

Crawford County Commission met pursuant to adjournment with these members present: Steve Black, Presiding Commissioner; Mark Pfeiffer, Commissioner District 1; Jared Boast, Commissioner District 2; County Clerk Kim Gibbs and De Dee Hamilton; and the following proceedings were had to viz;

Attendees at the beginning of the meeting included Jenni Pilkenton, Danny Brown, Jackie Hunt, Mike Lovell, Krysta Schwartz, Jeff Banderet, Cindy Redburn, Tom Thompson, Pat Schwent, Kellie Vestal, Richard Jensen and Frank Brooks.

Frank Brooks opened the meeting with prayer and exited the meeting.

9:01 a.m.: Mark Pfeiffer made a motion to accept the agenda for the August 12, 2025, meeting of the Crawford County Commission. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried.

9:04 a.m.: Mark Pfeiffer made a motion to accept the Crawford County Commission meeting minutes for the July 21, 2025, meeting of the Crawford County Commission. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried.

A draft of the commission meeting minutes for August 5th, 2025, was presented. No draft of the commission meeting minutes for July 29, 2025 was presented, as there was no meeting on that day.

County Officials: Jared Boast advised he and Mark Pfeiffer would be attending a TAC meeting on Thursday, August 14, 2025 in St James.

Steve Black updated the commission; he had talked to the new FEMA rep and everything was in order for reimbursement from the November 5, 2024 flood.

9:05 a.m.: Jared Boast made a motion to allow the release of surplus funds in the amount of \$397.93 for property at 4756 High Street in Sullivan, executing the redemption process. Mark Pfeiffer seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried. Pat Schwent exited the meeting.

9:07 a.m.: Jeff Banderet and Krysta Schwartz updated the commission on bridge projects coming up. Danny Brown added that Willhite Road will be closed at the Huzzah crossing from August 14-August 25th. Jeff Banderet, Krysta Schwartz and Danny Brown exited the meeting.

9:14 a.m.: Old Business: Jared Boast stated the bridge on McWilliams Road would be done in-house. No bid was accepted.

9:14 a.m.: Citizen Participation: Mike Lovell inquired about the culvert pipe at his driveway. Pat Schwent re-entered the meeting. Mike Lovell had questions about citizen participation and commission meeting minutes. Steve Black advised that commission meeting minutes were available in the clerk's office, and if a citizen had a concern that would go over the five minute time limit allowed for citizen participation, they should be on the agenda. Mike Lovell asked to be put on the agenda next week, then corrected to the following week, August 26th.

Cindy Redburn had questions resulting in more discussion being held regarding the minutes and their availability to the public. The minutes are drafted and presented to the commission, then approved the next week. No minutes are available to the public online or from the clerk's office until they have been approved.

Discussion also addressed citizen participation being moved back to the beginning of the commission meetings. The commission was in favor of leaving citizen participation at the end of the meeting, as it is.

9:35 a.m.: Pat Schwent re-entered the meeting. Jared Boast made a motion to allow surplus funds to be received in the amount of \$382.37 for property at 425 S Mansion Street in Sullivan. Mark Pfeiffer seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried. Pat Schwent exited the meeting.

9:39 a.m.: New Business: Mark Pfeiffer advised that the Nature Conservatory thought bridge work proposed for Crabtree Road would be better utilized by putting in a box culvert to replace a slab on Woolsey Road. Bids for the project will be in the newspapers for two weeks, due on August 29th and opening on Tuesday, September 2nd, 2025.

9:45 a.m.: Cindy Redburn and Mike Lovell exited the meeting.

9:49 a.m.: Jackie Hunt exited the meeting.

10:20 a.m.: Mark Pfeiffer made a motion to adjourn the August 5, 2025, meeting of the Crawford County Commission. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried.

The Commission adjourned to meet Tuesday, August 19, 2025, at 9:00 a.m.

Steve Black, Presiding Commissioner