



MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE COLUMBIA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

September 2, 2025

9:00 AM- CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The regular meeting of the Columbia County Board of Commissioners was held on September 2, 2025, with Chairman Marty J. Hall, Commissioner Jack G. Miller, Commissioner Ryan R. Rundell, and Clerk of the Board Virginia Schmidt present. List of attendees is attached.

9:00 AM - PUBLIC COMMENT SESSION

Time was allowed for public comment. No comments were taken.

9:10 AM - COLUMBIA COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Desi Lockard and Nancy Berentsen were present to give updates from the Emergency Management and Dispatch departments. No action was taken.

9:30 AM - COLUMBIA COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

At 9:25 am, an executive session was held for 30 minutes with Jennine Christensen and Kristi Zinn to discuss personnel pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(g). At 9:50 am, the session was extended by 15 minutes. The session closed at 10:10 am; no direction was given, no action was taken.

At 10:10 am, an executive session was held for 15 minutes to discuss personnel pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(g). The session closed at 10:25 am; no action was taken.

At 10:28 am, an executive session was held for 15 minutes with Jennine Christensen and Kristi Zinn to discuss personnel pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(g). At 10:38 the session was extended by 15 minutes. The session closed at 10:50 am; no action was taken.

The adoption of Resolution #2025-19 was tabled until a later date.

10:00 AM - COLUMBIA COUNTY HUMAN RESOURCES

At 10:50 am, an executive session was held for 30 minutes with Kristi Zinn to discuss personnel pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(g). At 11:20 am, the session was extended for 60 minutes. The session closed at 12:20 pm; no direction was given, no action was taken.



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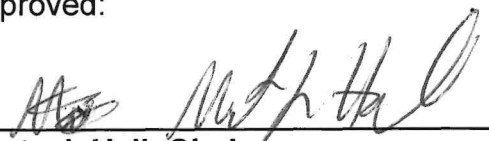
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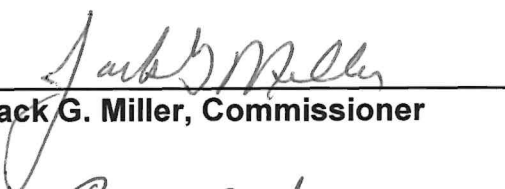
Commissioner Rundell moved to approve the meeting minutes of August 18 & 25, 2025. The motion unanimously carried.

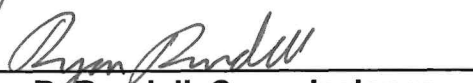
There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was duly declared adjourned at 12:20 pm.

Submitted by: 
Virginia Schmidt
Clerk of the Board

Approved:


Marty J. Hall, Chairman


Jack G. Miller, Commissioner


Ryan R. Rundell, Commissioner

Columbia County Commissioners

Meeting Sign-In Sheet

Meeting Date: <u>9-2-25</u>	Place/Room:
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Please Print Name: <u>All Commis + VS</u>	Time: <u>9:00am</u>
1 <u>Desi Lockard</u>	
2 <u>Nancy Berentsen</u>	
3 <u>Jeromy Phinney</u>	
4 <u>Kristi Zinn</u>	
5 <u>Griffin Beach (z)</u>	
6 <u>'phone' (z)</u>	
7 <u>Jennine Christensen</u>	
8 <u>Joe Helm</u>	
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