

**Legislative and Public Safety Committee Meeting
Tuesday, May 12, 2026 5:00 PM
Jackson County Sheriff's Office Conference Room**

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes

- I. 2026-427 Approval of April 14, 2026, Meeting Minutes

Miller motioned Phillips seconded to approve the April 14, 2026 Legislative & Public Safety Committee Meeting minutes as presented

Ambulance Service

- II. 2026-428 Directors Report

- III. 2026-429 Approval of Payment of Ambulance Monthly Claims in the amount \$41,161.61.

Knust motioned and Mueller seconded to pay the Ambulance department monthly claims in the amount of \$41,161.61, roll call vote, all yes.

Animal Control

- IV. 2026-430 Animal Control Facility Update

Facility Manager Lyon provided an update on the progress of the facility, the planning of the grand opening, and the current stats. The committee members praised Lyon for all his work and several mentioned their intention to attend the grant opening.

Heath Department & Solid Waste

Stevenson provided an update on the Health Department projects, progress, and upcoming events. Please see the packet for additional information.

- V. 2026-431 Jackson County Health Department

- VI. 2026-432 Solid Waste Enforcement

- VII. 2026-433 Solid Waste Fund Update

- VIII. 2026-434 Recycling Program
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Emergency Management

State's Attorney

Legislative

- IX. 2026-454 Approval of An Ordinance Amending the Jackson County Raffles and Poker Runs Ordinance

Knust motioned and Mueller seconded to approve the ordinance with the changes discussed and approved by the committee, roll call vote, all yes. The State's Attorney offered to make the changes the committee requested.

Citizen Comments

Old Business

- X. 2026-435 Jackson County By-Laws

Chair Preston led the discussion on what duties the committee members think each committee should oversee.

New Business

- XI. 2026-449 Data Center Discussion

The committee discussed this issue and requested the State's Attorney reach out to the outside attorney being employed to handle county solar issues to see if they would be willing to provide information to the county about the boards rights regarding data centers in the unincorporated area.

Executive Session

Adjourn

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