

FEBRUARY 9TH 2026

JOINT SESSION

**PULASKI COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PULASKI COUNTY COUNCIL**

The Pulaski County Commissioners and Pulaski County Council met in joint session Monday, February 9, 2026 5:00PM at the Pulaski County Courthouse meeting room. Commissioners present were Donald Street, Michael McClure (late), Jennifer Knebel and Councilmembers present were Michael Tiede, Sheila Hazemi. Jeffrey Richwine, Bradley Zellers, Tim Overmyer, Kenneth Boswell, Albert Gutwein with County Auditor Teresa Bryant.

Also present were Natasha Daugherty, Deke DeMarco, Kaila Stukofski, Josh Stamper, Sherry Fagner, Brandi Larkin, Joe Moyer, Connie Ehrlich, Tonya Bonnell, Bob Barger, Franna Barger, Ed Shank, Andrea Smith, Pat Goodman, Randy Davis, Darlene Olds, David Olds, Gail Lambert, Judge Mary Welker, Darrel Gudeman, Kayla Clemons, Stephanie Foust, James Faler, John Poisel, Gary Kruger, Chris Schramm.

President Street opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

IN RE: APPROVE AND SIGN

Donald made a motion to approve and sign joint minutes from 12/8/2025 on behalf of the Commissioners, Jennifer seconded. With no further discussion, motion carried unanimously.

Kenneth made same motion on behalf of Council, Bradley seconded. With no further discussion, motion carried unanimously.

IN RE: NATASHA DAUGHERTY, EMS

New ambulance had been dedicated to veterans prior to the joint session. Natasha would like to open the bid process for a 2028 ambulance. Donald asked about the feasibility study and if they could help with the specs. Study is supposed to be done within 30 days.

IN RE: KENNETH BOSWELL RESIGNATION

Kenneth submitted his resignation as President of Pulaski County Council January 15, 2026.

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I'm writing to formally announce my resignation as president of the Pulaski County Council effective immediately. This decision wasn't made lightly.

I served as president for five years but find that with my other endeavors I am not going to be able to fulfill the duties the way the county deserves.

I thank Mike Tiede for serving as my vice-president and believe that he is the right person to serve as president in 2026.

I appreciate that fellow council members felt I was worthy of returning to this position and regret that I am not able to prove them right. I look forward to working with this team and hope to continue to contribute as we move forward.

Michael made a motion to nominate Sheila as President, Albert nominated Bradley as President. Sheila was elected President by a vote of 4-3 with Michael, Sheila, Jeffrey, Kenneth in favor of Sheila and Bradley, Tim, Albert in favor of Bradley.

IN RE: PUBLIC ADVERTISING OF BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS APPOINTMENTS

Donald read a proposed resolution for board appointment procedure for the Commissioners. This will require advertisements through County newspaper (bigger than a legal ad), official Pulaski County website, radio station, official Pulaski County social media platforms, posting at Courthouse for a minimum of 21 days.

IN RE: WEST ANNEX

Performances Services have looked at the west annex and estimate \$2,000,000. to renovate the building to include Health and Extension. They also looked at east annex. Another company had estimated that an ADA compliant elevator at east annex would cost \$1,000,000. as it would need to be added onto the outside on the building. Professional Services do not charge until County enters into a contract. Nathan was concerned about estimate padding as Performance Services said there would be no change orders. Nathan suggested company look at all county

buildings. Donald and Jennifer were surprised to learn that buildings will not be part of a new comprehensive plan.

IN RE: DISCUSSION

Sheila would like to have a meeting with Council, Commissioners and Township Trustees to discuss the bill moving forward which pertains to township absorption.

IN RE: PUBLIC COMMENT

Kaila Stukofski: She is trying to get more information on HB1315 and SB270.

Brandi Larkin: Thanked Donald for the proposed resolution regarding board appointments.

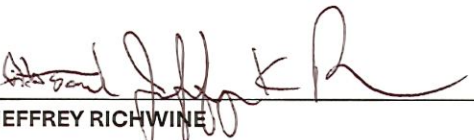
James Faler: Please don't take wages away from EMS. Their quality of service is good

With no other Public Comment or business to discuss, Michael made a motion on behalf of the Commissioners to adjourn at 5:40PM, Jennifer seconded. With no further discussion, motion carried unanimously. Kenneth made the same motion on behalf of Council, Jeffrey seconded. With no further discussion, motion carried unanimously.

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SHEILA HAZEMI

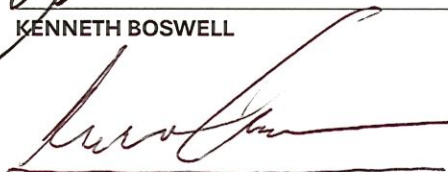

MICHAEL TIEDE


JEFFREY RICHWINE


BRADLEY BONNELL


TIM OVERMYER


KENNETH BOSWELL


Albert Gutwain

PULASKI COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


DONALD STREET JR


MICHAEL MCCLURE


JENNIFER KNEBEL

ATTEST: 
TERESA BRYANT, AUDITOR, PULASKI COUNTY, IN