

BOARD OF McPHERSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA
for
June 29, 2026

**Commission Meetings are in the McPherson County Building 5th Floor Meeting Room
200 N. Maple, McPherson, KS**

9:00 a.m. - The following items will be discussed as time permits -

- A. Approval of Agenda
- B. Approval of Minutes
- C. Approval of Checks and Claims & Payroll
- D. Adds & Abates
- E. Personnel
- F. Letter of Support for Prairie View, Inc.'s RCORP-Impact Application
- G. General Correspondence

9:00 a.m. Public Input

9:05 a.m. Captain Blevins, Corrections

Non-elected Personnel

9:10 a.m. Laurie Wizarde, Register of Deeds -

Non-elected Personnel

9:15 a.m. Tim Hawkinson, Asst. Director for Emergency Management/Communications

Non-elected Personnel

9:20 a.m. David Bohnenblust, Director of McPherson County Public Works

- A. Update on work begin done on the fuel island at the County Yard
- B. Update on Bridge #235210 Bridge Project

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9:00 a.m. Regular Meeting

Chairman Becker & Commissioner O'Dell- Present

Commissioner Kueser - Absent

Chairman Becker opened the meeting at 9:00 a.m. Commissioner Kueser was absent from the meeting. Commissioner O'Dell made a motion to approve the agenda for June 29, 2026, as presented. Chairman Becker seconded. **All voted aye.**

At 9:02 a.m., during Public Input, Sheriff Montagne presented weekly arrest numbers, jail counts, and recent department activities.

At 9:04 a.m., Jon Kinsey, Planning/Zoning/Environment Director, joined the meeting to update Commissioners on his attendance at recent GMD #2 and Reno County Commission meetings.

At 9:07 a.m., Captain Blevins joined the meeting to request approval of a Personnel Change Notice (PCN) to hire Jayden Barnett as a Correctional Officer (14A), effective July 6, 2026, to fill a vacancy. Commissioner O'Dell made a motion for the Chairman to sign the PCN as presented. Chairman Becker seconded. **All voted aye.**

At 9:09 a.m., Laurie Wizarde, Register of Deeds, joined the meeting to request approval of a PCN to hire Amy Boydston as an Office Clerk (8A), effective July 20, 2026, to fill a vacancy. Commissioner O'Dell made a motion for the Chairman to sign the PCN as presented. Chairman Becker seconded. **All voted aye.**

At 9:12 a.m., Tim Hawkinson, Assistant Director of Emergency Management/Communications, joined the meeting to request approval of a PCN to end the introductory period for Nicole Redd, Communications Technician (13E), effective July 5, 2026. Commissioner O'Dell made a motion for the Chairman to sign the PCN as presented. Chairman Becker seconded. **All voted aye.**

Commissioner O'Dell made a motion to sign a letter of support regarding a funding application to the Rural Communities Opioid Response Program - Impact Initiative, by Prairie View, Inc. Following discussion, Commissioner O'Dell made a motion to sign the letter as presented. Chairman Becker seconded. **All voted aye.**

At 9:17 a.m., David Bohnenblust, Public Works Director, joined the meeting and presented updates regarding progress on the fuel island at the County Yard, the Bridge #235210 project west of the Maxwell Wildlife Refuge, as well as current and upcoming department projects.

At 9:25 a.m., Commissioner O'Dell made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Chairman Becker seconded. **All voted aye.**

Minutes recorded by Abbey Heidebrecht



Keith Becker, Chairman

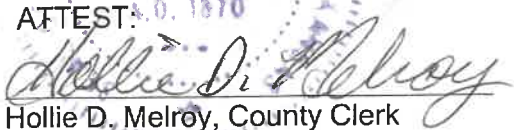


David O'Dell, Vice Chairman

ABSENT

Thomas L. Kueser, Commissioner

ATTEST:



Hollie D. Melroy, County Clerk