

Camas Commissioner Meeting Minutes April 13, 2026

The meeting was called to order at 9:03 a.m. by Chairman Kramer. Also present were Commissioner Colter, Commissioner Ralph, and County Clerk Deanna Lenker.

The Board reviewed the agenda. Commissioner Colter made a motion to approve the April 13, 2026, meeting agenda as posted, seconded by Commissioner Ralph, Approved.

The Board reviewed the March 23, 2026, meeting minutes. Commissioner Colter made a motion to approve the minutes as corrected, seconded by Commissioner Ralph, Approved.

The Board reviewed the brief synopsis dated March 23, 2026. Commissioner Colter moved to approve the brief synopsis as corrected. Commissioner Ralph seconded the motion. Approved.

Josh Ashmead, Road and Bridge supervisor, presented Forsgren's engineering proposal for the new maintenance building located between Idaho Street and 2nd Street. Josh explained that he will be getting additional bids. Josh advised the Board that he would like to hire a Part-time person for summer help, not to exceed 1040 hours. Josh presented the quote for the sweeper attachment.

Motion by Colter to advertise for one part-time position not to exceed 1,040 hours. Commissioner Ralph seconded the motion. Approved. No action needed for other items.

Josh Ashmead, Road and Bridge supervisor, Presented a Right-of-Way purchase contract for Camas Creek Bridge replacement, 200 S, 700 E. Simon Farms, Inc. Commissioner Colter moved to approve, as the grantee, the right-of-way contract for Simon Farms, Inc. Commissioner Ralph. Approved

Sheriff Travis Martin and Chief Deputy Jeff Lenker, A quote from Iron Mountain Internet for backup services for the E911 lines, quoted at \$35.00 month plus \$250.00 installation with a 3-year contract. Chief Deputy Lenker explained that the Sheriff's office is currently using the Taser X2, which will no longer be supported. The Sheriff proposed replacing the old tasers with the new Taser 10, which is a cloud-based unit, more effective. A 5-year contract quoted at \$4,000.00 a year, this will include 4 tasers, holsters, and a service contract. Sheriff Martin informed the Board that Deputy Frederickson turned in his 2-week notice for employment. No action was needed on the Sheriff's agenda items.

Public Hearing, April 13th, 2026 @ 10:10 a.m. Chairman Kramer read the publication that was published in the Courier News paper on March 18, 2026, and March 25, 2026, Camas County Sheriff's Office Civil Process Service Resolution No 235. Sheriff Martin expressed that fees have

not been increased since 2006. Updated costs are for personnel time and supplies. A new line item, listed as Sheriff's Fees at \$40.00, applies to all public records requests under the Freedom of Information Act. No public present for the public comment. The public hearing closed at 10:17 a.m.

Commissioners started deliberations on Resolution 235. Chairman Kramer agrees that the fees need to be updated, and the new resolution is clean and easy to read. Deliberations closed at 10:25 a.m.

Commissioner Colter moved to adopt Resolution 235 with the corrections and with the signatures of the Board. Commissioner Ralph seconded the motion.

Continued discussion on current catering permits. Chairman Kramer reviewed the current state statute and agrees that we need to have an updated ordinance.

Treasurer Jen Frederickson presented the February and March financials.

The Board discussed the request for gravel for the southside flower beds. Commissioner Colter made a motion to postpone until the next meeting. Commissioner Ralph seconded the motion. Approved.

Senator Risch's staff: Jessica Hammon, Mike Mathews & Samantha Marshall - Presented Annual updates on the offices of Senator Risch, Congressman Simpson and Senator Crapo.

Rusty Kramer, Water Master District 37B - Drought Declaration request for Camas County. Commissioner Colter moved to have the Board approve the drought declaration. Commissioner Ralph seconded the motion. Approved.

Commissioner Colter moved to approve the March claims as presented, and Chairman Kramer seconded the motion. Ralph recused.

Commissioner Ralph moved to approve the March claims as presented, and Chairman Kramer seconded the motion. Colter recused.

Expenditure Funds: March Expenditures (Report dated 4/13/2026)

Justice Fund	\$5,393.08	Current Expense	\$9,9421.72
Road & Bridge	\$49,148.01	District Court	\$379.25
:Revaluation	\$2,293.02	Health	\$839.85
Landfill	\$432.00	Noxious Weeds	\$871.69
Elections	\$2,877.90	Tort Fund	\$0.00
Ambulance	\$3,101.95	911 Communications	\$1,171.47

State Fund	\$27,091.90	Court Trust	\$1,708.42
City of Fairfield	\$1,897.16	School Dist. #121	\$49,958.50
Cemetery District	\$142.19	BC South Fire District	\$0.00
Camas Mosquito District	\$102.13	Camas County Library	\$407.26
Payroll	\$165,555.70		
TOTAL	\$322,793.20		

Commissioner Colter moved to approve the March employee timecards, and Chairman Kramer seconded the motion. Approved.

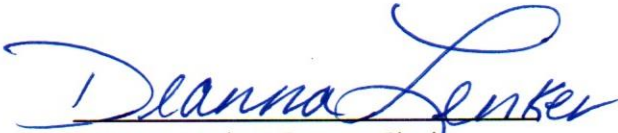
Meeting adjourned at 3:45 p.m.

Attest:




Travis Kramer, Chairman

Attest:


Deanna Lenker, County Clerk