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Public Notice

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Trustees of the Town of Thackerville will hold a public hearing beginning at 6:00 PM on June 8, 2026. The purpose of the hearing is to receive written and oral comments, to hold open discussions, and to answer any questions regarding the Town's proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2026-2027. The following is a summary of the proposed budget for Fiscal Year 2026-2027. The proposed budget in its entirety is available for inspection in the Town Hall during normal working hours. The adopted budget will be available for inspection.

Town of Thackerville BUDGET SUMMARY FYE 2026-2027	
Beginning Balance	\$ 269,556
Estimated Revenues	433,964
Total Available for Appropriations	703,521
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	274,466
POLICE DEPARTMENT	374,220
LEGAL AND JUDICIAL	13,074
PARK AND RECREATION	40,261
STREET DEPARTMENT	1,500
TRASH	-
Total Appropriations	703,521
Unappropriated Fund Balance	\$ -

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Public Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF LOVE COUNTY
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF)
MARCUS ANTHONY COLLINS, DECEASED) No. PB-2026-16

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All creditors having claims against the estate of Marcus Anthony Collins, Deceased, are required to present the same, with a description of all security interests and other collateral (if any) held by each creditor with respect to such claim, to the named Personal Representative, Janean Lynn Burget, c/o Richard A. Cochran, Jr., Attorney at Law, P.O. Box 262, 309 West Main Street, Marietta, Oklahoma 73448, on or before the following presentment date: July 24, 2026, or the same will be forever barred.

Dated: May 21, 2026.

/s/ Richard A. Cochran, Jr.
Richard A. Cochran, Jr. OBA #1747
Richard A. Cochran, Jr., P.C.
P.O. Box 262
309 West Main Street
Marietta, Oklahoma 73448
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Fax (580) 276-5121
Attorney for Personal Representative

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Public Notice

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
MARIETTA, LOVE COUNTY, STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF)
RUBEN LEE BATES, Deceased.) PB-2026-8

NOTICE OF HEARING FIRST AND FINAL ACCOUNTING AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION AND DISCHARGE

NOTICE is hereby given that ARAWI P. BATES, the duly qualified and acting Administrator of the above-captioned Estate, having filed in this Court a First and Final Accounting and report of the administration of said Estate and a Petition for Distribution of said Estate and Discharge of such Administrator; said hearing of the same has been fixed by the Judge of the District Court for the 2nd day of July, 2026 at 9:00 o'clock a.m., at the Courtroom of said Court in the County Courthouse at Marietta in the County and State aforesaid; and all persons interested in said Estate are notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said account should not be settled and allowed, the Estate distributed and the Administrator discharged.

DATED this 1st day of June, 2026.

/s/ Todd Hicks
JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT

LORENZO T. COLLINS, P.C.
16 Stanley, S.W.
P. O. Box 1781
Ardmore, OK 73402-1781
(580) 223-8350

Attorney for Administrator
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Not voting is
not a protest. It
is a surrender.

-Keith Ellison

May 26, 2026 Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting

Agenda was posted May 21, 2026, 12:00 PM at the door of the Courthouse Annex and exit doors of the Courthouse.

Present: Commissioners David Magee, Mike Mayes and Stacy Rushing; Minutes by County Clerk Shelly Russell; Trent Barrick, Marsela Sanchez-Gomez, Grant Owen, Jarrod Carpenter, Richard Cochran, Treasurer Karla Smith, Denise Halstied, Hayden Dailey, Jonas Sample, Mary Jones, Roy Jones and Ron Jacobs.

Called to order by Chairman Mike Mayes.

Quorum Call. Present Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Recess Board of County Commissioners meeting. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Enter into Executive Session in accordance to 25 O.S. 2011, § 307 (B)(1); Discussing the employment, hiring, appointment, promotion, demotion, disciplining or resignation of any individual salaried public officer or employee, Mary Jones, Senior Citizen Program Coordinator. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Reconvene Board of County Commissioners' meeting. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Action of Executive Session. Senior Citizen Program Sales Tax Collections to be paid monthly instead of annually, beginning July 1, 2026, Fiscal Year 26/27. Invoice and payment to be made through Senior Citizen Program Director. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board approved Amendment "A" to the Standard Agreement Between Love County, owner, and Construction Manager, Fenix Constructors, Inc., for the following project: Love County Health Department Project, 200 CE Colston AVE, Marietta, OK, approved and signed 02-17-2026. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board approved minutes and proceedings of May 18, 2026, Board of County Commissioners meeting. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board approved the appointment of Mike Mayes as a Board Member to the Southern Oklahoma Development Association for remaining calendar year 2026. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board adopted Resolution #2026-25 Chickasaw Nation Donation for Sheriff Office, \$1000.00 to be used for office supplies/maintenance and general maintenance and operation of Sheriff's vehicles. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board adopted Resolution #2026-26 Declaration of Surplus for Health

Department: ICON 400 Phone System, SN: RJ6A220A39803, acquired 1/14/2016, \$2799.20 and Savin Copier, SN: G716M460107, acquired 8/20/06, \$6817.15. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Board adopted Resolution #2026-26A Disposing of Equipment for Health Department: ICON 400 Phone System and Savin Copier, destroyed in natural disaster, tornado, and was junked within remains of building and hauled off to dump site. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Sales Agreement with Warren CAT for District #3; Caterpillar 276 C3H3 Compact Track Loader; \$95,560.00 was approved. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Sales Agreement with Warren CAT for District #3; Caterpillar WT-SSL Skid Steer Loader Work Tools - Rake, IND Grab-Curved, 84"; \$5879.00, was approved. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Sales Agreement with Warren CAT for District #3; Caterpillar WT-SSL Skid Steer Loader Work Tools - Brushcutter, BR320, HF XPS, \$8073.00, was approved. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

FY 2026-2027 Contract Renewal with Southwest MSP LLC for IT Services at Detention Center. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

FY 2026-2027 Contract Renewal with Southwest MSP LLC for IT Services at Sheriff's Office. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

FY 2026-2027 Contract Renewal with Southwest MSP LLC for General Government IT Services. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

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Opening Bid 2026-2, 12-Month Highway Road and Bridge Materials. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Bids received from: Dub Ross Co, P&K Stone, J&I Manufacturing, Pavers, JR Thompson, Overland, Schiralli Construction Corp, Schiralli Material, The Rail Road Yard, Wilson Culverts, ML Dozer, Core & Main, N Texas Natural Select Materials, Paving Materials, Paving Materials

Public Notice

A public hearing for the purpose of discussing the proposed budget for the City of Marietta, Oklahoma for the fiscal year 2026-2027 will be held during the regular City Council meeting on Tuesday, June 9, 2026, at the City of Marietta Administration Building, 700 S. Highway 77, Marietta, Oklahoma. The public hearing will begin at 6:00 p.m.

	General Fund	Sanitation Transfer Site	Cemetery Care Fund	Grant Fund	Volunteer Fire Fund
Revenues					
Taxes	\$ 1,820,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Charges for Services	15,000	521,000	3,000	-	-
License and Permits	10,000	-	-	-	-
Misc. Revenue	291,000	-	-	-	10,000
Fines and Forfeitures	321,000	-	-	-	-
Interest Income	17,000	-	-	-	-
Grant Revenue	-	-	-	12,000	-
Total Revenues	2,474,000	521,000	3,000	12,000	10,000
Budgeted Cash Carryover	88,300	-	-	-	-
Total Available to Budget	\$ 2,562,300	\$ 521,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 10,000
Expenditures					
Animal Control	\$ 99,500	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Cemetery/Park	203,500	-	3,000	-	-
City Admn.	259,600	-	-	-	-
Council	1,300	-	-	-	-
Legal	41,400	-	-	-	-
Clerk	14,600	-	-	-	-
Treasurer	37,500	-	-	-	-
Code Enforcement	107,000	-	-	-	-
Fire	27,000	-	-	10,000	10,000
Library	13,400	-	-	-	-
Municipal Court	70,400	-	-	-	-
Operations (formerly Shop)	99,900	-	-	-	-
Police	861,400	-	-	2,000	-
Street	338,000	-	-	-	-
General Government	384,200	-	-	-	-
Mayor	3,600	-	-	-	-
Sanitation	-	377,000	-	-	-
Transfer Site	-	144,000	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	\$ 2,562,300	\$ 521,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 12,000	\$ 10,000

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of Southern OK, Ergon Asphalt & Emulsions, ASI, Dolese, Logan County Asphalt.

May payroll and travel claims were approved. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Requisition-Purchase Order-Claims presented for payment the week of 5/14 - 5/21, 2026 were approved. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

911 Phone #114, AT&T, 450.06, service #115, AT&T, 781.71, copier #116, EQUATURE, 8698.03, subscription #117, SPATIAL DATA RESEARCH, 1595.00, subscription #118, CANON FINANCIAL SERVICES INC, 224.65, service;

EMP#2, MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS INC, 12045.28, radios;

Extension-ST #78, AT&T MOBILITY, 41.73, service #79, SPRING HOUSE WATER CO INC, 21.49, service;

General #1792, QUILL, 775.61, supplies #1793, MARIETTA MONITOR, 218.02, publication #1794, MARIETTA MONITOR, 215.60, publication #1795, MARIETTA MONITOR, 65.56, publication #1796, ONG, 44.44, service #1797, ONG, 472.40, service #1798, COOKE COUNTY ROOFING LLC, 5775.00, service #1799, MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS INC, 11814.75, service #1800, PITNEY BOWES, 187.95, postage #1801, PCS SOLUTIONS LLC, 79.17, maintenance #1802, COPS PRODUCTS LLC, 126.00, service #1803, AXON ENTERPRISES, 121.00, supplies #1804, AMAZON BUSINESS, 689.22, supplies #1805, PCS SOLUTIONS LLC, 74.69, service #1806, MARIETTAMONITOR, 25.00, ad #1807, AT&T MOBILITY, 185.00, service #1808, HOGANS JIF-E-LUBE, 59.95, service #1809, TURN KEY HEALTH CLINICS LLC, 1093.54, service #1810, GALLS INC, 1993.24, supplies #1811, ONG, 47.15, service #1812, TOWN & COUNTRY PEST TURF & TERMITE LLC, 175.00, service;

General Gov't-ST #558, SPRING HOUSE WATER CO INC, 59.49, service #559, FRIENDLY AND FAIR LAWN CARE, 425.00, service #560, WPS TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS, 112.79, service #561, FRIENDLY AND FAIR LAWN CARE, 75.00, service #562, FRIENDLY AND FAIR LAWN CARE, 250.00, service #563, CINTAS CORPORATION, 710.28, service #564, AMAZON BUSINESS, 427.96, shelving units #565, COMMUNITY CARE EAP, 82.80, service;

Health #151, MARIETTA PHARMACY, 7.89, supplies #152, PITNEY BOWES, 112.87, supplies #153, AMAZON BUSINESS, 25.97, supplies #154, WORKABLE PROGRAMS AND SYSTEMS INC, 555.34, internet #155, SPRING HOUSE WATER CO INC, 18.99, water #156, SAMUEL CECENAS FLORES, 475.00, service #157, MIDWEST PRINTING, 188.94, supplies;

Highway #1516, PAVING MATERIALS, 3010.50, materials #1517, AT&T, 657.23, service #1518, PAVING MATERIALS, 2760.02, asphalt #1519, RUSH TRUCK CENTER, 200.00, parts #1520, AGRI PRODUCTS INC, 91.00, pump #1521, JCAUTO PARTS LLC, 141.61, parts #1522, SECURITY NATIONAL BANK, 1998.31, payment #1523, MAYES, MICHAEL O., 52.49, travel #1524, MAYES, MICHAEL O., 308.13, travel #1525, OSU CTP, 65.00, training #1526, OSU CTP, 65.00, training #1527, AT&T, 657.23, pump #1528, GW VAN KEPPEL COMPANY INC, 8057.14, repair #1529, AT&T, 657.23, service #1530, LOVE COUNTY FAIR BOARD, 30.00, ad #1531, J C AUTO PARTS LLC, 398.84, battery #1532, WARREN CAT INC., 171.15, parts #1533, P & K STONE LLC, 4508.37, materials;

Hospital-ST #11, LOVE COUNTY HEALTH CENTER, 180200.00, payroll;

ML Fee #44, SPRING HOUSE WATER CO INC, 20.15, service #45, MARIETTA MONITOR, 150.00, ad #46, RUSSELL, SHELLY KAYE, 286.45, reimbursement;

Rural Fire-ST #399, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 236.97, service #400, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 64.84, service #401, ONG, 43.73, service #402, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 64.84, service #403, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 145.49, service #404, ARBUCKLE COMMUNICATIONS INC., 64.84, service;

SH Drug Buy #9, OKLAHOMA DARE OFFICER'S ASSOCIATION, 180.00, training #10, LOVE COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY OFFICE, 4694.50, seized vehicle;

SH Svc Fee #201, LOVE COUNTY HEALTH CENTER, 145.25, service #202, BOYD, CRYSTAL N., 50.00, notary #203, DELL MARKETING L.P., 1152.74, computer #204, AT&T, 782.61, service;

SR Cit-ST #45, SPARKLIGHT BUSINESS, 372.09, service

Blanket Purchase Orders were approved. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Adjourn. Motion Rushing Second Magee. Vote Yes - Magee, Mayes and Rushing.

Approved this 1st day of June 2026

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

/s/ Mike Mayes
Chairman

/s/ Stacy Rushing
Member

/s/ David Magee
Member

(SEAL)
ATTEST:
/s/ Shelly Russell
Shelly Russell, County Clerk

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