

**WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS
OFFICIAL MINUTES**

October 22, 2025

The Board of County Commissioners, Casey Lair, Andrew Miller & Jerry Scott, Kayla Busch, County Clerk, and Kris Marple, County Coordinator, met in regular session at 9:00 a.m. in the Commission Room.

CALL TO ORDER: Commissioner Lair called the meeting to order.

INVOCATION: Commissioner Miller gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Commissioner Scott led the flag salute.

AGENDA & MINUTES:

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the agenda as presented, and approve the minutes of October 15, 2025 as presented. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ROAD & BRIDGE DEPT. REPORT:

Kary Tatum, Road & Bridge Supervisor, submitted a right-of-way permit for CNC Underground for a waterline. He also discussed an oversize/overweight permit for Unruh Mowing Service.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the ROW permits as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

COORDINATOR'S REPORT:

Kris Marple, County Coordinator, presented Neighborhood Revitalization Plan applications for Advanced Healthcare Associates, Michael Kleinbeck, David Bosch, Kyle Jantz, and Tim Gericke. He also submitted bids for the 2026 Indigent Defense Contract for Wilson County from Green Law Office in the amount of \$60,000.00, and from Cheryl Hearn, Attorney LLC in the amount of \$54,000.00. He also presented interest rate quotes for financing the 2026 MowerMax Prime Mover lease-purchase from Atmax Leasing 2 of 5.24%, Bank of Commerce of 3.94%, Community National Bank & Trust of 4.50%, First National Bank in Fredonia of 4.00%, and First Oak Bank of 4.75%. He also discussed a quote for a Canon copier for 911 Dispatch from McCarty Office Machines in the amount of \$3,000.00. He also discussed a quote for a new Dell network server for the County Law Enforcement Center in the amount of \$13,262.87 from MCS. He also submitted a request from the City of Buffalo to waive landfill fees for a house demolition at 702 E. Buffalo Street.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the NRP applications as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to accept the bid for the 2026 County Indigent Defense Contract from Cheryl Hearn, Attorney LLC as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the bank financing interest rate quote of 3.94% from Bank of Commerce. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried. Commissioner Lair abstained.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the copier quote from McCarty Office Machines as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the Dell network server quote from MCS as presented. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the landfill fees waiver request from the City of Buffalo as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS:

1. Kayla Busch, County Clerk, reported that tax levies are being finalized for preparation of November tax statements.
2. Dean Silvey requested that Udall Road, North of K-39 be graveled & graded less.
3. Shane Newton inquired about the status of the Neodesha EMS.
4. Approved warrants in the amount of \$208,603.64.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 9:55 a.m. to reconvene on **Wednesday, November 5, 2025** at 9:00 a.m.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS**

RECORDED BY:

Casey Lair, Chairman

Kayla Busch, County Clerk