



Lawrence County
RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Date: Thursday, July 16, 2026 | **Time:** 5:00-5:12 p.m.

PRESENT: County Executive David Morgan. **Commissioners:** Sandy Newton, Chris Sutherland, Rick Skillington, Barry Luffman, Denny Gillespie, Scott Franks, Steve Hagan, Shane Eaton, Delano Benefield, Phillip Heatherly, and Wayne Yocom.

Director of Accounts & Budgets Brandi Williams, **Sheriff** John Myers, **Road Superintendent** Ryan Krick, **Highway Assistant** Tasha Corbin, **EMS Director** Michelle Ayers, **Assistant EMS Director** Kane Watkins, **Veteran Services Director** Donnie Morris, Angie Jacobs, Anthony Washburn, John Uzbasic, Elle McCaan, and other county residents.

Commissioner Heatherly called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL: *Chairman* Phillip Heatherly, Shane Eaton, and Delano Benefield.

ABSENT: *Vice-chair* Tammy Wisdom and Chris Sutherland.

- **Commissioner Heatherly** went through each resolution.
- He noted that there was no start date for the 24/72 resolution but will make an amendment on the floor with a start date.
- Add: Michael Drive, Narrow Road, Miamis Place Road, and Liddy Lane.
- Joe Newton Memorial Bridge.
- The Shelter contribution was raised back to \$15,000.
- An Assistant VA position not exceed \$50,000.

**Approve Resolutions to be Considered at the
July 28, 2026 Board of Commissioners Meeting.**

Motion: Eaton. **Second:** Benefield.

Vote: Motion passed unanimously, 4/0.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

- **Elle McCaan** thanked the Commission for considering a moratorium for data center developments.

Adjournment.

Motion: Eaton. **Second:** Benefield.

Vote: Motion passed unanimously, 4/0.

Minutes Submitted By: *Christian Tyree*