



Knox County Board of Commissioners

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Regular Session Agenda February 26, 2026

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

10:00 AM Call to Order

Departmental Updates

10:00 AM Knox County Sheriff

1. Knox County Sheriff Monthly Report for February 2026.

10:30 AM Knox County Department of Job and Family Services

Resolutions to be Presented

1. Approve Knox County Treasurer 2026 Investment Policy.
2. Approve Certification for Collection of Delinquent Water and Wastewater Accounts for the Knox County Auditor for Placement Upon Property Taxes.
3. Approve the Advertisement for a Public Notice for Bids for the Knox County Engineer's 2026 Roadside Mowing Program.
4. Approve the Bid Award for the Knox County Engineer's Box Culverts 2026 to USA Precast, in the amount of \$159,156.00.
5. Approve Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Cullison Road in Clay Township.
6. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Upper Fredericktown Road in Morris Township.
7. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Montgomery Road in Morris Township.
8. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Old Mansfield Road in Morris and Berlin Townships.
9. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Fredericktown Amity Road in Morris and Berlin Townships.
10. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Knox Lake Road in Berlin Township.
11. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Mishey Road in Berlin Township.
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14. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Mickley Road in Union Township.
15. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Mickley Road in Union Township.
16. Approve the Utility Permit from Brightspeed for Hazel Dell Road in Union Township.
17. Approve Utility Permit from Mercury Broadband for Danville Amity Road in Pike and Brown Townships.

Approval of Transfer of Funds, Supplemental Appropriations and Bills

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

County Administrator Updates

Commissioner Committee Updates

Departmental Comment Period (if requested)

Public Comment (if requested)

Adjourn the Meeting

Upcoming Committee/Board/Community Meetings:

02/25/2026 – 4:30 PM – Knox County Convention & Visitors Bureau Board Meeting – Keesee
02/27/2026 – 10:00 AM – Ribbon Cutting for Fredericktown Schools – Mfg & Eng Lab – Lester
02/27/2026 – 3:00 PM – Sheriff’s Office Retirement Ceremony – Lester

03/03/2026 – 12:00 PM – Knox Public Health District Advisory Council Annual Meeting
03/03/2026 – 7:30 PM – OSU Extension Office Meeting - Lester
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
03/18/2026 – 6:01 PM – East Knox FFA Banquet – Lester and Keesee
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
03/20/2026 – 12:00 PM – Knox Soil & Water Legislator’s Luncheon – 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.