



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF GRANT COUNTY COMMISSION

Work Session June 9, 2026 9:00 AM

MEMBERS PRESENT

Chris M Ponce, Chairperson
Eloy H. Medina, Vice-Chair
Nancy Stephens, Member
Thomas L. Shelley, Member

MEMBER ABSENT

Eddie Flores, Member

OTHERS PRESENT

Charlene Webb, County Manager
Connie Holguin, County Clerk
Mary Rae McDonald, Executive Assistant
Andrea Montoya, Deputy County Manager
Adam Baca, IT Director
Mike Rocko, Road Department Director
Joseph Holguin, Planning & Capital Projects Director
Rebekah Wenger, Airport Manager
Brawn Aguirre, Code Enforcement Officer
Scot Fuller, Emergency Manager
Roger Groves, County Fire Chief
Jason Lockett, Public Works Director
Gabriella Orosco, Assistant Finance Director
Misty Trujillo, County Assessor
Raul Villanueva, County Sheriff
Joseph Andazola, GC Detention Center
Raul Turrieta, Deputy Assessor
Anthony Bencomo, Under-Sheriff
Mary Alice Murphy, Grant County Beat
Christine de Bolt
Dr. Fred Fox
William D. Hawkins
Dr. Kimberly Petrovic
Betty Vega

Jenny Ferranti
Donna Stevens
Allyson Siwik
Charlene Lopez

Call to Order

Meeting was called to order 9:00 a.m.

Pledge of Allegiance and Salute to Flag

Approval of Work Session Agenda

Commissioner Stephens **MOVED** to Approve, **SECONDED** by Commissioner Medina. **MOTION PASSED.**

4 Ayes: Ponce, Medina, Stephens, Shelley
1 Absent: Flores

Public Input

During this portion of our meeting, we welcome your suggestions and want to hear your concerns. This is not a question and answer period; speakers will be limited to five (5) minutes. Any individual who would like to discuss an item in more depth may request to be placed on a future agenda. Request forms are available online at the Grant County website and in the County Manager's Office.

Charlene Lopez

Discussion regarding R-26-30 A Resolution Directing Publication of Notice of Meeting and Intent to Adopt Bond Ordinance No. O-26-01 in Connection with Grant County, New Mexico General Obligation Bonds, Series 2026 - Luis Carrasco of Rodey, Dickason, Sloan, Akin & Robb, P.A and Mark Valenzuela of Bosque Advisors

R-26-30 Resolution R-26-30 Directing Publication of Notice of Intent to Consider Adopting Bond Ordinance

Luis Carrasco, Rodey, Dickason, Sloan, Akin & Robb, P.A

Presentations

County Road Program for Existing Roads, James Bordegaray of the New Mexico State Land Office

James Bordegaray, NM State Land Office

Candidates for the Grant County Gila Regional Medical Center (GRMC) Board of

Trustees

- Christine de Bolt
- Dr. Fred Fox
- William D. Hawkins
- Dr. Kimberly Petrovic
- Betty Vega

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Grant County 2028-2032 Infrastructure Capital Improvement Plan (ICIP)

Joseph Holguin, Planning & Capital Projects Director

Other Discussion Items

Tu Casa Operations - Chris Ponce, Chair

Chairman Ponce

Charlene Webb, County Manager

Increasing the Salaries of Elected Officials and Chief Deputies in Grant County, New Mexico

Andrea Montoya, Deputy County Manager

County Reports

Monthly Update from the following areas:

- Airport - Rebekah Wenger, Manager,
- Code Enforcement - Brawn Aguirre, Officer,
- Detention Center - Joseph Andazola, Administrator,
- Emergency Management - Scot Fuller, Manager,
- Finance - Andrea Montoya, Deputy County Manager,
- Fire Management - Roger Groves, Fire Chief,
- Information Technology - Adam Baca, Director,
- Planning & Capital Projects - Joseph Holguin, Director,
- Public Works - Jason Lockett, Director &
- Road Department - Michael "Mike" Rocko, Director

Rebekah Wenger, Airport Manager

Brawn Aguirre, Code Enforcement Officer

Joseph Andazola, GC Detention Center Administrator

Scot Fuller, Emergency Manager

Andrea Montoya, Deputy County Manager

Roger Groves, County Fire Chief

Adam Baca, IT Director

Joseph Holguin, Planning & Capital Projects

Jason Lockett, Public Works Director

Mike Rocko, Road Department Director

Review Regular Meeting Agenda

Charlene Webb, County Manager, reviewed the June 11, 2026, Regular Meeting agenda.

Commissioners' Reports

Commissioner Shelley

Chairman Ponce

Executive Session pursuant to NMSA 1978, §10-15-1(H)(9), for discussion of strategic and long-range business planning for Gila Regional Medical Center

Commissioner Medina **MOVED** to Approve, **SECONDED** by Commissioner Shelley. **MOTION PASSED.**

Connie Holguin, Grant County Clerk, asked Commissioners if they were aware they were entering into Executive Session.

Chairman Ponce

Vice-Chair Medina

Commissioner Shelley

Commissioner Stephens

4 Ayes: Ponce, Medina, Stephens, Shelley

1 Absent: Flores

Commissioner entered into Executive Session at 12:32 p.m.

Any Action Necessary as a Result of Closed Executive Session

No action was taken during Executive Session pursuant to NMSA 1978, 10-15-1(H)(9), for discussion of strategic and long-range business planning for Gila Regional Medical Center. No other items were discussed, no other action was taken.

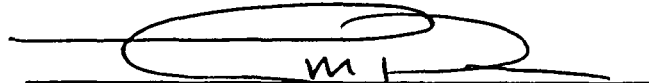
Adjournment

No other items were discussed, no other action was taken.

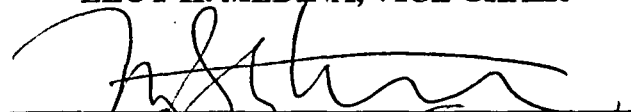
Chairman Ponce adjourned at 12:54 p.m.

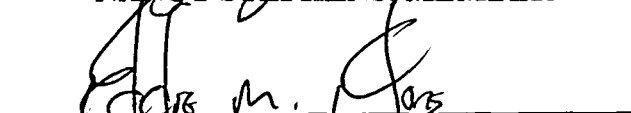
SIGNED AND APPROVED THIS 9, DAY OF July, 2026.

BOARD OF GRANT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


CHRIS M. PONCE, CHAIR


ELOY H. MEDINA, VICE CHAIR


NANCY STEPHENS, MEMBER


EDDIE M. FLORES, MEMBER


THOMAS L. SHELLEY, MEMBER

ATTEST:


CONNIE HOLGUIN, GRANT COUNTY CLERK

