State Alabama Pike County

The Pike County Commission met in a regular session on August 25, 2025 at 5:15 P.M. in the main auditorium of the Pike County Courthouse Annex – Pike County Health Department Building at which time the following members were present: Chairman Chad Copeland, Commissioners Lawanda Green-Bell, Jimmy Barron, Cynthia Pearson, and Russell Johnson. Commissioner Robin Sullivan was absent.

Commissioner Barron made a motion to approve the August 11, 2025 meeting minutes, as presented. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Pearson made a motion to approve the claims, as presented. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Barron made a motion to approve the County Engineer's request to accept the resignation of employee, Jamar Harris, with the Pike County Road Department. Commissioner Green-Bell seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Johnson made a motion to approve the County Engineer's request to approve the FY 2026 County Transportation Plan, as presented. Commissioner Pearson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Johnson made a motion to approve to hire Brandon Sewell for the Maintenance Supervisor position at a Grade I, Step 6. Commissioner Barron seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Pearson made a motion to suspend the rules to allow for a vote on approving Steve Carter and Mike Meredith to be re-appointed to the Pike County Water Authority Board, to approve a job description for a Registered Nurse and to advertise for the new position, and to approve an agreement to house detainees with Macon County Commission. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion and the following roll call vote was recorded:

Green-Bell	Yes
Sullivan	Absent
Barron	Yes
Copeland	Yes
Pearson	Yes
Johnson	Yes

Commissioner Johnson made a motion to approve Steve Carter and Mike Meredith to be reappointed to the Pike County Water Authority Board. Commissioner Pearson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Barron made a motion to approve the job description of a Registered Nurse, Class Grade N, and to advertise for the new position. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Pearson made a motion to approve an agreement to house detainees with Macon County Commission to house and feed up to sixteen adult male inmates at a pay rate of \$50.00 per detainee per day. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Johnson made a motion to approve Resolution 2025-0825 to use Rockwest Missionary Baptist Church at 9837 U.S. Highway 29 Goshen, Alabama as the new location of the previously established voting center for District 6, Precinct 25 and to approve a lease agreement with Rockwest Missionary Baptist Church. Commissioner Pearson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Johnson made a motion to approve the Revenue Commissioner's request to hire Latoya Darby as a Revenue Customer Service Representative I at a Grade B, Step 2. Commissioner Green-Bell seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Barron made a motion to approve purchasing six Flock Safety Falcon cameras for a total price of \$18,000 for the Sheriff's Department through the 2025 ADECA Law Enforcement Grant. Commissioner Pearson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Commissioner Barron made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion and all voted yea.

Attest:		
	Chairman	