POLK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
Special Meeting and Public Hearing
June 1, 2026 - 5:00 PM
Bryant H. Womack Justice & Administration Building
40 Courthouse Street
Columbus, NC 28722
MINUTES

Present: Chairman Yoder, Vice-Chairman Moore, Commissioner Beiler, Commissioner Melton, and Commissioner Hargett. Also in attendance were Manager Pittman, Clerk to the Board Freeman, and citizens.

1. Call to Order the Special Meeting - Chairman Yoder

2. Public Hearing

   A. Open the Public Hearing - The purpose of the public hearing is to receive public comments on the proposed FY 2026/27 budget. The public hearing was properly advertised in the Tryon Daily Bulletin. A copy of the County Manager's recommended budget for FY 2026/27 is available for review on the County website, www.polknc.gov, or in the County Manager's Office located in the Bryant H. Womack Justice and Administration Building, 40 Courthouse St., Columbus.

   B. Citizen Comments

   There were 12 citizen comments.

3. Commissioner Comments

   The Commissioners thanked everyone who attended the meeting and said they appreciated the members of the community for their input and engagement throughout the budget process.

4. Adjournment

   Commissioner Melton moved to adjourn the special meeting, seconded by Commissioner Hargett, and the motion was carried unanimously.

Attest:

POLK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Kennedy E Freeman
Clerk to the Board

Myron Yoder
Chairman