WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS
OFFICIAL MINUTES

June 24, 2026

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 June 10, 2026 as presented. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ROAD & BRIDGE DEPT. REPORT:

The bi-annual bridge inspection agreement with CFS Engineers was presented for approval in the amount of $21,970.00 for 169 bridges. Also, the KDOT Form 1302 for the newly awarded $1.2M bridge replacement grant for bridge #U-14.1 over Pumpkin Creek on Udall Road, South of 1200 Road was presented for signature. Also, the bridge engineering design & consulting services agreement with CFS Engineers was presented for approval in the amount of $77,200.00. The County Commission discussed a request to rehire Rock Goodrick as a motor grader operator, which was approved by consensus.

> **ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the bridge inspections agreement with CFS Engineers as presented. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

> **ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to accept the bridge replacement grant award of $1.2M from KDOT as presented, and approve the Form 1302 for signature. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

> **ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the Pumpkin Creek Bridge engineering services agreement with CFS Engineers as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

COORDINATOR'S REPORT:

Kris Marple, County Coordinator, presented a Neighborhood Revitalization Plan application for Jeffrey & Cherokee Nalley. He also submitted a landfill fee waiver request from the City of Fredonia for a house demolition at 403 Quincy.

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

> **ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the landfill fee request waiver as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

EMS AGREEMENT LETTERS:

Letters drafted by County Attorney Brandon Cameron regarding the current EMS Agreements deadline of July 1st to terminate the agreements with the City of Neodesha & Fredonia Regional Hospital were reviewed & discussed by the County Commission. New agreements will be proposed for 2027.

> **ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve sending the letters as presented by the County Attorney. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried 2-1. Commissioner Lair voted no.

OTHER BUSINESS:

1. Kayla Busch, County Clerk, reported the July Abstract for County Property Valuations was approved by the Kansas Department of Revenue Property Valuation Division. The total assessed value for the FY2027 County budget is $129M, which is an increase of $7.5M increase from FY2026. She also informed that advanced voting for the August Primary Election will begin on July 20th.
2. Approved by consensus to cancel the County Commission meeting on July 1st.
3. Approved warrants in the amount of $437,683.21, and payroll in the amount of $126,641.19.
4. Reports received: Employee overtime.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 9:55 a.m. to reconvene on **Wednesday, July 8, 2026** at 9:00 a.m.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS

RECORDED BY:

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Casey Lair, Chairman

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Kayla Busch, County Clerk