# DICKENS COUNTY BUDGET HEARING NOTICE

A public hearing will be held on August 11, 2025 at 8:45 a.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Dickens County Annex. The purpose of this hearing is to receive public comment on the proposed budget for fiscal year 2025-2026. Following the Public Hearing the Dickens County Commissioner's Court will convene the Regular Meeting at 9:00 a.m.

### DICKENS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT NOTICE OF MEETING

Monday, August 11, 2025 at 9:00 a.m., REGULAR TERM COMMISSIONERS' COURT will meet in regular session, in the Commissioner's Courtroom, Dickens County Courthouse Annex, Dickens, Texas to consider the following:

# **CONSENT AGENDA**

The items listed within the Consent Agenda are deemed to be of a routine nature and are not scheduled for individual consideration by the Commissioners' Court; therefore, these items may be approved by one motion, second, and vote. However, any member of the Court retains the option to remove any one or more items from the Consent Agenda and to have the item(s) individually considered

#### Call to Order

- ✓ Prayer
- ✓ Pledge of Allegiance
- ✓ Review minutes of meeting from July 14 and July 28, 2025
- ✓ Review Monthly Departmental Reports
  - Sheriff
  - Justice of the Peace
  - County Tax Assessor
  - County/District Clerk

- **County Treasurer**
- **County Extension Office**
- Tx DOT
- **EMC**
- Receive information from each commissioner on road conditions in their respective precincts.
- Discuss/Approve purchase of DEF for Road and Bridge that may exceed the county spending policy.
- ✓ Discuss/Approve the renewal of Bonds on Stella Carter, Justice of the Peace and Kaylea Davis, General Administrative Assistant.

#### DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION AGENDA

- Public Comment.
- Receive Annual Report from Dickens Museum Ruby Combs.
- Receive concerns regarding county road conditions/ Crystal Jernigan
- 1. Discuss/Approve Interlocal Agreement for E9-1-1 Public Safety Answering Point Services.
- 2. Discuss/Approve Order of November 4, 2025 Special Election.
- 3. Discuss/Approve Procedures for Inspecting Sensitive Election Documents In Person.
- Discuss/Approve Bids for: 2001 Mack Truck
- Discuss/Approve Bids for: 2004 Chevrolet Pickup
- Discuss/Approve Bids for: Bulk Office Furniture/Appliances and Outdoor Décor.
- 4. Discuss/Approve Bids on In-Trust Property See Attachment A.
- 5. Discuss/Approve Salaries, Expenses and other allowances of all elected county and precinct officers and employees.
- Budget Workshop
- Discuss/Approve 2025-2026 Budget. 7.
- Tax Assessor Collector to submit the no new revenue rate and voter approved rate to commissioners. 8.
- Discuss/Approve Proposed Tax Rate.

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION – To consult with counsel**

Closed session pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §§ 551.071 & 551.072

- Discuss/Approve Action on all claims and accounts presented.
- Line item transfers.
- Adjourn.

Pursuant to the authority granted under Government Code, Chap 551.001, the Commissioner's Court may convene in a closed session to discuss any of the above agenda items. Immediately before any closed session, the specific section or sections of Government Code, Chapter 551.001 that provides statutory authority will be announced. Any final actions, decisions or votes will

Anyone who wishes to provide comment on a specific agenda item (items) must fill out a Public Participation Form and submit to the Clerk prior to that item being considered by the Court. That form may be obtained from the County Clerk as well. This meets the Dickens County Rules of Procedure, Conduct and Decorum that was originally adopted on July 9, 2007.

Kevin Brendle, County Judge

**DANAY CARNES** 

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