

IN RAY COUNTY COURT WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2024

Present in Ray County Court today were: Billy Gaines, Presiding Commissioner  
Gary Wilhite, Western Commissioner  
Dave Powell, Eastern Commissioner  
Heather Maulsby, County Clerk

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go into session at 9:00 am. Commissioner Wilhite seconded the motion. Carried 3-0.

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Citizens open Comments:

10:30 – Prosecuting Attorney Camille Johnston met with the Commissioners to discuss her 2024 budget. All parties agreed to reschedule the meeting when all Commissioners are present to further discussion on the matter.

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go out of session at 12pm. Commissioner Wilhite 2<sup>nd</sup>, Carried 2-0.

Court Adjourned

Until Tuesday February 6, 2024

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IN RAY COUNTY COURT TUESDAY FEBRUARY 6, 2023

Present in Ray County Court today were: Billy Gaines, Presiding Commissioner  
Gary Wilhite, Western Commissioner  
Dave Powell, Eastern Commissioner  
Heather Maulsby, County Clerk

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go into session at 9am. Commissioner Wilhite 2<sup>nd</sup>, Carried 2-0.

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Citizens open Comments:

Commissioners approved minutes for January 23&24

Andrea Davis with Globe life discussing insurance.

Planning and Zoning and Road & Bridge met with Commission to discuss pay. Commissioners moved the meeting into tomorrow to make a vote on budget amendment.

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go out of session at 12pm. Commissioner Wilhite 2<sup>nd</sup>, Carried 2-0.

Court Adjourned

Until Tuesday February 13, 2024

IN RAY COUNTY COURT WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2024

Present in Ray County Court today were: Billy Gaines, Presiding Commissioner  
Gary Wilhite, Western Commissioner  
Dave Powell, Eastern Commissioner  
Heather Maulsby, County Clerk

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go into session at 9:00 am. Commissioner Wilhite seconded the motion. Carried 3-0.

The Commissioner opened the Tuesday with the Pledge of Allegiance and Pastor Issacson the Prayer.

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Citizens open Comments:

Tim Rash came in to talk to the Commissioners about Planning and Zoning harassment and disrespect about his venue based off comments during the Planning and Zoning board meeting. Stacy Wolfe is wanting Tim to draw out his venue with fire exits, swinging doors and the compacity. Tim Rash agreed to turn requirement from Stacy to her office on Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup>. Alan Dreeves with Ray County Health Department gave Tim Rash an application for food service for his venue. Billy Gaines told Planning and Zoning no more contact with Tim Rash until Planning and Zoning board meeting that will be held on March 4<sup>th</sup>.

Sheriff Childers and Tobi Lackey rescheduled their meeting regarding Transitional Housing for Tuesday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am.

Paula with Planning and Zoning is requesting a \$2 hour more and hour and Stacy Wolfe is requesting \$1 more an hour to do more work with Road and Bridge involving mapping. The funds will come out of Road and Bridge 2024 budget.

Commissioners Powell made a motion to accept Planning and Zoning to do mapping for Road and Bridge with the pay increase and contract between Planning and Zoning and Road and Bridge for the entire year of 2024 revisiting it in 2025 on if it works with the 2024 budget. Commissioner Wilhite 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion if it allows in the budget Commissioners Gaines all in favor. Carried 3-0.

Prosecuting attorney Camille Johnston canceled her meeting discussing her 2024 budget. Camille rescheduled for Wednesday February 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am.

Court Adjourned

Until Tuesday February 13, 2024

## IN RAY COUNTY COURT WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 13, 2024

Present in Ray County Court today were: Billy Gaines, Presiding Commissioner  
Gary Wilhite, Western Commissioner  
Dave Powell, Eastern Commissioner  
Heather Maulsby, County Clerk

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go into session at 9:00 am. Commissioner Wilhite seconded the motion. Carried 3-0.

9:00am-The Commissioner opened the Tuesday with the Pledge of Allegiance and Pastor Issacson the Prayer.

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Citizens open Comments:

9:00am-Commissioners signed December fuel refund.

9:15am-Commissioners made a motion to approve January 5,7,16,17 minutes to put on Ray County website.

9:20am- Commissioners approved the monthly abatements and supplements on reviewed collector monthly settlement.

9:30am- Sheriff Childers and Tobi Lackey from Traditional Housing discussed with Commissioners about getting resources in Ray County to help families in need of housing. Scott Sheriff is wanting to use the opioid money. Sheriff Scott will bring additional information.

10:00am- No bids were received on the Woodrail project.

11:30am-Prosecuting Attorney Camille Johnston came in to discuss her budget with the Commissioners for the 2<sup>nd</sup> time. Commissioner Powell motioned to table Camille's budget until Wednesday on February 14 at 11:30am. Commissioner Wilhite 2<sup>nd</sup>, Carried 3-0.

Commissioner made a motion to go out of session at 12:08pm. Commissioner Wilhite 2<sup>nd</sup>, Carried 3-0

Court Adjourned

Until Wednesday February 14,2024

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## IN RAY COUNTY COURT FEBRUARY 14, 2024

Present in Ray County Court today were: Billy Gaines, Presiding Commissioner  
Gary Wilhite, Western Commissioner  
Dave Powell, Eastern Commissioner  
Heather Maulsby, County Clerk

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go into session at 9:00 am. Commissioner Gaines, Carried 3-0.

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Citizens open Comments:

10:00am- Commissioners signed the 2024 CART agreement.

10:30am- Prosecuting Attorney Camille Johnston discussed her 2024 budget. Camille Johnston is requesting additional assistant prosecuting attorney and a pay raise for three employees with a total of \$15,000.00.

12:30pm- Commissioner Powell made a motion to accept Camille Johnston's 2024 budget with the exception that she pays the \$15,000 out of her revolving accounts to cover the raises. Commissioner Gaines 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion with and understanding that we will be checking this every year as long as the cases are getting completed. Commissioner Wilhite voted no.

Commissioner Powell made a motion to accept all of the 2024 budget as presented. Commissioner Gaines 2<sup>nd</sup>, carried 2-0.

Commissioner Powell made a motion to go out of session at 12:40pm. Commissioner Gaines 2<sup>nd</sup>, Carried 3-0.

