



Board of County Commissioners

Lewis County Courthouse
351 NW North Street
Chehalis, WA 98532-1900

BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA **10 a.m. Tuesday, July 21, 2026** **Commissioners' Hearing Room (Room 223)**

Call to order
Determination of quorum
Flag salute
Zoom guidelines
Public comment (limited to 3 minutes per person)

CONSENT ITEM(S)	
Resolution 26-227:	Approval of warrants / payroll.
Approval of minutes from the July 14, 2026, BOCC Business Meeting.	
DELIBERATION ITEM(S)	
Resolution 26-228:	Accept an agreement between Lewis County and Washington State Military Department for the State Homeland Security Grant Program, Contract 26-353.
Resolution 26-229:	Approve contract #H04-0257-25 amendment C between Hope Alliance and Lewis County.
Resolution 26-230:	Approve Agreement #2663-69504 between the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services, Developmental Disabilities Administration (DSHS DDA), and Lewis County.
Resolution 26-231:	Authorize the Director of Community Development to apply for the Washington Department of Commerce Permit Review Process Update grant in the amount of \$70,385.
Resolution 26-232:	Approve an interlocal agreement between Lewis County and King County Directors' Association (KCDA) allowing use of cooperative purchasing contracts.
Resolution 26-233:	Approve an interlocal agreement between Lewis County and Sourcewell allowing use of cooperative purchasing contracts.
Resolution 26-234:	Authorize legal defense and indemnity for Christopher Tawes, Andrea Lowe, Christopher Sweet, Robert Snaza and Carrie Breen, and their marital community if any, regarding a lawsuit brought by Amy Dixon - Action No. 3:26-cv-05625-LK-BAT.
Resolution 26-235:	Increase Lewis County's 2026 mileage rate to 76 cents per mile effective July 1, 2026.
HEARING(S)	
Resolution 26-236:	Approve a franchise renewal to Lightspeed Networks Inc. to install, construct, operate and maintain telecommunications facilities within county road rights of way.
Resolution 26-237:	Approve a franchise renewal to Boistfort Valley Water for installation, construction, operation and maintenance of water facilities within county road rights of way.

Announcements / new business

Calendars
Press conference
Adjournment

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ONLINE: Go to <https://zoom.us/j/92770578873>. The passcode is 085336.

BY PHONE: Call 888-475-4499. The meeting ID is 927 7057 8873, and the passcode is 085336.

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- The BOCC legislative session (Business Meeting) is held in the Commissioners' Hearing Room (Room 223), which is barrier free. Attendees who require special assistance or accommodations should contact the Commissioners' Office at 360-740-1120 at least 72 (seventy-two) hours in advance.
- Written public comments regarding agenda or non-agenda items (excluding public hearing and bid award items) may be submitted in person, by email, or by regular mail at any time following publication of the meeting agenda and before adjournment of the BOCC's legislative session (Business Meeting).
- Video footage of the BOCC's Business Meeting can be viewed online at LewisCountyWa.gov/bocc-meetings and on the commissioners' Facebook page at www.facebook.com/LewisCountyCommissioners.