



Opportunity Awaits

Grady County Board of Commissioners

Ray Prince
District 2

LaFaye Copeland
District 4

Yancey Maxwell, Chair
District 1

Sam Kines
District 3

Celeste Tyler
County Administrator

Phillip Drew
District 5

March 11, 2026, Public Works/Public Property Committee Meeting Minutes

Present at the meeting were commissioners, Ray Prince, Yancey Maxwell, Sam Kines, Phillip Drew, and LaFaye Copeland. Staff Celeste Tyler, Holly Murkerson, John White, Stanley Elkins, Mike Binion, and Tiffany Prince.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Yancey Maxwell at 9:30 a.m. The Invocation was given by Mr. Kines, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

II. Presentations

Hadley Ferry Road Boat Ramp – Stanley Elkins and Mike Binion

Mr. Elkins and Mr. Binion met with Jeff Bishop who is with DNR concerning a lease for the boat ramp at Hadley Ferry. DNR will continue to maintain the boat ramp with the lease. Information has been sent to Attorney Ridley for him to work on the legal aspects. Mrs. Tyler stated time is important on this measure so she would like to place this on the agenda for the 3/17/26 meeting.

Walden Road – Stanley Elkins

Mr. Elkins brought up the request to have Walden Road paved. He stated it the road has a large tax base. This road is on the TSPLOST list, and it was discussed as to when to pave. It was suggested to wait until most of the housing construction was completed. Mr. Joe Walden pointed out there are no speed limit signs on the road. The board told Mr. Elkins to please put up 45 mph speed limit signs. It was also brought up that Mr. Damion Foy was going to attempt to get property for a dump site in the area .

Mr. Prince stated that Courtney Lane also needs speed and children at play signs due to growth.

Executive Session for Personnel

Motion by Mrs. Copeland, second by Mr. Kines to enter Executive Session at 10:02 am. The motion was approved.

Motion by Mr. Drew, second by Mrs. Copeland to exit Executive Session at 10:36 am. The motion was approved.

III. Adjournment – Motion by Mrs. Copeland, second by Mr. Drew to adjourn. The motion was approved.

RESOLUTIONS AND AGENDAS

I. Executive Duties

1. Call to Order - 9:30 AM
2. Invocation/Pledge

II. Presentations

1. Hadley Ferry Boat Ramp
2. Walden Road

Gabe Ridley, **County Attorney**, John White, **HR Director/County Clerk**, Holly D Murkerson, **Finance Director**



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3. Executive Session — Personnel
III. Adjournment

ATTEST:

John White, County Clerk

Yancey Maxwell, Chair

Sam Kines

Phillip Drew, Commissioner

LaFaye Copeland, Commissioner

Ray Prince, Commissioner