

AGENDA
LAWRENCE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC MEETING September 15th, 2026, 10:00AM

- I. OPENING EXERCISES**
 - A. Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence
 - B. Call to Order
 - C. Roll Call
 - D. Explanation of Procedures to Audience
- II. ROW OFFICER REPORTS AND COMMENTS**
- III. PUBLIC COMMENTS**
- IV. FISCAL AND CONTRACTUAL**
 - A. Repository Properties: None
 - B. Receipt of bids/proposals:
 - 1. Opening bids for the Humphrey Center
 - C. Warrant Register(s):
 - 1. September 4th, 2026
 - 2. September 9th, 2026
- V. MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE**
 - A. Approval of Minutes:
 - September 8th, 2026
 - B. Presentation of Written Communications:

1. From the Lawrence County Department of Planning and Community Development to the Surface Transportation Board regarding Docket No. FD 36873, the proposed acquisition of Norfolk Southern by Union Pacific. The communication provides comments concerning the potential environmental impact on a four-mile section of rail line located in Enon Valley Borough, New Beaver Borough, and Little Beaver Township, including potential impacts on wetlands, flood zones, abandoned mine lands, natural heritage areas, conservation greenways, air quality, and noise.

Notification from the United States Surface Transportation Board (STB) regarding an application submitted by Union Pacific Railroad to acquire Norfolk Southern Railroad. As part of its review and approval process, the STB must evaluate the potential environmental impacts of the proposed acquisition.

Although the proposed acquisition is national in scope, a segment of Norfolk Southern rail line located in the southwestern corner of Lawrence County has been identified as potentially experiencing operational changes, including an increase in the number of trains per day, that would exceed the STB's threshold for environmental review. The notification also provides access to an interactive map identifying the rail lines, rail yards, and intermodal facilities that may experience these operational changes.

2. The Pennsylvania Bureau of Abandoned Mine Reclamation is proposing to reclaim abandoned mining hazards in Scott Township and are applying for a General NPDES Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activities from the DEP. 180 Rock Springs Road, Scott Township.

Commissioner Reports and Comments:

DK, CS, DV

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. New Resolutions:

1. Public Safety

Resolution for discussion and possible approval to amend the FY 2026 Budget Amendment for the Public Safety Department.

2. Opioid Advisory Board

Resolution for discussion and possible approval for Grant Funding for Growing Wellness LLC for the implementation of Succulents and Self Care^(M): A Holistic Approach to Opioid Use Disorder Prevention and Recovery.

3. CYS

Resolution for discussion and possible approval to enter into an agreement with Families United Network, Inc.

3. Transfer (Commissioners)

Resolution for discussion and possible approval for Transfer T-2026-06 Commissioners contingency to Voters Software for \$28,000.00.

2. TRANSFER (ADMINISTRATIVE)

- a. Commissioners from contingency to land/building rental for \$1,119.00.
- b. Commissioners from contingency to other improvements for \$650,000.00.
- c. Commissioners from contingency to contracted services for \$40,000.00.
- d. CYS from contracted provider care to vehicles for \$86,000.00.
- e. Domestic Relations from staples to materials & supplies for \$1,000.00.
- f. Domestic Relations from Office Minor to equipment maintenance for \$296.95.
- g. Domestic Relations from staples to equipment maintenance for \$1,500.00.
- h. Domestic Relations from contingency to contracted services for \$1,500.00.
- i. Coroner from software to vehicle expenses for \$2,500.00.
- j. Coroner from contingency to maintenance and repairs for \$1,450.00.
- k. Court Administration from contingency to uniforms for \$800.00.
- l. Veterans from flags and markers to maintenance and repair for \$450.00.
- m. Maintenance from salary of staff to maintenance and repairs for \$10,000.00.
- n. Human Resources from materials and supplies to land/building rental for \$300.00.

B. Resolutions on the table: None

C. Resolutions to be taken off the table: None

D. Motion to amend the agenda:

VIII. ORDINANCES

A. Discussion: None

B. On the Table: None

C. For introduction: None

D. For final action: None

X. ANNOUNCEMENTS

A. Two Airport Authority Openings.

B. The next Public Commissioners' Meeting will be on September 22nd, 2026, at 10am in the Commissioners' Meeting Room.

C. The next Prison Board Meeting will be on September 16th, 2026, at 12pm in the Commissioners' Meeting Room.

XI. PUBLIC COMMENTS

XII. ADJOURNMENT