

The Turner County Board of Commissioners met on Tuesday, July 28th, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. at the Turner County Annex Building for a Called Meeting/Work Session with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, and Denham were present. Commissioners Weaver and Whiddon were not present. Staff present were Latrice Wilson, County Clerk and Edward Shipp, County Attorney. Others present were Blake Christian, Mandi Cole, Janet Winter, Ben Baker, Editor of the Wiregrass Farmer, and others.

Vice-Chairman Brad Calhoun called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Mr. Ben Baker gave the invocation.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Commissioner Denham seconded by Commissioner Burgess to adopt the agenda as printed, motion carried with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, and Denham voting in favor of the motion.

Public Comments: (Concerning agenda items): None

Motion by Commissioner Denham seconded by Commissioner Burgess to approve Meeting Minutes of previous meetings as follows: Tuesday, June 2nd, 2026, Monday, June 15th, 2026, Thursday, June 18, 2026, and Tuesday, June 30th, 2026. Motion carried with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, and Denham voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner Burgess seconded by Commissioner Denham to approve Executive Session Minutes for Tuesday, June 2nd, 2026, Thursday, June 18, 2026, and Tuesday, June 30th, 2026, as printed, motion carried with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, and Denham voting in favor of the motion.

Commissioners discussed relocation of BOC Meetings to the Turner County Civic Center.

Motion by Commissioner Burgess seconded by Commissioner Denham not to relocate the BOC meetings to the Turner County Civic Center and to move to one meeting a month which will be the regular board meeting held the first Tuesday of each month, motion carried with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, and Denham voting in favor of the motion.

Commissioners discussed updates on the Roofing Project for Turner County.

Vice-Chairman Comments:

- 1) Bid Opening for Reid Road.
- 2) Reminder about National Night Out.

County Manager Comments: None

Public Comments: None

Motion by Commissioner Denham seconded by Commissioner Burgess to go into Executive Session at 6:11 p.m. to discuss real estate, motion carried with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, and Denham voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner Denham seconded by Commissioner Burgess to end the Executive Session and go back to the regular meeting at 6:18 p.m., motion carried with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, and Denham voting in favor of the motion.

Brad Calhoun, Vice Chairman

Attest: _____

Latrice L. Wilson, County Clerk