

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; and Jenni Pilkenton; and the following proceedings were had to viz;

Attendees at the beginning of the meeting included Jordan Trendle, Kim Gibbs, Darin Layman, Andy Keymann, Kellie Vestal, Amy England, Jax Jensen, Kim Gibbs, Karen Sikes, Pat Schwent, Cindy Redburn, Robert Sikes, Mike Lovell, Loren Wilson and Bret Hendrix.

9:00 a.m.: Pastor Andy Keymann opened the meeting with prayer.

9:01 a.m.: Mark Pfeiffer made a motion to amend the agenda for the July 14th, 2026, meeting of the Crawford County Commission to discuss a tax agreement with the City of Steelville and talk with both Bret Hendrix our SEMA representative, and Loren Wilson our Emergency Management Director. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried.

9:03 a.m.: Mark Pfeiffer made a motion to approve the Crawford County Commission meeting minutes for June 30th, 2026, meeting of the Crawford County Commission. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried.

9:04 a.m.: Mail and Documents:

None

9:03 a.m.: County Official Reports:

Kim Gibbs mentioned that she had been in touch with her Clerk's Association regarding the Collector's tax books. She also mentioned that the annual BOE hearing is scheduled for Monday, July 20th at 10 am. The Commission meeting will be held that same day as well.

Steve Black said that the Collector, Assessor, County Clerk may need to set up a conference call with DEVNET to try to get everyone on the same page with the delinquent tax book issues.

Kim Gibbs also brought up the fact that absentee voting has already begun in the Clerk's office and that the Davisville polling location may have to be relocated due to flooding damages.

Darin Laymen and the Commissioners wanted to thank everyone who helped with the flooding issues from the previous week.

There was discussion about several of the roads that had significant damage and what steps are being taken to make the best immediate repairs.

9:14 a.m.: Scheduled appointments:

Bret Hendrix and Loren Wilson along with Rachel Hobkins talked to the Commission in great length about assessments having been made regarding the damages to the roads and bridges and the livestock that has been lost or unaccounted for through this entire flooding devastation and what steps are to be done to get funds from FEMA and SEMA, and how the local farmers can work together to try to help each other out. Phone numbers and contact information were provided for anyone needing help. It was suggested that everyone reach out to either Loren Wilson, Rachel Hobkins or the Commission to get started with documentation of items damaged or lost property.

Amy England gave the Commission her director's report to look over along with some financial and expenditure reports as well.

10:07 a.m.: Steve Black made a motion to accept the terms of the resolution for the intergovernmental tax agreement between the City of Steelville and Crawford County. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried.

Steve Black made a second motion to approve a second reading of the resolution. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in favor; motion carried.

10:17 a.m.: Old Business: Taxing Board Policy

Jared Boast made a motion to approve the Taxing Board Policy as presented per 71426. Mark Pfeiffer seconded. All in favor; motion carried.

10:19 a.m.: New business:

None.

10:19 a.m.: Citizen Participation:

Mike Lovell asked about how to get funding for a county recreational center. Steve Black mentioned that he might contact MRPC to see if there are any grants available.

Danny Brown said that the grant money for the FLAP project is a no go. He said that he is still waiting for Federal money and hopes to find out something soon.

Jax Jenson asked about the insurance money for the fire damaged property in Cuba. He also wanted to confirm that he is in fact allowed to video the Commission meetings.

Jared Boast also mentioned that the BOE hearing will be next Monday along with the weekly Commission meeting being held that Monday as well.

Mark Pfeiffer said that there is a pre-construction bridge meeting after the meeting today

10:34 a.m.: Bills

10:49 a.m.: TFR Enterprises stopped in to give the Commissioners a packet on cleanup.

10:54 a.m.: Mark Pfeiffer made a motion to adjourn the July 14th, 2026, meeting of the Crawford County Commission. Jared Boast seconded the motion. All in Favor; motion carried.

Steve Black, Presiding Commissioner