

**MINUTES, LIMESTONE COUNTY COMMISSION, SEPTEMBER 21, 2026,
WORK SESSION MEETING**

The Limestone County Commission reconvened the meeting from September 8, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. today at the Clinton Street Courthouse Annex, 100 South Clinton Street, Athens, Alabama.

Present: David Ruf, Johnny Turner, Derrick Gatlin, and LaDon Townsend. Absent: None. Collin Daly, Chairman, presided.

Amy Golden, Council Member of Athens, AL for District 5, expressed her concern to the commission regarding property owned by the county, that is within the city limits, not following zoning ordinances.

Ester Cosby addressed the commission regarding safety of road conditions and right-of-ways in Limestone County.

Chairman reminded citizens that public comments can be mailed or e-mailed to the commission.

Items were discussed for today’s meeting.

Under “Resolutions and Orders,” County Engineer Marc Massey stated that the CDB Grant and ARC Grant are funding to add turn lanes at the intersection of Mooresville Road and Old Highway 20 and the intersection of Mooresville Road and Huntsville Brownsferry Road.

It was noted under “Contracts, Agreements, MOUs, and Grants,” to remove number four (4) from the commission meeting agenda: “Approve an agreement with AirMedCare Network Membership for Payroll Deduct Only for Limestone County Employees”.

Under “Budget Revisions,” Chairman thanked Stephanie, Emily, and Ellen for their hard work on the Fiscal Year 26-27 budget.

It was noted under “Personnel, Policies, & Staffing Action,” to take numbers one (1) and two (2) in one motion. Chairman stated that the winner for the road name to the new animal shelter is Four Paws Drive.

During the “Engineer’s Report,” County Engineer Marc Massey gave an update regarding the roundabout at the intersection of East Limestone Road and Capshaw Road. He also stated that his crew is finishing up paving in District 3 then they will be moving to District 4. In closing, he noted that paving is behind due to weather but ensured all paving projects will be completed.

Under “Other Business,” Chairman stated that Saturday, October 3rd is Trash Attack Day. He also congratulated Tammy Waddell on her retirement and thanked her for her many years of service to the jail and Limestone County.

Recessed at 9:22.

Collin Daly, Chairman

David Ruf, D-I Commissioner

Derrick Gatlin, D-III Commissioner

Johnny Turner, D-II Commissioner

LaDon Townsend, D-IV Commissioner