

**ROAD COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF MEETING
April 14th, 2026
4:45 P.M.**

Present: Mike Holley, Russell Wade, Nathan Pilgreen and Curtis Moses. Absent: None. Also present: Glenn Hutto, Ben Bridges, Jeremy Hobbs, Brenda Abercrombie, A.J. Ford, Jr., Danielle Harkins and Scott Williams.

Mr. Holley called the meeting to order. Mr. Wade led the group in prayer.

Public Comment on agenda items – No comments were made.

Motion Mr. Moses, seconded by Mrs. Abercrombie and declared adopted by unanimous vote of the Committee to approve the agenda as written.

Motion Mr. Wade, seconded by Mr. Pilgreen to approve the minutes of the March 10th, 2026 meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Hutto addressed the committee and presented a map which shows a proposed 100-foot ROW with Claiborne Electric. **Motion Mr. Pilgreen, seconded by Mr. Moses to recommend to the full jury to enter into a ROW agreement with Claiborne Electric for a 100-foot ROW on Betty Street. Motion carried unanimously.**

A brief discussion was held regarding the rental of an Asphalt Paver machine. Mr. Holley stated that Mr. Williams approached him about getting a paving machine and training a couple of the employees to operate it. Mr. Williams provided a couple of quotes for renting a machine as well as a purchase price. Mr. Williams has a monthly quote of \$14,000. Mr. Williams stated more than likely it would take two months' worth of rental. Mr. Holley stated that the Road Department used to own a paving machine when he was employed with the jury. **Motion Mr. Wade, seconded by Mr. Moses to recommend to the full jury to authorize the rental of an Asphalt Paver machine for \$14,000 a month. Motion carried unanimously.**

A discussion was held regarding a request from Reeves Memorial. Reeves Memorial is asking for assistance with an employee parking lot. A significant number of employees are required to park on a gravel lot. When it rains, the parking lot is muddy and unsafe. **Motion Mr. Wade, seconded by Mr. Moses, to recommend to the full jury to approve the request from Reeves Memorial with Reeves Memorial paying for the cost of the materials plus one week rental of the Asphalt Paver machine. Motion carried unanimously.**

Road Superintendent Update

Mr. Williams reported on the following:

- All culverts have been changed for the 2026 road program
- Roads have been ground up that were required for the 2026 road program
- Clay rock

- Shoulder shaving in progress
- Rock delivered
- Tar truck update – invoice amount is currently up to \$13,500
- Not using AC10 anymore

There being no more business to come before the committee, Mr. Holley declared the meeting adjourned upon motion by Mr. Wade and duly seconded by Mr. Pilgreen on this the 14th day of April, 2026.

Mike Holley, Chairman
Paula Strickland, Secretary/Treasurer