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CHRISTIAN COUNTY FISCAL COURT

28th Day of October 2025

The Fiscal Court in and for Christian County met for a regular meeting at 8:30 a.m. at the Christian County Courthouse and the following proceedings were had. Present and presiding was Honorable Jerry Gilliam, County Judge/Executive. The following lady and gentlemen, Justices in Commission, were present:

Magaline Ferguson	Rich Liebe
Josh Turner	Phillip Peterson
George Barnett	Russ Guffey
J.E. Pryor	John Bruce

Also, presents were Lincoln Foster County Attorney, Melinda Humphries County Clerk, Tyler DeArmond Sheriff, Adam Smith Jailer, and Natalie Pyle County Treasurer.

PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Esquire Barnett invited offer the invocation. Jerry Gilliam, County Judge/Executive, then led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Bruce, it is hereby ordered to approve the minutes of October 14th, 2025, and dispense with the reading.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURES:

Upon motion of Esquire Pryor, seconded by Esquire Turner, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the General Fund through October 28th, 2025.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce..

Upon motion of Esquire Bruce, seconded by Esquire Turner, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the Road and Bridge Fund through October 28th, 2025.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Upon motion of Esquire Turner, seconded by Esquire Barnett, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditure for the County Jail Fund through October 28th, 2025, and to include authorized regular time and overtime for September & October 2025.

September 2025 Authorized Overtime

EMPLOYEE NAME	OVERTIME HRS. WORKED	AMOUNT PAID
Travis Ball	12.25	\$353.41
Alexis Jacobs	1.0	\$28.85
TOTAL	13.25	\$382.26

October 2025 Authorized Overtime

EMPLOYEE NAME	OVERTIME HRS. WORKED	AMOUNT PAID
Denise Ahlgo	4.0	\$115.40
Franklin Blick	10.00	\$375.20
Cindy Ellis	8.0	\$300.00
Jayden Ralston	7.5	\$216.38
TOTAL	29.5	\$1,006.98

October 2025 Authorized Regular Time

EMPLOYEE NAME	OVERTIME HRS. WORKED	AMOUNT PAID
Franklin Blick	6.0	\$150.06
TOTAL	6.0	\$150.06

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Upon motion of Esquire Pryor, seconded by Esquire Guffey, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the L.G.E.A. Fund through October 28th, 2025.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Upon motion of Esquire Ferguson, seconded by Esquire Peterson, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the E911 Fund through October 28th, 2025.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Upon motion of Esquire Guffey, seconded by Esquire Bruce, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the Health Insurance Fund through October 28th, 2025.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Guffey, it is hereby ordered to approve the expenditures for the Clerk Storage Fee Fund through October 28th, 2025.

All voting aye by roll call: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

TREASURER REPORT:

Upon motion of Esquire Guffey, seconded by Esquire Peterson, it is hereby ordered to approve the Budget Transfer dated September 9th, 2025 & September 23rd, 2025, subject to audit.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Upon motion of Esquire Liebe, seconded by Esquire Ferguson, it is hereby ordered to approve the Cash Transfer dated September 30th, 2025, subject to audit.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Upon motion of Esquire Bruce, seconded by Esquire Peterson, it is hereby ordered to approve the Budget Revenue & Expense Statement dated July 1, 2025, through September 30, 2025, subject to audit.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

COMMISSION & BOARD REPORTS:

Vickie Shelton, Administrative Assistant of the Christian County Animal Shelter gave the monthly report for September 2025.

Esquire Liebe President of the Kentucky Magistrate & Commissioners Association (KMCA) mentioned that KMCA donated 800 pairs of new tennis shoes to Clay Co. students in the Eastern Kentucky area.

Esquire Guffey shared his congratulations to the Military Affairs Committee on another successful Chili Cook-Off and all the teams that participated. He also mentioned that the Local Small Business Commission will be having their conference on November 10th at the Murray State Campus in Hopkinsville at 10am with lunch included. For more information visit the Facebook page.

Esquire Ferguson shared that the Boys & Girls Club will be having a Truck or Trick on October 31st, 2026, at 5pm.

Esquire Peterson shared that the Christian County Ambulance Board has repaid the past supplemental funding provided by both the city and county government.

County Clerk, Melinda A. Humphries shared upcoming election deadlines for 2026.

CITIZENS PARTICIPATION:

Christian County Sheriff, Tyler DeArmond expressed his gratitude for all those that organized, participate, and donated to help raise money that allowed the Christian County Sheriff's Office to purchase a new K-9 dog.

NEW BUSINESS:

Approval of Training Incentive – Adam Smith, Jailer

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Ferguson, it is hereby ordered to authorize the incentive payment for a total of \$3,976.59 to Jailer Adam Smith for the completion of his 40-hour training unit for calendar year 2025.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Approval of Emergency Management Mutual Aid & Assistance Agreement

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Barnett it is hereby ordered to approve the Statewide Emergency Management Mutual Aid and Assistance Agreement. An Agreement to ensure the statewide availability of mutual aid and assistance to disaster or emergency impacted communities as quickly, efficiently and efficiently as possible.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Adoption of Resolution 2025-16, Emergency Management Mutual Aid & Assistance Agreement

Upon motion of Esquire Liebe, seconded by Esquire Turner, it is hereby ordered to authorize Jerry Gilliam, County Judge/Executive, to sign the Emergency Management Mutual Aid & Assistance Agreement.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Approval Reappointment to Christian County Extension Board

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Ferguson it is hereby ordered to approve the reappointment of Laura Faulkner to the Christian County Extension Board for a three-year term, beginning January 1st, 2026, through December 31st, 2028.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

PERSONNEL:

Sheriff's Department-	None Presented
County Attorney-	None Presented
County Clerk-	None Presented
County Treasurer-	None Presented
County Road Department-	None Presented

County Judge Executive

Upon motion of Esquire Liebe, seconded by Esquire Peterson, and upon recommendation of Jerry Gilliam, County Judge Executive, it is hereby ordered to remove Grace Cansler from the 90-day probationary period, effective as of November 1st, 2025.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Jail

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Liebe, and upon recommendation of Adam Smith, Christian County Jailer, it is hereby ordered to hire Curtis Follett as a full-time Deputy Jailer, effective November 1st, 2025, with 90-day probationary period with a starting salary of \$40,000.08.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

Animal Shelter

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Bruce, and upon recommendation of Melissa Goff, Christian County Animal Shelter Director, it is hereby ordered to remove Mary Dyer from the 90-day probationary period, effective as of November 1st, 2025.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.

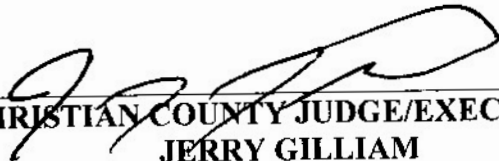
UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Jerry Gilliam, County Judge Executive, announced the special called meeting will be at the Christian County Courthouse on Wednesday, November 12th, 2025, due to Veterans Day.

ADJOURNMENT:

Upon motion of Esquire Peterson, seconded by Esquire Guffey, it is hereby ordered to adjourn at 8:57 a.m.

All voting aye by voice vote: Esquires - Magaline Ferguson, Josh Turner, George Barnett, J.E. Pryor, Rich Liebe, Phillip Peterson, Russ Guffey and John Bruce.



CHRISTIAN COUNTY JUDGE/EXECUTIVE
JERRY GILLIAM