

April 6, 2026
REGULAR MEETING
MINUTES

The Muskogee Board of County Commissioners met in session at 8:15 a.m. Members present were: Chairman, Keith Hyslop; Vice-Chairman, Kenny Payne; Member Ken Doke; and Muskogee County Clerk, Polly Irving.

1: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved to Open the meeting at 8:30 a.m. The motion was unanimous.

2: Motion

Commissioner Doke made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Payne, approved the Purchase Orders. The motion was unanimous.

3: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved the Monthly reports. The motion was unanimous.

4: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved Regular meeting minutes for March 30, 2026. The motion was unanimous.

5: Motion

Commissioner Doke made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Payne, approved an Updated Memorandum of Understanding between the Muskogee Board of County Commissioner and the Town of Oktaha. The motion was unanimous.

6: No Action

No action was taken regarding a sponsorship match with Love Bottling to support the Muskogee Fair.

7: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved a Resolution of Disposing Equipment 2026-12 for District 2 consisting of Bridge Beams that Commissioner Hyslop plans to go out for bid again on. The motion was unanimous.

8: Motion

Commissioner Doke made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Payne, approved an Information Sheet from Oktaha Fire Board. The motion was unanimous.

9: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved the FY-2025 SEFA Report that Melissa Lee and Kevin Wilson worked on together. The motion was unanimous.

10: No Action

No action was taken regarding a Memorandum of Understanding between Braggs Public Schools and Muskogee County Sheriff's Department.

11: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved a Declaration of Surplus 2026-13 for the Sheriff's Department consisting of a 2010 Ford F-150 (vin: 1FTFW3E85AFB53064) to be auctioned on Purple Wave. The motion was unanimous.

12: Motion

Commissioner Doke made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Payne, approved an Agreement between Purple Wave and the Sheriff's Office. The motion was unanimous.

13: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved a Proclamation proclaiming the month of April 2026 as Fair Housing Month. The motion was unanimous.

14: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved a Fair Housing Resolution for 2026. The motion was unanimous.

15 & 16: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved to Enter into an Executive Session at 8:43 a.m. to discuss matters pertaining to Economic Development relating to the Land Acquisition and Industrial Expansion Project, and to include confidential communications between Legal Counsell regarding Case No. 20-CV-040-JWB Floyd Patterson Jr, as a Special Administrator of the Estate of Floyd Patterson III (deceased) vs. Andy Simmons, Muskogee County Sheriff. The motion was unanimous.

17: Motion

Commissioner Payne made a motion and it was seconded by Commissioner Doke, approved to Adjourn the Executive Session at 9:25 a.m. to Resume Regular Session with no action being taken regarding the items discussed in Executive Sessions. The motion was unanimous.

NEW BUSINESS:

None

ADJOURN:

Motion was made by Commissioner Doke and seconded by Commissioner Payne, approved to adjourn the meeting at 9:25 a.m. The motion was unanimous.