

PETROLEUM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Regular Meeting Minutes

May 4, 2026

Petroleum County Courthouse
302 E. Main – Winnett, Montana

Commissioners:

Chair: Paul McKenna
Commissioner: Craig Iverson
Commissioner: Sig Pugrud

Staff:

Clerk: Nikki White
Treasurer: Krista Rowton
Road: Ray Rowton
Attorney: Diane Cochran

Appearances: Tyler Lynch; via Teams: Brad Kahler, Robie Culver

Meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m. with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

- Sig motions to approve the May 4th agenda. Craig seconds the motion. Motion carries.
- Craig motions to approve the April 20th meeting minutes. Sig seconds the motion. Motion carries.

ROAD DEPARTMENT- RAY ROWTON

- AC unit installed in John Deere
- Update on roads that have been bladed and what they are working on next

TREASURER

- Craig motions to approve signing the Cooperative Work Agreement with DOR. Sig seconds the motion. Motion carries.

COUNTY CLERK

- Sig moves to approve and pay claims #2222-#2231 & 2233-#2256. Craig seconds the motion. Motion carries.
- Sig moves to approve timecards. Craig seconds the motion. Motion carries.

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- Discussion on Floodplain touchpoint survey. Sig will get meeting scheduled.
- Discussion on wages for Sheriff
- Discussion on Mutual Aid Agreement with adjoining counties. Diane will reach out to surrounding counties.

COURTHOUSE REHAB:

- Brad gave updates on Courthouse Rehab project

- Advised windows for main floor will have to be reordered
- Completion date pushed to middle of May

Adjournment 1:51 p.m.

Signed: Paul McKenna

Attest: Nikki L. White

