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Bracken Fiscal Court

A regular meeting of the Bracken County Fiscal Court was held Wednesday, May 13, 2026, for the purpose of transacting any business properly presented by the established agenda. Presiding: Craig Miller, Magistrate. Present: David Kelsch, Danny Holleran, Debbie Mayfield, John Scott, Craig Miller, Sandy Ruf, Kevin Jarrells, Heather Brumley. Absent: Judge Teegarden.

Let the record reflect that the Court Members received a copy of any Transfers and Vendor Claims and a copy of the Financial Statement.

Upon motion of Debbie Mayfield, second by Danny Holleran, the court approves the minutes of the regular meeting April 22, 2026.

Upon motion of John Scott, second by Sandy Ruf, the court approves the minutes of special meeting May 5, 2026.

Road Department Update - Road Supervisor Stacey Florer gave an update. They have been shouldering some roads, rocked around mailboxes, working on gravel roads from the winter, back dragging and putting rock down, repair work on 2 bridges, repair decaying concrete, bushhogging and the 200 tons of salt ordered in March was finally hauled in.

Animal Shelter Expansion Update - Awaiting property survey.

Property Licking Estates surplus - Tabled.

Amended agenda - Chief Carpenter Motion for approval to amend made by Debbie Mayfield, second by David Kelsch.

Chief Carpenter - Radios - Chief Kyle Carpenter is the Chief for Mason County Fire Department. He has been speaking with Judge Teegarden, she gave him permission to get on Brackens radios. The radio company Bracken uses was cc'd on the email, and they stated there would be no issue. The radio company called and asked Chief

Carpenter questions. They stated there were some requirements needed to get the RAS key by DKC Radio. They need reliable communication for the EMS. They way it is set up now there is this RAS key that eliminates them from being able to gain access.

Chief Carpenter will come back to address the court when Judge Teegarden is here on the meeting May 27.

CASA - Mary Beth Rudd addressed the court. She is the Executive Director of the Buffalo Trace CASA program. They proudly serve 5 communities advocating for children in those communities. In 2025 the CASA program served 119 children and 21 of those were in Bracken. Behind each of these numbers is a child who has experienced abuse and neglect and needs a consistent, caring adult to stand beside them. Every child they serve is matched with a dedicated CASA volunteer to ensure the highest quality of advocacy; each CASA volunteer serves only one child at a time.

Bracken is a huge asset to them. She stated they are going to be needing volunteers from our county for the CASA board so if there is anyone willing to serve, please reach out to her.

Budget FY 26-27 1st Reading - There were a few changes, one was some software issues that Treasurer Garrison handed out today. Magistrate Miller stated

the main goal is to pass the first reading today. This must be approved for the first reading, then submitted to DLG. They must go through and approve everything and get it back to the court to be effective July 1st.

Motion for approval of the 1st Reading made by Debbie Mayfield, second by Heather Brumley.

Transfers/Vendor Claims - Approved following: General Fund Budget Transfer; Dispatch 911 Fund Budget Transfer; General Fund Vendor Claims; Road Fund Vendor Claims (Abstained due to claim: Craig Miller); Jail Fund Vendor Claims; Senior Citizens Fund Vendor Claims; Dispatch 911 Fund Vendor Claims.

Other Business:
 ACO have asked to get a rabies vaccination. The estimate is a series of 3 doses of vaccines. Total for both ACO's would be \$2,813,40 through the Bracken County Health Dept. Magistrate Brumley suggested tabling this until the ACO's are here to discuss it.

Adjourn - Motion to adjourn made by Danny Holleran, second by Heather Brumley.

This Friday, June 19, is a Federal Holiday. Several banks and the U.S. Postal Service will be closed.



DEEDS
 Recorded by County Clerk Jennifer Free.
 Robert A. Breeze and Joseph A. Breeze to Shoot the Breeze, LLC, a 4.32 acre tract and Lot 10, Jennett Homestead Division, 559 Parina Road, Brooksville.
 Lizabeth T. Thomas to Zachary L. White and Shasta Miller, a .57 acre parcel on the north side of KY 19, Bracken County.
 Ruth Angela Callahan and Brian Keith Callahan to Eric Ray Sutton, a parcel along State Highway No. 10 near western City Limits of the City of Brooksville.

District Court News

DISTRICT COURT
 Heard on Tues., June 9, 2026 by District Court Judge Kim Razor.

Brooks, Blake Thomas, show cause payment, paid in full.

Schraer, Jeffrey Isaiah, shos cause payment, owes \$163, failed to appear, issued bench warrant.

Bex, Nathaniel, continued to 7/7.

Black, Bryan P. (1) speeding 20 mph over limit, continued to 6/16; (2) license to be in possession, dismissed.

Black, Guindolyn Marcelino, continued to 6/16.

Boling, William, continued to 8/11.

Boling, William, show cause payment, owes \$30, continued to 8/11.

Curnutt, Caitlyn Manon, continued to 8/4.

Elam, Whitney Lynn, (1) speeding 10 mph over limit, paid in full.

Elliott, Bonnie, continued to 7/7.

Evans, Ashlyn Danielle, (1) speeding 10 mph over limit, failed to appear, notified DOT.

Freeman, Melissa S. continued to 7/7.

Hayes, Laquondra, failed to appear, issued bench warrant.

Hughes, Mary E., continued to 7/7.

Koch, Brandon, (1) operating on suspended/revoked operators license, amended to no operators license in possession, \$25 fine and court costs.

Lee, Jamie D., (1) speeding 10 mph over limit, directed to enroll in CATS diversion program, to review 8/11; (2) rear license not illuminated, dismissed; (3) license to be in possession, dismissed.

Moore, Dylan Lee, continued to 6/16.

Osborne, Carl M., continued to 7/7.

Roaden, Joshua A., (1) reckless driving, \$50 fine and court costs; (2) improper passing, \$25 fine; (3) failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, 1st offense, \$100 fine.

Spencer, Nicholas D. continued to 7/7.

Szewczyk, John H., continued to 6/16.

Taulbee, Dustin Adam, (1) speeding 15 mph over limit, \$30 fine and court costs; (2) failure to wear seat belts, \$25 fine; (3) failure to produce insurance card, dismissed.

Bevins, Dorian Shawn, (1) speeding 15

mph over limit; (2) reckless driving; (3) improper passing; (4) failure of owner to maintain required insurance/security, 1st offense; (5) failure to produce insurance card; (6) failure to register transfer of motor vehicle; (7) failure to notify address change to DOT; (8) fleeing or evading police, 2nd degree (motor vehicle); (9) possession of controlled substance, 1st degree, 1st offense (methamphetamine), probable cause found, bound over to Bracken County Grand Jury.

McClellan, Andrew M., (1) speeding 26 mph over/greater, \$60 fine and court costs; (2) operating on suspended/revoked operators license, amended to no operators license in possession, \$50 fine.

Oldham, Lori Kaye, (1) speeding 5 mph over limit, directed to enroll in CATS diversion program, to review 8/11; (2) failure to produce insurance card, dismissed; (3) failure of non-owner operator to maintain required insurance, 1st offense, dismissed.

KSP Post 6 Investigates Fatal Fire in Bracken Co.

On June 14, 2026, the Kentucky State Police (KSP) Post 6 Dry Ridge was notified by Bracken County Dispatch of a residential fire in the Brooksville Community of Bracken County. While extinguishing a structure fire, firefighters discovered human remains inside the residence. Because of the condition of the remains there are no identifications currently at this time. The Bracken County Coroner pronounced

deceased at 0141 hours. The autopsy will be performed at the medical examiner's office in Frankfort, Ky.

This case remains under investigation by Detective Matthew Purvis. Det. Purvis was assisted on scene by KSP personnel, Bracken County EMS, Bracken County Coroner's Office, Bracken County Sheriff's office, along with the Brooksville Fire Departments. *submitted*



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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF BROOKSVILLE, KENTUCKY AMENDED BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 7/1/2025 THROUGH 6/30/2026 BY ESTIMATING REVENUES AND RESOURCES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION OF CITY GOVERNMENT

WHEREAS, an annual budget proposal and message has been prepared and delivered to the City Council; and
WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed such budget proposal and made necessary modifications,
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF BROOKSVILLE,

SECTION 1:
That the annual budget for the fiscal year beginning 7/1/25 and ending 6/30/26 is hereby amended as follows:

	General Fund	Utility Fund
Resources Available:		
Fund balance carried forward	320,000	350,000
Estimated revenue		
Property taxes	100,000	
Licenses and permits	314,000	
Intergovernmental revenues	21,400	
Community Center Project	000,000	
Rural Dev. Comm/Center Project	000,000	
Charges for services	60,000	726,000
Other	3,100	
Total estimated revenues	498,500	726,000
Total resources available for appropriation	\$ 818,500	\$ 1,076,000
Appropriations:		
General Government	\$ 267,330	\$
Police	102,900	
Fire	12,000	
Streets	40,900	
Sanitation	60,000	
Other		
Public Utilities		725,350
Community Center Project	000,000	
Rural Dev/Community Center	000,000	
Total appropriations	\$ 470,190	\$ 725,350
Excess of resources over/ Under appropriations	\$ 28,310	\$ 650
Interfund transfers	\$ 12,940	\$
Estimated fund balances end of fiscal year	\$ 361,250	\$ 350,650

SECTION 2:
That this Ordinance shall be in effect on 7/1/25.

[Signature]
MAYOR,
City of Brooksville

[Signature]
ATTEST,
CITY CLERK

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