

Action Minutes
Historic Courthouse, Board Chambers, 3rd Floor
225 North Broad St
September 9, 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 - Absent
Kenneth E. Hickey, District 3 Absent	Zippy Vonier, District 8
Phillip V. Brown, District 7	

Staff Present: County Manager Mike Stephenson, County Attorney Bruce Warren, County Clerk Tracy Dukes, Public Works Director Jay Knight, Planning Director Ken Gay, Deputy Cory Sellers.

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

- Approved August 25, 2026, Board of Commissioners Meeting
- Approved September 8, 2026, Agenda
- Adopted Final Millage Rate
- Adopted Resolution for 2026 Property Tax Levy
- Approved Budget Amendment 26-9-1
- Approved Special Event Permit – Lives Without Limits
- Approved Petition to rename a private lane in Coolidge, GA
- Authorized Chairman to sign Letter of Support for USDA Rural Development Grant
- Ratified approval to purchase 2026 Road Signs from sole bidder Vulcan Signs for \$46,785.46
- Ratified approval to purchase 2026 Clay Targets from lowest bidder Industrial Chemicals for \$26,869.41
- Ratified approval to purchase 11 Axon In-Car Cameras from Axon Enterprises for \$77,777.92.
- Adjourned at 9:20 a.m.