

LEWIS COUNTY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION MINUTES

March 11, 2026

Present: Candi Faupell, Joe Mano, Kevin Engelbertson, Gabe Frase, Chris Tawes, Jeff Godbey, Kevin Dickey, Linda Bailey

Absent: Kevin Ryan, Sherri Guenther

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 11:28 am by Commissioner Faupell. The September 2025 and February 2026 minutes were approved as written with revisions.

Secretarial Report: Linda Bailey

Employee Status Report and Administrative Report: Kevin Engelbertson

Corrections Bureau:

Corrections Deputy Adam Rosales-Reyes resigned effective March 21, 2026.

After the March resignation we will have one corrections lieutenant vacancy, one sergeant vacancy, and five corrections deputy vacancies. Some of these positions will not be filled due to budget constraints.

Operations Bureau:

Deputy Chase "Austin" Gilbert graduated from BLEA on March 4, 2026 and is in the first week of his FTO.

As of March 1st, we have one sergeant, two deputy, and one detective position open; some of which will not be filled due to budget constraints.

Services Bureau:

We currently have one vacant Support Technician 1 position. We will not be filling this position at this time.

Old Business:

We received 3 applications for the Corrections Sergeant position. We plan to have the assessment next month and will keep you advised.

Commissioner Faupell adjourned the meeting at 11:42.

Future Meeting Date:

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 8, 2026, at 11:30 am, in the Lewis County Sheriff's Training Room

Minutes Prepared by: Linda Bailey