

**Garland County
Human Resources Committee
Minutes
January 24, 2022**

Members Present: Chairman Thomas Anderson, Vice Chairman Dave Reagan, Justices Ray Owen, Esther Dixon, and Larry Raney and John Faulkner.

Members Absent: Justice John Horner

Also Present: Citizens, Elected Officials, and Staff

Chairman Anderson called the meeting to order, and Justice Dixon presented the opening prayer.

Chairman Anderson introduced a request for consideration of approval for a promotional increase to the position of Truck Driver within the County Road Department. Judge Mahoney stated the request for approval of the promotional increase was a formality once again since it was over the 7% allowed under the JESAP program. A motion was made by Justice Owen, seconded by Justice Faulkner to approve the promotional increase. The motion carried without opposition.

Chairman Anderson introduced a request to create two full time Patrol Deputy positions within the American Rescue Plan Fund-Sheriff's Budget. Judge Mahoney stated that six Patrol Deputy positions had previously been created during budget hearings when the Sheriff's Department had applied for the COPS Grant. That award was not received work was under way to apply again in the future. A motion was made by Justice Owen, seconded by Justice Dixon to approve the request to create two full time Patrol Deputy positions within the American Rescue Plan Fund-Sheriff's Budget. The motion carried without opposition.

Respectfully Submitted,


Valerie Dodge