

RUSK COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT

Board of Directors Meeting

October 15, 2026

Board of Directors present were Mr. Drew Butler, Mrs. Nesha Partin, Mr. Pat McCrory, Mr. Clifford Harkless (Mr. Denny Eby was absent). Chief Appraiser; Weldon Cook was also in attendance.

With a quorum present, Mr. Butler opened the meeting.

There was no public comment.

Mr. McCrory motioned that the minutes of the August 13, 2026 meeting be approved as presented seconded by Mr. Harkless. Motion passed.

W. Cook presented to the BOD the sealed bids for the appraisal district's depository for the biennium, 2027 through 2028, submitted by Vera Bank, Henderson and Texas Bank, Henderson. After the bids were opened, and read by the BOD (Mr. Butler abstained from discussion). Mr. McCrory offered the following resolution: "RESOLVED, that the bid from Texas Bank of Henderson be accepted as the district's depository for the biennium for the years of 2027 and 2028." The second was by Mr. Harkless. Motion passed (Mr. Butler abstained from the vote. Mr. Eby was absent).

W. Cook reviewed pending litigation against the Appraisal District.

The BOD tabled Item 6 – Evaluation of Chief Appraiser until the next meeting.

In the Chief Appraiser's comments:

W. Cook discussed with the BOD the need for ARB applicants, a pending TDLR complaint received has been replied to, and need to develop a succession plan for the CAD.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned until the next meeting.

Chairperson

Secretary