

COUNTY OF BRISCOE

On the 14th day of April 2025, the Commissioner's Court of Briscoe County, Texas convened in a Regular Session at the County Courtroom, at the Courthouse in Silverton, Texas, with the following members of the Court present to wit:

RANK COGDELL, County Judge,
ROSS ESTES, Commissioner Precinct #1,
JACK WELLMAN, Commissioner Precinct #2,
DANNY FRANCIS, Commissioner Precinct #3,
JOHN BURSON, Commissioner, Precinct #4,

AMY FUSTON, County Clerk

Other officials present: Mary Jo Brannon, Garrett Davis, Jon Etta Ziegler and G.J. Walton.

Meeting was called to order at 9:03 A.M. by Judge Rank Cogdell

Open Forum: G.J. Walton gave the court information on his court management program, LGS, not migrating citations into his software from the Briscoe County Sheriff's Office.

Motion was made by Commissioner Francis to approve the minutes from the March 10, 2025 meeting, as presented. Seconded by Commissioner Wellman, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wellman to approve the 2023-2024 audit as presented. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wellman to table any actions concerning the Briscoe County Welfare Board after a presentation from the Amarillo Angels. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wellman to approve the bond for reserve deputy Clint Hunt. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wellman to approve the purchase of tough books for the sheriff's office for \$7,959.94 from Farley IT to replace the previous approved bid from Bob Johnson's Computer Stuff, Inc. for tough books to be taken out of SB-22 funds. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Estes to allow the purchase of all emergency equipment needed for new patrol unit up to \$20,000 to be taken out of SB 22 funds.. Seconded by Commissioner Wellman, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Burson to renew the burn ban for Briscoe County. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Burson to approve Farley's IT to provide Guardz to all county accounts and move all interested county accounts to Farley IT emails. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Budget Amendments-None

Motion was made by Commissioner Francis to approve the Precinct 1 work order for Jarred Francis in the amount of \$373.60 and Dane Mullins for \$1120.80, and the Precinct 4 work order for Tom Burson for \$125.00. Seconded by Commissioner Burson, passed with a 5-0 vote it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wellman to accept the following monthly reports. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Amy Fuston, County/District Clerk-Jan, Feb, March
Jon Etta Ziegler, Tax A/C
G. J. Walton, J. P. #1
Stephanie Otis, CEA-FCS
Lydia Rodriguez-Chief Appraiser

Mary Jo Brannon, Treasurer
Garrett_Davis, Sheriff
Cotton Elliott, J.P. #2-Feb and March
Spencer_Perkins, CEA-AG-Oral Report

Motion was made by Commissioner Francis to accept the Treasurer Office Holder Report. Seconded by Commissioner Burson, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

TREASURER'S OFFICE HOLDER REPORT
BRISCOE COUNTY
April 1, 2025


Tax Assessor-Collector	\$9,842.29
Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1	\$1,214.92
Justice of the Peace, Prec. 2	\$1,696.00
Precinct 1	\$1,370.80

(THE STATE OF TEXAS)
(COUNTY OF BRISCOE)

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mary Jo Brannon, County Treasurer of Briscoe County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.


Mary Jo Brannon, Briscoe County Treasurer

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1st day of April, 2025.


Amy Fuston, Briscoe County Clerk

By:
Juanita Murrell



Motion was made by Commissioner Francis to accept the Commissioner's Court Affidavit. Seconded by Commissioner Burson, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT AFFIDAVIT

In compliance with Section 114.026 of the Local Government Code, the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County on this date has compared and examined the Monthly Report of Mary Jo Brannon, Briscoe County Treasurer. Every account is reported as required by Section 114.026 Local Government Code and the Commissioners' inspection was made in accordance with Section 114.026 of the Local Government Code.

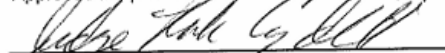
MONTHLY REPORT FOR MARCH 2025


FUND	BALANCE	RECEIPTS	DISBURSED	END BALANCE
Gen Fund	\$ 3,441,299.47	\$ 54,887.79	\$ 127,534.67	\$ 3,368,652.59
Jury Fund	\$ 63,706.73	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 63,706.73
Prec 1	\$ 179,925.27	\$ 5,709.57	\$ 13,959.98	\$ 171,674.86
Prec 2	\$ 196,437.87	\$ 5,184.32	\$ 8,021.79	\$ 193,600.40
Prec 3	\$ 199,861.25	\$ 4,800.31	\$ 11,536.76	\$ 193,124.80
Prec 4	\$ 245,653.96	\$ 4,416.31	\$ 10,844.22	\$ 239,226.05
*Other Funds	\$ 368,832.18	\$ 2,720.04	\$ 7,625.85	\$ 363,926.37
Total	\$ 4,695,716.73	\$ 77,718.34	\$ 179,523.27	\$ 4,593,911.80

*Balances of Other Funds that have stipulations by law as how they may be spent, and may not be included in other fund's balances.

In this regular session of Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, the requirements of Section 114.026 Subsection C of the Local Government Code have been met and \$4,593,911.80 remains in the custody of Mary Jo Brannon, Briscoe County Treasurer.

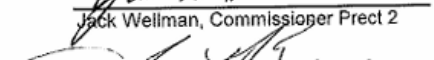
Approved in open court this the 14th day of April 2025.


Rank Cogdell, County Judge


Ross Estes, Commissioner Prec 1


Danny Francis, Commissioner Prec 3


Jack Wellman, Commissioner Prec 2


John Burson, Commissioner Prec 4

Motion was made by Commissioner Wellman to pay the invoices as presented. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Francis to pay the vote separate bills to Silverton Oil for \$1,578.62 and \$4,855.68. Seconded by Commissioner Wellman, Commissioner Estes abstaining, passed with a 4-0 vote, it is so ordered.

Motion was made by Commissioner Wellman to pay the salaries and line items. Seconded by Commissioner Francis, passed with a 5-0 vote it is so ordered.

Discussion on County Road Width and Classification

Discussion on Designating Some/All of Briscoe County as closed range.

Discussion on Shelton Title Continued Utility Payments for Office Space.

Motion was made by Commissioner Burson to adjourn. Seconded by Commissioner Wellman, passed with a 5-0 vote, it is so ordered. Adjourned at 12:50 P.M.

/S/ Amy Fuston
County Clerk, Briscoe County, Texas