

BAXTER COUNTY QUORUM COURT AGENDA

MARCH 2, 2026

THE BAXTER COUNTY QUORUM COURT WILL MEET FOR REGULAR SESSION ON **MONDAY, MARCH 2, 2026 AT 5:30 PM** IN THE 2ND FLOOR COURTROOM OF THE COURTHOUSE, WITH JUDGE KEVIN LITTY PRESIDING.

- CALL TO ORDER
- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE
- ROLL CALL
- DISPOSITION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING
- TREASURER'S REPORT – JENAY MIZE
- COMMITTEE REPORTS: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT – CAMERON DAVIS
- PRESENTATION –

- OLD BUSINESS

- NEW BUSINESS

 1. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FEES AND REIMBURSEMENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ 7,336.05 RECEIVED IN THE MONTH OF JANUARY TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE 2026 BUDGET.
 2. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15,000.00 FROM DONATIONS RECEIVED FOR A VEHICLE INTO THE CORONER'S 2026 BUDGET.
 3. AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING CARRYOVER FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$60,000.00 FROM THE JAIL MAINTENANCE & OPERATION FUND (3401) INTO THE JAIL MAINTENANCE & OPERATION 2026 BUDGET AND \$10,000.00 FROM THE DRUG EQUIPMENT FUND (3410) INTO THE DRUG EQUIPMENT FUND 2026 BUDGET.
 4. A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE RE-APPOINTMENTS OF PETER KAUTH, TERRY BUCHMAN AND EDDIE DANHAUER BY THE COUNTY JUDGE TO THE NORTHEAST LAKESIDE FIRE DEPARTMENT BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

- ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ADJOURNMENT

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 2026 - _____

BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF BAXTER COUNTY, STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FEES AND REIMBURSEMENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7,336.05 RECEIVED IN THE MONTH OF JANUARY TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE 2026 BUDGET.

Article 1: Affirmation. This court affirms that the Baxter County Sheriff's Office has collected the following fees, reimbursements and donations in excess of the anticipated budgeted revenue amount in the month of January 2026:

- \$ 90.00 received from DWI Fines from District Court
- \$ 1,870.00 received from Act 770 Fees
- \$ 3,321.22 received for Installment Fees
- \$ 125.00 received VIN Checks
- \$ 50.00 received Donation (Check)
- \$ 50.00 received Animal Adoption (Check)
- \$ 55.00 received for Animal Claim (Cash)
- \$ 50.00 received for Donation (Check)
- \$ 460.32 reimbursement Overpayment (Check)
- \$ 367.26 reimbursement (Check)
- \$ 293.55 reimbursement Inmates' Medical
- \$ 474.55 reimbursement Inmate Prescriptions (Sent from BXSO to Treasurer's Office)
- \$ 129.15 reimbursement Court Ordered Restitution (Extradition - Prisoner Transport) (Check)

Article 2: Appropriation. It is necessary for the Clerk's Office to appropriate said monies totaling **\$7,336.05** to the appropriate line items in the Sheriff's Office 2026 budgets.

There is hereby appropriated from the 2026 County General Fund (#1000) **\$2,214.15** for the following designated expenditures:

- \$ 1,995.00 to GL# 1000-0400-2001 (Sheriff: General Supplies)
- \$ 219.15 to GL# 1000-0400-2007 (Sheriff: Fuel, Oil & Lubricant)

There is hereby appropriated from the 2026 Animal Control Fund (#1800) **\$155.00** for the following designated expenditures:

- \$ 155.00 to GL# 1800-0191-2001 (Animal Control: General Supplies)

There is hereby appropriated from the 2026 Sheriff's Special Projects Fund (#3400) **\$3,371.22** for the following designated expenditures:

- \$ 50.00 to GL# 3400-0400-2001 (Sheriff's Projects: General Supplies)
- \$ 3,321.22 to GL# 3400-0400-3003 (Sheriff's Projects: Computer Services)

There is hereby appropriated from the 2026 County Jail Fund (#3401) \$1,595.68 the following designated expenditures:

- \$ 474.55 to GL# 3401-0418-2004 (Jail: Medicine & Drugs)
- \$ 367.26 to GL# 3401-0418-2005 (Jail: Food)
- \$ 753.87 to GL# 3401-0418-3006 (Jail: Med, Den & Hosp)

Article 3: Effective Date. This appropriation ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage by the quorum court.

APPROVED:

KEVIN LITTY, COUNTY JUDGE
Date Signed: _____

ATTEST:

CANDA J. REESE, COUNTY CLERK
SPONSOR: _____
Date Adopted: _____
Votes: For: _____ Against: _____
Abstain: _____ Present: _____ Absent: _____

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 2026 - _____

BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF BAXTER COUNTY, STATE OF ARKANSAS, AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15,000.00 FROM DONATIONS RECEIVED FOR A CORONER'S VEHICLE INTO THE CORONER'S 2026 BUDGET.

Article 1. Affirmation: The Coroner's Office is requesting an allocation of funds within the 2026 budget for the purpose of purchasing an additional vehicle.

Article 2. Designation: There are sufficient funds available for said transfers.

Article 3. Appropriation: The Quorum Court authorizes the County Clerk's Office to make the following appropriation into the designated line item:

\$15,000.00 appropriated into Coroner Budget #1000-0419-4005 (Purchase Vehicle)

Article 4. Effective Date: This appropriation ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage by the quorum court.

APPROVED:

KEVIN LITTY, COUNTY JUDGE

Date Signed: _____

ATTEST:

CANDA J. REESE, COUNTY CLERK

SPONSOR: _____

Date Adopted: _____

Votes: For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Present: _____ Absent: _____

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 2026 - _____

BE IT ENACTED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF BAXTER COUNTY, STATE OF ARKANSAS,
AN ORDINANCE TO BE ENTITLED:

AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING CARRYOVER FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$60,000.00 FROM THE JAIL MAINTENANCE & OPERATION FUND (3401) INTO THE JAIL MAINTENANCE & OPERATION 2026 BUDGET AND \$10,000.00 FROM THE DRUG EQUIPMENT FUND (3410) INTO THE DRUG EQUIPMENT FUND 2026 BUDGET.

Article 1. Affirmation: The Sheriff's Office is requesting carryover funds from Jail Maintenance & Operation Fund (3401) totaling \$60,000.00 be appropriated to Jail Maintenance & Operation 2026 budget for the purpose of appropriate assignment of expenditures.

Article 2. Designation: There are sufficient funds available for said transfers.

Appropriation: The Quorum Court authorizes the Clerk's Office to make the following appropriations into the designated line items:

\$35,000.00 to GL #3401-0418-4004 (Machinery and Equipment)

\$25,000.00 to GL #3401-0418-3009 (Other Prof Svcs)

\$10,000.00 to GL #3410-0400-4004 (Machinery and Equipment)

Article 4. Effective Date: This appropriation ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage by the quorum court.

APPROVED:

KEVIN LITTY, COUNTY JUDGE

Date Signed: _____

ATTEST:

CANDA J. REESE, COUNTY CLERK

SPONSOR: _____

Date Adopted: _____

Votes: For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Present: _____ Absent: _____

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 - _____

A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE RE-APPOINTMENTS OF PETER KAUTH, TERRY BUCHMAN AND EDDIE DANHAUER BY THE COUNTY JUDGE TO THE NORTHEAST LAKESIDE FIRE DEPARTMENT BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE QUORUM COURT OF BAXTER COUNTY, ARKANSAS, THAT:

Section 1. The following members of the Northeast Lakeside Fire Department Board of Commissioners, having been re-appointed by the County Judge for terms of three (3) years to expire February 2029, are hereby confirmed by the Quorum Court:

PETER KAUTH

TERRY BUCHMAN

EDDIE DANHAUER

Section 2. This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

APPROVAL:

KEVIN LITTY, COUNTY JUDGE

Date Signed: _____

ATTEST:

CANDA J. REESE, COUNTY CLERK

Sponsor: R. Steiner – JP – 3; C. Davis – JP - 9

Date Adopted: _____

Votes: For: _____ Against: _____

Abstain: _____ Present: _____ Absent: _____