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Resignation Email for Agenda Attachment

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From: James Oakley <judgejamesoakley@gmail.com>**Sent:** Wednesday, December 18, 2024 3:25 PM**To:** Eddie Arredondo <earredondo@burnetcountytexas.org>**Cc:** Jim Luther <jluther@burnetcountytexas.org>; Damon Beierle <dbeierle@burnetcountytexas.org>; Billy Wall <commissionerpct3@burnetcountytexas.org>; Joe Don Dockery <jdockery@burnetcountytexas.org>; Shirley Bullard <sbullard@burnetcountytexas.org>**Subject:** Oakley - resignation

I have been humbled and honored to have been elected by the public to serve the public as Burnet County Judge for the last 10 years. Prior to that, I was equally honored to serve for 8 years as a Burnet County Commissioner starting in 1999. I'm most proud of the excellent financial condition of Burnet County as well as the land and facilities now in place. That includes the renovation of the 1884 Historic Jailhouse Museum & Visitors Center, Oakalla Schoolhouse, acquisition of the old Burnet Elementary School, the donation of 800 acres for public use, and other land & buildings to accommodate our growing citizen's needs.

In recent years, the extreme lack of civility in public discourse has caused me to reevaluate how I want to spend my day to day life. My priorities are to protect my health / safety and that of my wife & family. As I am eligible for retirement, I have made the decision to resign my position effective January 2nd, 2025 such that I can achieve other personal goals and projects.

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