

CLASSIFIEDS

LEGAL NOTICES

Bid opening Monroe County Fiscal Court

Monroe County Fiscal Court will accept bids on road materials; rock, black top, tile, chip seal oil, contract work, gas and oil for Fiscal year 2026/2027. Bids will be open at 9 A.M. on June 18, 2026 at the Monroe County Fiscal Court meeting. For more information, call the Monroe County Judge's Office at 270-487-5505. The Fiscal Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

Public Hearing Monroe County Fiscal Court

A public hearing will be held by Monroe County at the Courthouse on June 18th, 2026 at 8:40 AM for the purpose of obtaining citizens comments regarding the possible use of the County Road Aid (CRA) and Local Government Economic Assistance (LGEA) Funds. All persons in Monroe County are invited to the hearing to submit verbal or written comments on possible uses of the CRA and LGEA Funds. Any person(s) who cannot submit written comments or attend the public hearing but wish to submit comments, should call the Office of the County/Judge Executive at 270-487-5505 by June 17th, 2026 so arrangements can be made to secure their comments.

FREE FISHING DAY,

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Free Fishing Weekend webpage on the department's website (fw.ky.gov) to find many known events.

For those new to fishing, Kentucky Fish and Wildlife provides plenty of resources to get started on a lifetime of fishing enjoyment:

Get the basics: The Learn to Fish webpage provides basic information on gear, where to go fishing, suggested lures and tackle, catching and cleaning a fish and a number of instructional videos from knot tying to filleting fish. For those with more experience, visit the department's main Fishing landing page for links to all fishing topics.

Get equipped: Fishing poles can be purchased inexpensively at sporting goods and box stores, second-hand stores and yard sales. Fishing poles can also be borrowed for free at a number of locations across the state. Search for nearby locations on the Loaner Fishing Pole Locations map on the department's website.

Learn the rules: See the annual Kentucky Fishing & Boating Guide, also in a Spanish language version,

for a complete summary of all fishing regulations.

Where to go: Visit the Fishing in Neighborhoods (FINs) webpage for lists of easily accessible, specially stocked lakes. For a comprehensive list of fishing and boating access sites across Kentucky, check out the Waterbodies Search webpage.

Get inside information: Peruse the annual fishing forecast and tips webpage for insider information on fish around the state.

Find fish: Search the Lakes with Fish Attractors webpage for habitat maps at various lakes and download GPX files from there.

Continue learning: Kentucky Fish and

Wildlife hosts Hook and Cook classes in a number of communities throughout the year. Look for one- and two-day classes to improve or learn new skills.

For anglers on the go, download and use Kentucky's Fish Boat KY app. The app helps users to find directions to local lakes, read fishing reports, learn about regulations, find stocking schedules, locate the nearest boat ramp and more. The app is available in the iTunes and Google Play app stores.

The water is calling. Pack up the family on the first weekend of June and enjoy fishing in Kentucky - for free.

Do you enjoy working crossword puzzles?

Check out our website www.tompkinsvillenews.com for a new puzzle each week.



PUBLIC NOTICE

The second reading and adoption of the Monroe County proposed budget ordinance for fiscal year 2026/2027 is scheduled to be held at the courthouse on June 18th, 2026 at 9:00 a.m./p.m.

BUDGET SUMMARY

AN ORDINANCE Relating to the Annual Budget and Appropriations.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE FISCAL COURT OF Monroe COUNTY, KENTUCKY:

WHEREAS, the proposed budget was tentatively approved by the fiscal court on the 21st day of May, 2026 and approved as to form and classification by the State Local Finance Officer on the 27th day of May, 2026.

SECTION ONE. The following budget is adopted for the Fiscal Year 2026/2027 and the amounts stated are appropriated for the purposes indicated.

(01)	General Fund	
	General Government	\$ 1,360,041
	Protection to Persons and Property	\$ 125,164
	General Health and Sanitation	\$ 104,400
	Social Services	\$ 23,000
	Recreation and Culture	\$ 46,300
	Debt Service	\$ 223,062
	Administration	\$ 1,279,183
	(Other - define) <u>Transportation Facilities</u>	\$ 1,200
	(Other - define) <u>Capital Projects</u>	\$ 32,315
	Total	\$ 3,194,605
(02)	Road Fund	
	Transportation Facilities	\$
	Roads	\$ 1,726,425
	Debt Service	\$
	Administration	\$ 244,633
	(Other - define)	\$
	(Other - define)	\$
	Total	\$ 1,971,058
(03)	Jail Fund	
	Protection to Persons and Property	\$ 693,500
	Debt Service	\$
	Administration	\$ 29,584
	(Other - define)	\$
	Total	\$ 723,084
(04)	LGEA Fund	
	Economic Development	\$ 5,000
	Protection to Persons and Property	\$ 46,000
	General Health and Sanitation	\$
	Social Services	\$
	Recreation and Culture	\$
	Roads	\$
	Administration (allowable categories only)	\$
	(Other - define) <u>Airport</u>	\$ 3,000
	(Other - define)	\$
	Total	\$ 54,000
(74)	<u>Opioid</u> Fund	
	(Define) <u>Contingent Appropriations</u>	\$ 525,000
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	Total	\$ 525,000
(15)	<u>HRFA</u> Fund	
	(Define) <u>Fringe Benefits</u>	\$ 15,000
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	Total	\$ 15,000
(76)	<u>Clean Storage Fee</u> Fund	
	(Define) <u>Other - Clean storage fees</u>	\$ 45,000
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	(Define)	\$
	Total	\$ 45,000

SECTION TWO. This ordinance shall be published in Tompkinsville newspaper by title and summary within thirty (30) days following adoption.

SECTION THREE. This ordinance becomes effective upon passage and publication.

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

All interested persons and organizations in Monroe County are hereby notified that a copy of the county's proposed budget in full is available for public inspection at the Office of the County Judge/Executive during normal business hours.