

Action Minutes
Historic Courthouse, Board Chambers, 3rd Floor
225 North Broad St
July 14, 2026

The Thomas County Board of Commissioners met on the above date in a regular scheduled meeting at 9:00 a.m., at the Historic Courthouse, Commission Chambers, with the following board members present:

Mark NeSmith, District 4, Chairman	Donnie Baggett, Vice-Chair, District 5
Rev. Jeremy G. Rich, District 1	Moses Gross, District 2 -
Kenneth E. Hickey, District 3 (absent)	Zippy Vonier, District 8 (absent)
Phillip V. Brown, District 7	

Staff Present: County Manager Mike Stephenson, County Attorney Bruce Warren, County Clerk Tracy Dukes, Lorie Mitchell, Accounts Payable, Public Works Director Jay Knight.

Chairman NeSmith called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. and offered the invocation.

- Approved Minutes of June 23, 2026, Board of Commissioners Meeting
- Approved the July 14, 2026, Agenda
- Approved Opioid Settlement Funds to Georgia Pines for \$32,650
- Approved Budget Amendment 26-7-1
- Approved Budget Amendment for ARPA Fund-231
- Approved Resolution to annex Baytree Drive property to the County
- Ratified diesel fuel purchase from Petroleum Products for \$3.35/gallon
- Ratified approval of payment to Griffin Uniforms in the amount of \$4,008.18
- Ratified approval of the revised proposal from Lang Mechanical for a 10-tone split system for the 911 Center in the amount of \$32,864.00
- Ratified the approval for the purchase of 14 roll-off containers from Lewis Steel in the amount of \$73,930.00
- Ratified the approval for the purchase of a large dish machine from Southern Produces & Services for \$23,408.09
- Announced a Personnel Meeting at 8:30 a.m. July 16, 2026
- Adjourned at 9:38 a.m.