

I, Jamie Leal, County Clerk of Karnes County, Texas, do hereby certify that the following Commissioners Court Minutes are a true and correct record of the proceedings from the Commissioners Court Meeting on June 9, 2026.

ATTEST:



Jamie Leal, County Clerk
And Ex-Officio Clerk of the
Commissioners Court of
Karnes County, Texas



KARNES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

REGULAR SESSION - JUNE 9, 2026

Commissioners Court met in regular session on Tuesday, June 9, 2026 at 9:00 AM in the Karnes County Offices on the Square located at 210 West Calvert, Suite 150, Karnes City, Texas, with the following members present:

County Judge Wade Hedtke
Commissioner Pct. #1 David Wiatrek
Commissioner Prct.#3 James Rosales
Commissioner Prct.#4 Wes Gisler

Agenda

1. Welcome.

Judge Hedtke opened the meeting and welcomed all present.

2. Quorum Present. ☐ Yes ☐ No Absent: _____
X Yes ☐ No Absent: Commissioner Prct.#2 Lyssy

3. Opening Prayer.

Judge Hedtke gave the opening prayer.

4. Pledge of Allegiance.

5. Citizens to be heard.

Names: _____
None.

6. Discuss/Take possible action: Asking consideration from County to assist in funds for KCHO. For the past 12 years have paid for salaries from own personal account and have done a lot by answering calls and accepting dogs that have been dumped in our County. If no assistance the KCHO will have no other option but to close its doors. (Need funding for 2 employees currently at KCHO)

Agenda item was discussed. No action was taken.

7. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Adopt a resolution identifying signatories for Karnes County's TxCDBG grants with the Texas Department of Agriculture.
A motion by Commissioner Pct. #1 Wiatrek and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales to approve the agenda item as presented. .
All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.
8. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Approve clarification of item 14 from Commissioner Court Agenda May 26, 2026: Fund GL 100-560-5711 has \$55,000.00. \$27,500.00 was transferred to GL 100-560-4540 coded as Vehicle Maint. & Repairs and \$27,500.00 was transferred to GL 100-560-3300 coded as Fuel.
A motion by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#4 Gisler to approve the agenda item as presented. .
All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.
9. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: RFQ for Forensic Roof Evaluation/Expert Engineering Services to perform a forensic evaluation of the standing seam metal roof installed at 210 W. Calvert, Karnes City, Offices on the Square for purpose of litigation in Centurion Industries, Inc. dba A-Lert Roofing -vs- Karnes County.
A motion by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#4 Gisler to approve the agenda item as presented. .
All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.
10. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Proposal and Renewal for FY 2027 employee health insurance benefits with TAC HEBP and authorizing the County Judge to sign contract.
Agenda item was discussed. No action taken.
11. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: County specific incentive program for employee health benefits for FY 2027.
No action.
12. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Kenedy ISD Memorandum of Understanding for two (2) Full-time School Resource Officers.
A motion by Commissioner Pct. #1 Wiatrek and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales to approve the agenda item as presented. .
All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.
13. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Receipt of grant funds in the amount of \$350,000.00 from the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts for HB 3000 (89R) which established the Texas Rural Ambulance Grant Fund and authorize the establishment of both revenue and expense general ledger codes in order for expenditures to take place. Funds are to be used according to the provisions contained within the grant agreement.
A motion by Commissioner Prct.#4 Gisler and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales to approve the agenda item as presented. .
All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.
14. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Replacing Constable Precinct 4 light bar on county vehicle. Current light bar is not working and is preventing Constable from performing his duties.

Motion by Commissioner Prct. #4 Gisler to approve to reach out to get the module form and get the module, and then approve the rewiring of the light bar.

Following discussion, it was determined that no action was necessary. No motion was considered, and no vote was taken.

15. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Recommendation by DRG Architects and Commissioner Precinct 4-Wes Gisler to approve final construction documents for the Precinct 4 Service Center and J.P. Office Building Project and authorize DRG Architects to take all actions necessary to issue construction documents for competitive sealed proposals for construction.

Discussion. This item was tabled to the next meeting.

16. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Recommendation by DRG Architects and Commissioner Precinct 4-Wes Gisler to approve final construction documents for the Precinct 4 EMS Satellite Building Project and authorize DRG Architects to take all actions necessary to issue construction documents for competitive sealed proposals for construction.

This item was tabled to the next meeting.

17. Discuss/Approve/Disapprove: Recommendation by the Road & Bridge Engineer to award a contract to CINTAS to supply uniforms for the Road & Bridge Department and to authorize County Judge to execute the contract.

No action was taken on agenda item.

18. Consent Agenda

A motion by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#4 Gisler to approve the consent agenda as presented with budget amendments.

All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.

A. Reports:

- 1) Justice of the Peace Pct #2
- 2) TxDMV
- 3) EMS

B. Budget Amendments: BA 2026-16; 2026-17; 2026-18

19. Discuss any item(s) from consent agenda to be considered and acted upon.

20. Updates From:

- A. County Judge
- B. Commissioner Pct. #1
- C. Commissioner Pct. #2
- D. Commissioner Pct. #3
- E. Commissioner Pct. #4

21. Reports From:

- A. Auditor
- B. Treasurer

22. Discuss/Action regarding Treasurer's Report

A motion by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#4 Gisler to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented. .

All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.

23. Discuss/Acknowledgement of Personnel Changes - reporting by all departments on any changes in respective departments.

24. Payment of bills.

A motion by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#4 Gisler to approve the payment of bills.

All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.

25. Acknowledge the Commissioners Court will meet on **June 23, 2026 at 9:00 AM**, in the Karnes County Historic Courtroom, located at 101 North Panna Maria Avenue, Suite 200, Karnes City, Texas 78118.

The agenda item is acknowledged.

26. Adjourn.

A motion by Commissioner Prct.#3 Rosales and seconded by Commissioner Prct.#4 Gisler to Adjourn.

All voted aye. Motion carried Yes 4, No 0, Abstained 0.