

MARSHALL COUNTY BOARD MEETING

June 11, 2026

The Marshall County Board met for the June Board meeting on June 11th, 2026; at 8:30 A.M. Chairperson Travis McGlasson called the meeting to order. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, roll call shows: McGlasson, Balensiefen, Lindstrom, Minnick, Durham, Meierkord, Fecht, McLaughlin, Lueders, Stash, Perona and Schmitt were present.

It was moved by Balensiefen and seconded by Schmitt to **approve** May 14th, 2026, minutes as presented.

Vote shows: all ayes, 0 nays and 0 absent.

It was moved by Perona and seconded by McLaughlin to **approve** the payment of the bills.

Vote shows: all ayes, 0 nays and 0 absent.

Public Comments:

Margaret Toniny was present and thanked Catherine Terrando for doing a great job with the recycling day since she wasn't present at the last meeting. She also expressed that she is disappointed that committees do not share their reports like they did in the past. She likes getting updates and knowing what is going on. As a citizen coming to the meeting its important to hear the updates.

#26-16A-E It was moved by Meierkord and seconded by Durham to **approve** the consent agenda items.

Vote shows: all ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent.

Consent Agenda:

- a. Approve the amendment to predictable fee schedule for recording documents in Marshall County #24-118. #26-16A
- b. Approve the re-appointment of Ernie Robinson to the Toluca Surface Water Protection District for a 3-year term. #26-16B
- c. Approve the re-appointment of Brad Lindstrom to the Marshall County Health Department Board for a 1-year term. #26-16C
- d. Approve the re-appointment of Mary Sheets to the Lacon Cemetery Board for a 6-year term. #26-16D
- e. Approve the re-appointment of Mike Stumbaugh, Michael Flahaven & Kent McKee to the Marshall County Airport Board for a 3-year term. #26-16E

Health Department:

Hector Gomez was present. This is his last meeting due to retiring. He stated that he had a lot of challenges through this career with working with state funding & Covid. He started December 1st, 2015, and then became an interim in 2018. He enjoyed working with everyone in Marshall County. They have not hired a replacement at this time.

Zoning:

Ryan Giacometti gave an update. Lael Eason from Scout Clean Energy was present on behalf of Prairie Violet Wind to place three MET towers on three parcels owned by Alan McCully, Steve Sauder and Randy Noll. Each member received a handout. The towers will collect data for potential wind facility in Eastern Marshall County. They take 2-3 days to install.

#26-17 It was moved by Lindstrom and seconded by McLaughlin to **approve** the resolution for Special Use 26-285.

Vote shows: all ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent.

Highway:

County Engineer Catherine Terando was present. Mowing is almost complete on the east side of the County. The maintainers are working on crack sealing. They have finished south end of Yankee Lane and are working on Tax School Road. She attended an Engineer Conference. She also hired a college intern for the summer to help out with construction inspection, and he has caught on and is doing well. Seal coat work is all completed on the west side of the County and also on the county roads. The Highway office has roof damage from the storm, and it is all tarped up waiting for the insurance adjuster.

#26-18 It was moved by Meierkord and seconded by McLaughlin to **approve** the purchase of Right of Way along North/South LaRose Road (County Highway 3) contingent on a Quitclaim.

Vote shows: all ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent.

#26-19 It was moved by Perona and seconded by Meierkord to **approve** the purchase of an additional plow truck through Sourcewell.

Vote shows: all ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent.

Recycling: Routine operation. They are looking into getting a camera system as they have had a lot of material that is not recycling dropped off.

The Senior Day at the M-P Fair is on July 16th, and the board decided that the time should be moved from 8:30am to 10:00am so that members and officials can attend!

Various Correspondence:

Thank you from Sue McGrath family for the plant.

At 9:19 A.M. it was moved by Minnick and seconded by Lueders to **adjourn** the meeting.

7/16/26 It was moved by Minnick and seconded by Balensiefen to approve the 6/11/26 **minutes as presented**. Vote shows: all ayes, 0 nays, 1 absent. Motion carried