

Labette County Board of Commissioners

March 31, 2026

Convene

Chairman Tom Barrett called the regular session of the Labette County Board of Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. on March 31, 2026, at the Commission Room. Attendance: Tom Barrett, Present, Vincent B. Schibi, Present, Terry Weidert, Present.

Others Present for the Meeting

County Counselor Brian K. Johnson, and County Clerk Gena Landis.

Media Present

Hannah Emberton from the Parsons Sun.

Approval of Minutes

Commissioner Vincent B. Schibi made a motion to approve the minutes of March 23, 2026. Terry Weidert seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes).

Resolution CH 2026-23-L

Chairman Tom Barrett made a motion to authorize the commission signatures on Charter Resolution 2026-23-L as presented. Terry Weidert seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes).

Surplus Property

Chairman Tom Barrett made a motion to declare a laminator, Serial #03050241, Model 2700 as surplus property. Terry Weidert seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes).

Executive Session

Commissioner Terry Weidert made a motion to go into executive session for consultation with our attorney, a matter protected by the attorney-client privilege. To protect the privilege and the board's position (in litigation, potential litigation, administrative proceedings, etc.) Vincent B. Schibi seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes). Also present was County Counselor Brian K. Johnson, County Clerk Gena Landis, and Emergency Manager Charles Morse for a period of fifteen minutes to reconvene at 9:45 a.m. in the commission room.

Recess

Commissioners recessed their meeting for five minutes and reconvened at 9:50 a.m.

Appraisal Demonstration

Appraiser Melody Kikkert and Assistant Cartographer Beth Spencer, met with commissioners to demonstrate Power BI software.

Accounts Payable

Chairman Tom Barrett made a motion to approve the following checks: Accounts Payable check number 40090 through 40145 in the amount of \$563,366.62. Terry Weidert seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes).

Payroll

Chairman Tom Barrett made a motion to approve the following checks: Payroll check numbers 1834 to 1835 in the amount of \$4,483.08 and Direct Deposit numbers 827893 through 828022 in the amount of \$388,610.51 for a total amount of \$393,093.59. Vincent B. Schibi seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Tom Barrett (Yes), Terry Weidert (Yes), Vincent B. Schibi (Yes).

Permit Fees

Commissioner Terry Weidert made a motion to deposit permit fees that Emergency Manager Charles Morse is receiving from GPIP into fund 001-000-4315. Vincent B. Schibi 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 11:40 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. Monday, March 31, 2026.

Attest

County Clerk, Gena Landis

Chairman, Tom Barrett