

# **Benton County Commission**

**January 07, 2026**

## **Convene**

Presiding Commissioner Steve Daleske called the meeting of the Benton County Commission to order at 9:00 a.m. on January 7, 2026 at the Board Room. Attendance: Larry Berry, Present: Scott Harms, Present: Steve Daleske, Present.

## **Approval of Prior Minutes**

District 1 Commissioner Larry Berry made the motion to approve prior minutes dated 1/5/2026. District 2 Commissioner Scott Harms seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Larry Berry (Yes), Scott Harms (Yes), and Steve Daleske (Yes).

## **2026 Budget Preparation**

Commissioners continued preparation of the 2026 budget today.

## **Sheriff**

Sheriff Eric Knox met with Commissioners to review his 2026 budget requests. Also present were Major Kelly Lowe and Captain Kim Hausmann.

## **Adjournment**

District 2 Commissioner Scott Harms Ordered that the commission adjourn until 1/12/2026. Larry Berry seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Larry Berry (Yes), Scott Harms (Yes), Steve Daleske (Yes). Meeting adjourned at 10:20 a.m.

## **Signatures**

  
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Steve Daleske  
Presiding Commissioner