

**OFFICE OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
McCONE COUNTY, MONTANA
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Monday, June 8, 2026

Cary Phillips, South Road Foreman, met with the Board to discuss vehicle repair, gravel pits, and Road Department issues.

Dan Curtiss, North Road Shop Foreman, met with the Board to discuss bills, gravel pit approval, vehicle repairs, contracted services costs, and Road Department issues.

Paul Skyberg, Sheriff, met with the Board to discuss bills, and Law Enforcement issues.

Scott Heide, retired Weed Department Supervisor, met with the Board to discuss potential noxious weed locations.

At the hour of 10:00 a.m., the Board of Commissioners of McCone County, Montana, met in regular session with Ty Taylor, Lonny Jensen, and Alan Stempel present. Presiding Officer Alan Stempel called the meeting to order. The pledge of allegiance was recited. Commissioner Taylor moved to approve the agenda. Commissioner Jensen seconded the motion and the motion passed 3-0. **(A copy of the agenda is on file in the Commissioners' files.)**

The June 1, 2026 minutes were approved as amended.

Commissioner Stempel reported on the MACO District Meeting he attended, in Malta, on June 4, 2026.

The Board coordinated with Midrivers Communications to approve fiber optic cable installation near the County owned Church on Highway 201.

The Board reviewed and approved county claims for the month of May, 2026. Voucher #1047 for the amount of \$168,839.66 was signed at this time. **(A copy of the claim register and voucher is on file in the Commissioners' files)**

The Board continued to review the Subdivision Regulations. The Board tabled the decision to approve the regulations.

The Board reviewed the Community Development Block Grant draw of \$83,180.03 for the McCone County Health Center improvement project. Commissioner Jensen moved to approve the draw. Commissioner Taylor seconded the motion and the motion passed 3-0. **(A copy of the draw is on file in the Commissioners' files.)**

The Board reviewed the Immunization Program Task Order 27-07-4-3-1-127-0. The Board tabled the decision to approve the Task Order until it is reviewed by the County Attorney.

The meeting was opened to public participation at 1:00 p.m.

The Board reviewed and updated the Draft Resolution for AI and/or Data Centers.

The Board continued to update the Policy and Procedure Manual.

Keri Taylor, DES Coordinator, met with the Board to discuss the County Emblem and Motto Competition. Commissioner Taylor abstained from the discussion.

The Board approved the purchase of LifeVacs for choking emergencies by Public Health for approximately \$3,000 using IAP Grant funds.

Celia Herbel, Representative for Senator Sheehy, met with the Board to discuss County issues.

Peggy Iba, Rock Creek Cabin Association member, met with the Board to discuss road conditions, the potential annexation of Rock Creek cabins, and their upcoming annual meeting.

Clint Kirchner, Stockyards Board Member, met with the Board to discuss weed control at the Stockyards.

Jim Moos met with the Board, by phone, to share information about the county owned Church on Highway 201.

Correspondence occupied the Board for the rest of the day.

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

The minutes are also available on the Commissioner page of the McCone County website at www.mcconecountymt.com.

McCone County Commissioners

Attest:
(Seal)

Alan Stempel, Presiding Officer

Sherry Kluth, Clerk and Recorder