

**BOARD OF McPHERSON COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**  
**AGENDA**  
for  
July 20, 2026

**Commission Meetings are in the McPherson County Building 5<sup>th</sup> 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. Notice of Intent to County Clerk
- G. General Correspondence

9:00 a.m.      Public Input

9:05 a.m.      Sheriff Montagne -

Non-elected Personnel (2)

9:10 a.m.      Elizabeth Hopp, Public Works Project Engineer -

Approval for payment of additional costs related to the widening on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue (CR447)

MCPHERSON COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

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9:00 a.m. Regular Meeting

All Present

Chairman Becker opened the meeting at 9:00 a.m. One item was added to the agenda for July 20, 2026: Notice of Intent to the County Clerk. Commissioner Kueser made a motion to approve the agenda as amended. Commissioner O'Dell seconded. **All voted aye.**

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

Jon Kinsey, Planning/Zoning/Environment Director, joined Public Input for department updates including his recent attendance at a Sedgwick County Commission work session regarding Equis Bed water level issues in the GMD#2.

Commissioner Kueser made a motion to approve the minutes for July 14, 2026, as presented. Commissioner O'Dell seconded. **All voted aye.**

At 9:08 a.m., Captain Blevins, Corrections, joined the meeting with two (2) items:

- A. Request to approve a Personnel Change Notice (PCN) to end the introductory period for Joseph Moreno, Correctional Officer (14B), effective July 5, 2026. Commissioner O'Dell made a motion for the Chairman to sign the PCN as presented. Commissioner Kueser seconded. **All voted aye.**
- B. Request to approve a PCN to end the introductory period for Jason Leiker, Sergeant Correctional Officer (16G), effective July 19, 2026. Commissioner O'Dell made a motion for the Chairman to sign the PCN as presented. Commissioner Kueser seconded. **All voted aye.**

At 9:10 a.m., Elizabeth Hopp, Public Works Project Engineer, joined the meeting to request approval to pay the additional costs for milling on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue. Following discussion, Commissioner Kueser made a motion to approve the payment for \$26,841.84 to Weber Road Solutions, LLC for mobilization, freight, traffic control and milling on the widening on 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue (CR447) as presented. Commissioner O'Dell seconded. **All voted aye.**

Commissioner Kueser made a motion to approve accounts payable, jury checks, and witness checks for July 20, 2026, and payroll for pay period ending July 18, 2026 as presented. Commissioner O'Dell seconded. **All voted aye.**

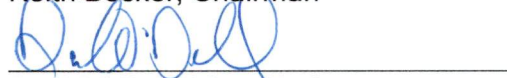
Commissioner O'Dell made a motion to approve abates for June 17, 2026, as presented. Commissioner Kueser seconded. **All voted aye.**

Commissioner Kueser made a motion for the Chairman to sign a Notice of Intent confirming that McPherson County will not exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate and will submit the 2027 Budget to the County Clerk on or before October 1, 2026. Commissioner O'Dell seconded. **All voted aye.**

At 9:23 a.m., Commissioner Kueser made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner O'Dell seconded. **All voted aye.**

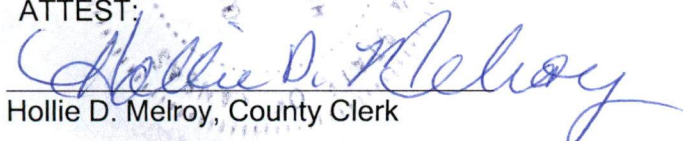
Minutes recorded by Abbey Heidebrecht

  
Keith Becker, Chairman

  
David O'Dell, Vice Chairman

  
Thomas L. Kueser, Commissioner

ATTEST:

  
Hollie D. Melroy, County Clerk