

Franklin County Commissioners Court  
Commissioner Court Minutes  
Emergency Session  
June 19, 2023

The Franklin County Commissioners Court met in an Emergency Session June 19, 2023, at 5:00 P.M. at the Cypress Springs SUD office located at 114 FM 115, Mount Vernon, Texas.

Members present: Scott Lee, County Judge  
Jerry Cooper, Commissioner, Precinct 1  
Toby Godfrey, Commissioner, Precinct 2 (Arrived at 5:20 P.M.)  
Charlie Emerson, Commissioner, Precinct 3  
Scott Smith, Commissioner, Precinct 4  
Brook Bussell, County Clerk

**VISITORS:** Marla White, Brantin Carr (Franklin County Constable), Tim Dial (Franklin County EMC), Kevin Spence (CSSUD), Craig Lindholm (City Manager), Colin Clasby (MVFD), Rob Moore (FCSO), Mike Rowell (TDEM), Shane McDowra (Lamar Co. OEM), Quincy Blount (Lamar Co. OEM), Jacob Brockett (TDEM), Danny Wilbur (Hopkins County EMS), Chris Brown (ATCOG), Brent Wilson (EMFT MIST), Ricky Jones (Franklin County Sheriff), and Lillie Bush-Reves.

Judge Lee called the meeting to order at 5:07 P.M.

**Public Comments:** None

**Agenda Item 1 – CONSIDER FOR APPROVAL THE PURCHASE OF ANY NECESSARY ITEMS IN COORDINATION WITH ALL ENTITIES TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE TO FRANKLIN COUNTY** – Updates were given on power outages. Receiving reports of power coming on in some areas of Franklin County. Tim Dial, Franklin County EMC, has more generators and fuel coming, as well as more water, ice, and MREs. The airport was set up as a cooling station on Friday, June 16, 2023, and is still available for those who need it. There is a medical strike team checking on those who are homebound and/or those others who have been identified as needing a medical check. ATCOG may be able to run the TRAX bus to assist those in need. Commissioner Scott Smith offered a prayer. No official action taken.

**Agenda Item 2 – ADJOURN** – Commissioner Smith made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Commissioner Godfrey seconded the motion. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 5:37 P.M.

I, Brook Bussell, County Clerk, certify that this is an accurate accounting of the proceedings of the Commissioners Court Emergency Session on June 19, 2023.

Witnessed and recorded this 26th day of June, 2023.

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Brook Bussell, County Clerk