

**September 21, 2026**

At a scheduled meeting of the Walker County Commission held in their offices in the Walker County Courthouse Annex, Jasper, Alabama, at 9:30 a.m. on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 2026, Chairman Miller gave the welcome and called the meeting to order.

After Chairman Miller gave the invitation for comment from citizens and other elected officials, County Administrator Amy Frederickson called the roll and Commissioners present were John Dunagan, Jeff Burrough, Jim Borden and Steven Aderholt.

Ms. Kelley gave the invocation and Commissioner Dunagan led the pledge of allegiance.

**AWARDS AND PRESENTATION:**

None.

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

Motion was made by Commissioner Dunagan and seconded by Commissioner Aderholt to Approve the Agenda; to Approve the Meeting Minutes of September 8, 2026; and to Approve the New Vendor List for August 2026.

Without discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

**REPORTS FROM STAFF:**

County Administrator Amy Frederickson welcomed everyone and explained that she had three things to note: "First, just a reminder that flu shots will be given, in this room, September 28<sup>th</sup> from noon to 12:30; Second, Paycor implementation is going rather smoothly. We are continuing to get a configuration of the timesheets. We anticipate that all departments will be able to view them for their department hopefully by the end of the day. [Tammy is] going to reach out to make sure that what you're seeing is what we need you to be seeing before we make a grand announcement that it's ready to go." "Third," Ms. Frederickson, reminded that "Accounts Payable is suspending the issuance of POs through the end of the fiscal year for any purchases with payments that will not be made within the next thirty days." Frederickson recognized that accounts payables would still issue POs for purchases with payments made within the next 30 days.

County Engineer Glenn Peek stated, "We have paving projects currently on roads and working on financing bids for a few other projects." Mr. Peek continued noting that County Risk concluded their annual site inspection and indicated that "we should be receiving a report from that within the next week."

**OLD BUSINESS:**

None.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

(1) Motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Aderholt to open discussion of Discussion and Approval of Resolution to continue County Participation in CRS's Alabama Liability Self-Insurance Fund through December 31, 2029.

After explanation by County Administrator Amy Frederickson, motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Aderholt to Approve the County Participation in CRS's Alabama Liability Self-Insurance Fund through December 31, 2029.

Without discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

(2) Motion was made by Commissioner Dunagan and seconded by Commissioner Burrough to open discussion of Discussion and Approval of MOU with Heritage Health Solutions, Inc. for the Processing of County Selected Inmate Medical Claims.

After explanation by Mr. Richie Harbinson and reiteration by County Administrator Amy Frederickson, and allowance for County Attorney Charles R. Stephens, Jr. to review the MOU after the meeting, motion was made by Commissioner Dunagan and seconded by Commissioner Burrough to Approve the MOU with Heritage Health Solutions, Inc. for the Processing of County Selected Inmate Medical Claims, Authorizing the Chairman to sign after County Attorney Stephens reviews the MOU.

Without discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

(3) Motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Aderholt to open discussion of Discussion and Approval of Walker County Building Rental Agreement with

Alabama Extension Office.

After explanation by Chairman Miller, motion was made by Commissioner Dunagan and seconded by Commissioner Aderholt to Approve Walker County Building Rental Agreement with Alabama Extension Office.

Without additional discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

(4) Motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Dunagan to open discussion of Discussion and Approval of Fairgrounds Right of Access Agreement with Bankhead Land & Timber Co., Inc.

After explanation by Commissioner Dunagan and much discussion, motion was made by Commissioner Dunagan and seconded by Commissioner Burrough to approve the Fairgrounds Right of Access Agreement with Bankhead Land & Timber Co., Inc. and give the Chairman the authority to sign (Once discussion of the cutting of the trees around the cemetery is finalized).

Without further discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

(5) Motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Dunagan to open discussion of Discussion and Approval of FY2027 Budget Corrections.

After explanation by County Administrator Amy Frederickson and a brief discussion, motion was made by Commissioner Dunagan and seconded by Commissioner Borden to Approve FY2027 Budget Corrections.

Without further discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

(6) Motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Dunagan to open discussion of Discussion and Approval of Transfer from Capital Improvement Fund to General Fund for Courthouse Renovation Project Expenses, Including Employee Pay, Overtime, and Construction Material.

After explanation by County Administrator Amy Frederickson and input from Chairman Steve Miller, motion was made by Commissioner Borden and seconded by Commissioner Burrough to approve to Transfer from Capital Improvement Fund to General Fund for Courthouse Renovation Project Expenses, Including Employee Pay, Overtime, and Construction Material.

Without discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared this motion carried.

(7) Motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Dunagan to open discussion of Discussion and Approval to Amend FY2026 General Fund Courthouse (51110) Expenditure Budget to Include Amount Transferred from Capital Improvement Fund.

After explanation by County Administrator Amy Frederickson, motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Dunagan to Approve to Amend FY2026 General Fund Courthouse (51110) Expenditure Budget to Include Amount Transferred from Capital Improvement Fund.

Without discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS:**

None.

**DISCUSSION ITEMS BY COMMISSIONERS:**

Commissioner Dunagan stated, "Thank everybody for coming today. We sure do appreciate all our county employees who are working today. Again, we work for you citizens. We're all trying to do the best job we can with the money we've got."

Commissioner Burrough stated, "Guys, thank everybody for coming."

Commissioner Borden stated, "I just thank everybody for coming. That's all I have."

Commissioner Aderholt stated, "Same here. I appreciate everybody being here."

Chairman Miller stated, "Well, I, too, certainly would like to thank everybody for coming. And I thank everybody for the prayers and the thoughts and process of getting this knee replaced. Hopefully, we're on amend and we're back rolling and keep on going. I appreciate all the

employees of the county. Everybody does a great job. It takes every one of you for this county to continue to run. And we appreciate that. With that, I'd entertain a motion to adjourn."

**ADJOURN:**

Motion was made by Commissioner Burrough and seconded by Commissioner Borden that this meeting be adjourned to reconvene at the next regularly scheduled meeting or at the call of the Chairman.

Without discussion, the vote taken resulted as follows: District One: Aye; District Two: Aye; District Three: Aye; District Four: Aye.

Without opposition, the Chairman declared the motion carried.

Read and Approved:

Chairman 

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