 A.M.

I, Adrian Lawson, Madison County Clerk, do hereby attest that the foregoing is a true and accurate accounting of the Commissioners Court's authorized proceedings for January 13, 2026.

Signed this 21st day of January 2026.



Adrian Lawson, County Clerk
Commissioners' Court
Madison County, Texas

