

## COMMISSIONER'S COURT OF MILAM COUNTY, TEXAS

AGENDA FOR MONDAY, February 22, 2021

Notice is hereby given that a public meeting of the Milam County Commissioners Court will be held on Monday, February 22, 2021, beginning at 10:00 a.m. The Court will meet in person at the Milam County Courthouse in the Milam County Courtroom. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and concerns for public health and safety the meeting will also be broadcast by Facebook Live. Public attendance will be limited due to COVID-19 spacing requirements and admittance will be done on a first come, first serve basis.

If you would like to make a public comment on any of the agenda items and you are unable to attend in person, please call 254 697 7000 before 10:00 a.m. February 22, 2021 and we will make arrangements for you to participate by phone.

To join by Facebook Live navigate to the Moving Milam Forward Facebook Page which is located at <https://www.facebook.com/live/producer/934846117015797>

The following items will be addressed:

1. The Court will be called to order and a quorum will be established.
2. Prayer.
3. Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and to the Texas Flag.
4. Discuss the minutes of previous Commissioner's Court meetings and take any necessary action regarding approval, correction and/or changes of the minutes.
5. Discuss and take any necessary action regarding the COVID-19 pandemic in Milam County, including:
  - a. The free antigen testing being performed by the County;
  - b. The current overall COVID case numbers for the County;
  - c. Current vaccinations in the County; and
  - d. Future vaccination plans.
6. Discuss and take any necessary action to recognize "Milam County Movers."
7. Discuss and take any necessary action to approve a proposed Milam County Disaster Declaration and Order due to damages caused by historic freezing weather, beginning February 12, 2021.
8. Discuss and take any action on the Connected Nation Texas broadband initiative.
9. Discuss and take any necessary action to pay the bills of Milam County.
10. Discuss and take any necessary action to adjourn the Milam County Commissioners Court.

Dated this the 19th day of February 2021:

Commissioner's Court of Milam County, Texas

By: ~~Judge Steve Young~~ Digitally signed by Judge Steve Young  
Date: 2021.02.18 08:32:31 -06'00'  
Steve Young, Milam County Judge

I, the undersigned County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the above named Commissioner's Court, is a true and correct copy of said Notice on the Courthouse door and the County Clerk's Office of Milam County, Texas at a place readily accessible to the general public at all times on the 19th day of February 2021 and said Notice remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said Meeting.

Dated this 19th day of February 2021.

County Clerk of Milam County, Texas

By: Jodi Morgan  
Jodi Morgan

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in 2021, At 12 M.  
JODI MORGAN  
County Clerk, Milam County, Texas  
By: Jodi Morgan  
Deputy

If during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting the Commissioner's Court will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Government Code, Chapter 551, Subchapters D and E. Before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section or sections of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes or decisions will be taken in open meeting.

**STATE OF TEXAS:**

**COUNTY OF MILAM:**

**BE IT REMEMBERED, that on Monday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February A. D. 2021, the Commissioners' Court of Milam County, Texas, convened in Regular Session in the Commissioners' Courtroom, Milam County Courthouse, 102 S. Fannin, Cameron Texas, with the following members of the Court present, to-wit:**

**Commissioners Court is now live stream through Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/live/producer/934846117015797>**

**STEVE YOUNG, MILAM COUNTY JUDGE  
HENRY HUBNIK, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO.1  
DONALD SHUFFIELD, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2  
ART NEAL, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3  
JEFF MUEGGE, COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4  
JODI MORGAN, COUNTY CLERK**

**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS MAY BE VIEWED ON THE WEBSITE [WWW.MILAMCOUNTY.NET](http://WWW.MILAMCOUNTY.NET) , in the minutes in the Commissioners Court book located in the County Clerk's office, or online at <https://milam.tx.publicsearch.us/>**

**And the proclamation having been made the Court was in session, the following business came on to be considered:**

- 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER AND ESTABLISH QUORUM – 10:00 A.M.**
- 2. PRAYER**
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG AND THE TEXAS FLAG**

**4. DISCUSS THE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS COMMISSIONER COURT MEETINGS AND TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTION REGARDING APPROVAL, CORRECTION AND/OR CHANGES OF THE MINUTES**

**Motion by Commissioner Muegge to approve the minutes from the previous Commissioner's Court, Seconded by Commissioner Shuffield and approved unanimously**

***Feb 8, 2021 Regular Minutes***

**5. DISCUSS AND TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTION REGARDING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC IN MILAM COUNTY, INCLUDING**

- a) The free antigen testing being performed by the County;**
- b) The current overall case numbers for the County; and**
- c) Vaccinations in the County**

***As of Sept 1, 2020 3,134 tested***

***936 Positive Test***

***All paid for by CARES Act***

**6. DISCUSS AND TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTION TO RECOGNIZE "MILAM COUNTY MOVERS."**

**Motion by Commissioner Muegge to table item #6 regarding Milam County Movers, Seconded by Commissioner Shuffield and approved unanimously**

**7. DISCUSS AND TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTION TO APPROVE A PROPOSED MILAM COUNTY DISASTER DECLARATION AND ORDER DUE TO DAMAGES CAUSED BY HISTORIC FREEZING WEATHER, BEGINNING FEBRUARY 12, 2021**

**Motion by Commissioner Muegge to approve the Milam County Disaster Declaration and Order due to damages caused by historic freezing weather beginning February 12, 2021, indefinite until told otherwise, Seconded by Commissioner Neal and approved unanimously**



**8. DISCUSS AND TAKE ANY ACTION ON THE CONNECTED NATION  
TEXAS BROADBAND INITIATIVE**

**101% completion**

**9. DISCUSS AND TAKE ANY NECESSARY ACTION TO PAY THE BILLS  
OF MILAM COUNTY**

**Motion by Commissioner Muegge to pay the bills in the amount  
of \$299,611.76, Seconded by Commissioner Neal and approved  
unanimously**

**10. ADJOURN- Motion by Commissioner Neal to adjourn at 10:26a.m.,  
Seconded by Commissioner Muegge and carried unanimously**

**The above and foregoing Minutes for Monday, February 22, 2021  
having been examined and approved in Open Court this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 2021.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**County Judge**

**State of  
Texas:  
County of Milam:**

**I, Jodi Morgan, County Clerk, Milam County, Texas, attest that the foregoing is a true and correct accounting of the Commissioners' Court authorized proceedings for February 22 2021.**

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**County Clerk and Ex-Officio Member of  
Commissioners' Court, Milam County, Texas**

**STATEMENT OF APPROVAL**

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**Commissioner PCT #1**

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**Commissioner PCT #2**

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**Commissioner PCT #3**

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**Commissioner PCT #4**