



Knox County Board of Commissioners

Drenda Keesee

Barry Lester

Bill Pursel

Clerk/Executive Assistant
Penny Doyle

County Administrator
Jason Booth

Budget Analyst
Robin Santo

Regular Session Agenda February 3, 2026

Commissioners Conference Room
117 East High Street - Suite #161
Mount Vernon, OH 43050

10:00 AM Call to Order

10:00 AM Bid Opening for the Knox County Business Center/Knox County Transit

Resolutions to be Presented

1. Approve Advertisement for Public Hearing #1 for PY2026 Knox County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Programs.
2. Approve Knox County Prosecutor's Office - Equitable Sharing Agreement and Certification Report for year end date of December 31, 2025.
3. Approve the Ohio Department of Transportation - 2025 County Highway System Mileage Certification.
4. Approve the Ohio Department of Children and Youth Grant Agreement for Knox County Department of Job and Family Services - Ohio Family and Children First Council Administration, Guidance, and Pooled Funding.

Approval of Transfer of Funds, Supplemental Appropriations and Bills

1. Approve Bill List.
2. Approve Bill List - Then and Now.

Acceptance of Previous Minutes

1. Commissioner Meeting Minutes for Tuesday, January 27, 2026
2. Commissioner Meeting Minutes for Thursday, January 29, 2026

County Administrator Updates

Commissioner Committee Updates

Departmental Comment Period (if requested)

Public Comment (if requested)

10:30 AM Executive Session Regarding Pre-Audit Conference

Adjourn the Meeting

Upcoming Committee/Board/Community Meetings:

02/04/2026 – 3:00 PM – Knox County Veterans Board Meeting – Lester
02/04/2026 – 7:00 PM – Knox County Fair Board Meeting – Lester
02/06/2026 – 10:00 AM – OPWC Committee Meeting – Pursel
02/07/2026 – 8:00 AM Knox County Farm Bureau Battle at the Barn – Lester
02/10/2026 – 10:00 AM – WMVO Radio – All Commissioners
02/10/2026 – 1:30 PM – DKMM Policy Meeting – Mount Gilead – Keesee
02/12/2026 – 1:00 PM – CCAO General Government Committee Meeting – Pursel
02/12/2026 – 1:30 PM – MORPC Committee Meeting – Keesee
02/13/2026 – 11:30 AM – Senior Levy Committee Meeting
02/18/2026 – 9:00 AM – Board of Revision Corrections Meeting – Pursel
02/18/2026 – 9:30 AM – Board of Revision Hearings – Pursel
02/18/2026 – 10:00 AM – Board of Revision Budget Committee Meeting – Pursel
02/18/2026 – 3:00 PM – Knox County Veterans Board Meeting – Lester
02/19/2026 – 9:00 AM – Knox County Land Bank Board Meeting – Lester and Pursel
02/19/2026 – 7:30 AM – Regional Planning Commission Meeting – Lester
02/25/2026 – 4:30 PM – Knox County Convention & Visitors Bureau Board Meeting – Keesee

03/03/2026 – 12:00 PM – Knox Public Health District Advisory Council Annual Meeting
03/04/2026 – 10:00 AM – Scenic River Advisory Meeting – Pursel
03/04/2026 – 3:00 PM – Knox County Veterans Board Meeting – Lester
03/04/2026 – 7:00 PM – Knox County Fair Board Meeting – Lester
03/05/2026 – 9:00 AM – Investment Advisory Board Meeting – Pursel and Keesee
03/05/2026 – 8:30 AM – CVB Adventure Guide Magazine Launch & Learn - Keesee
03/10/2026 – 1:30 PM – DKMM Board Meeting – Marion – All Commissioners
03/12/2026 – 1:30 PM – MORPC Committee Meeting – Keesee
03/18/2026 – 9:00 AM – Board of Revision Data Corrections Meeting – Pursel
03/18/2026 – 9:30 AM – Board of Revision Meeting – Pursel
03/18/2026 – 10:00 AM – Board of Revision Budget Commission Meeting – Pursel
03/18/2026 – 3:00 PM – Knox County Veterans Board Meeting – Lester
03/19/2026 – 9:00 AM – Knox County Land Bank Board Meeting – Lester and Pursel
03/19/2026 – 1:00 PM – CCAO General Government Committee Meeting – Pursel
03/19/2026 – 7:30 PM – Regional Planning Commission Meeting – Lester

The Board of Commissioners official meeting notice is established annually per ORC Section 121.22; this agenda does not preclude or prohibit access to the commissioners on session days. This serves as an informational agenda.

Items received by the time of this agenda, may not be an exclusive list.