

Morrow County Board of Commissioners Meeting
March 13, 2026
Upper Conference Room, Bartholomew Building
Heppner, Oregon

Present In-Person Justin Nelson, Matthew Jensen, Valerie Ballard

Present Via Zoom Commissioner Jeff Peterson, Commissioner Gus Peterson

Absent Chair David Sykes

Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

8:10 a.m.

Consideration and Adoption of Agenda

Commissioner Peterson motioned to approve the agenda as presented. Commissioner Wenholz seconded. Vote: 2 in favor (Peterson, Wenholz) 1 absent (Sykes) motion carried.

Business Items

Consideration of Amended Maverick Substation Easement

Justin Nelson, County Counsel

At the prior Board of Commissioner meeting the Board moved to approve the easement with changes and allow Chair Sykes to sign on behalf of Morrow County. The changes have been agreed to by PacifiCorp, and an updated easement was received by the County. Morrow County Chair Sykes is currently out of the State and unable to sign the easement. This meeting was scheduled to allow the Board to select another person to sign on behalf of Morrow County.

Commissioner Peterson motioned to allow Morrow County Administrator, Matthew Jensen, to sign on behalf of the County. Commissioner Wenholz seconded. Vote: 2 in favor (Peterson, Wenholz) 1 absent (Sykes) motion carried.

Adjourn

8:14 a.m.