

GREENWOOD COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING

MAY 4TH 2026

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Commission Chair Preston Evenson, called the regular meeting of the Greenwood County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Other members present were Judd Everitt, Roy Ballard, Ron Mast, Mac Obourn, County Counselor Paul Dean, and County Clerk Deann McCaffree.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

*Ballard moved to approve April 27th, 2026 minutes as written. Mast seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

**Road and Bridge:**

**Clerk's Agenda:**

- Rural Opportunity Zone Student Loan Repayment Program information presented.

*Obourn moved to approve matching funds in the amount of \$3,000 to the ROZ program to include the 2 county qualified applicants awaiting funding before the program sunsets. Everitt seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

- New employee verification presented for Darla Hampton, Payroll position at \$19.38/hr. Commissioner Evenson signed.

**Claims:**

*Obourn moved to approve Special Payables for May 4, 2026 in the amount of \$1,088.40. Mast seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

**Old Business:**

- Noxious Weed Director Debbie Selfridge was not present at the meeting to present truck bids.
- PayScale, Vinson reported still working on the Police and needing position definitions from department heads.

**New Business:**

- *Darren Booth, Theel Insurance, gave a Quarterly review of the County's health insurance.*

**Executive Session:**

*Obourn motioned for a 10-minute personnel executive session for evaluation with County Counselor Paul Dean. Mast seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Return at 9:40 a.m. No decisions.*

*Evenson motioned for a 15-minute Legal Executive session with County Counselor Dean. Obourn seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Return at 10:02 a.m. No decisions.*

- *EMS director Brian Mongeau reported that one of the ambulances hit a deer on the way to a call at Madison over the weekend.*
- *Commissioner Mast brought plans from the City of Severy for covering the water well in the intersection that has been an issue. Plans to be given to Micheal Merris, county contracted engineer to look them over.*

*Ballard moved to adjourn at 10:11 a.m. Obourn seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

*Preston Evenson*  
Preston Evenson- Chairman

*Judd Everitt*  
Judd Everitt- Vice-Chairman

*Roy Ballard*  
Roy Ballard

*Ron Mast*  
Ron Mast

*Mac Obourn*  
Malcolm Obourn

ATTEST: *Deann McCaffree*  
Deann McCaffree, County Clerk

