

Labette County Board of Commissioners
January 15, 2026

Convene

Chairman Tom Barrett called the special session of the Labette County Board of Commissioners to order at 10:31 a.m. on January 15, 2026. Attendance: Tom Barrett, present by phone, Vincent B. Schibi, present by phone, Terry Weidert, present by phone.

Others Present for the Meeting

County Clerk Gena Landis and Emergency Manager Charles Morse by phone.

Media Present

None.

Resolution No. 2026-06-L – Burn Ban

Chairman Tom Barrett made a motion to authorize the Commissioners' signatures on Resolution No. 2026-06-L establishing a Burn Ban in Labette County to become effective immediately and until rescinded by the Labette County Board of County Commissioners. Commissioners will reevaluate the situation on January 20th. Terry Weidert seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes).

Resolution 2026-05-L

Commissioner Terry Weidert made a motion to approve the commission signatures on Resolution 2026-05-L, a resolution for permission from the Kansas State Legislature to submit a proposal for a county-wide retailers' sales tax to benefit all ten fire departments in Labette County, Kansas. Tom Barrett seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes).

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Board of Commissioners, the meeting adjourned at 10:42 a.m., until 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 20, 2026.

Attest

County Clerk, Gena Landis

Chairman, Tom Barrett