

MINUTES for November 3, 2025
BOARD of CHEROKEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS'
CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS

CONVENE

Chair Myra Carlisle Frazier called the regular session of the Cherokee County Board of Commissioners (the Board), to order at 8:00 AM on Monday, November 3, 2025, in the Commission Room, #109 of the Cherokee County Courthouse located at 110 W Maple St., Columbus, Kansas. County Commissioner Cory Moates opened the meeting with prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Commissioners Jack Garner, Cory Moates, Myra Frazier, County Counselor Kurt Benecke, Road and Bridge Supervisor Cody Zook, County Deputy Clerk Michelle Mosler, Sheila Price, Samantha Clevenger, Linda Phipps, Toni Spieth, Sue Drennan, Richard Mallatt Jr., Connie Shaw, Galena Sentinel Times Editor Machel Smith, and News Report owner Larry Hiatt were present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Garner moved to approve the minutes as presented from October 27, 2025, meeting. Commissioner Moates seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

ROAD AND BRIDGE

Road and Bridge Supervisor Cody Zook provided an update on current projects.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Maintenance Director provided an update on the blueprints for the Health Department.

SOLID WASTE COMMITTEE

Sue Drennan provided an update on county recycling. Republic Services will conduct a test run with the county to determine feasibility.

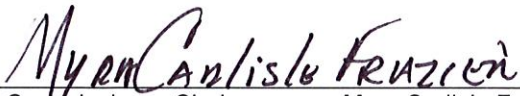
ATTORNEY-CLIENT EXECUTIVE SESSION

Commissioner Frazier moved to enter into a 10-minute executive session for attorney-client communication with the Board and County Counselor Kurt Benecke present. The session was set to return at 9:52 a.m. Commissioner Moates seconded. Motion passed unanimously. The session was extended for 5 minutes. No action was taken.

ADJOURNMENT

At 9:58 a.m., Commissioner Frazier moved to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Garner seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

ATTEST: Resolved and ordered this 10 day of November 2025.



Commissioner Chairwoman – Myra Carlisle Frazier



Commissioner – Jack Garner



Commissioner – Cory Moates



County Clerk – Taylor Brown