

Continued Meeting – August 4, 2026

The Graham County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, August 4, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. in the Graham County Community Building located at 196 Knight Street Robbinsville, NC. All board was present. Also, present Manager Brady Cody and Clerk Kim Crisp.

1. Chair Smith called the meeting to order.
2. Chair Smith asks for a motion to adopt the Resolution to Adopt and Confirm Meeting Schedule for FY 2026/2027. Commissioner Williams made the motion to adopt the resolution as stated. Commissioner Orr seconded this motion. Vote unanimous. The meeting schedule will change September 1st, and the board will now meet on the First and Third Tuesday’s of every month unless a holiday or election day falls on one of those dates listed.
3. Chair Smith asks for a motion to approve the Amended Pay Plan and Resolution for FY 2026/2027. Manager Cody stated that he added Public Health Nurse 3 as Grade 73; Moved the Social Workers up the grade scale to allow for Social Worker Trainees; Moved Dental Assistant up the grade scale to allow for Dental Assistant Trainee. Commissioner Orr made the motion to approve the pay plan as amended and approve the Resolution as stated. Commissioner Williams seconded this motion. Vote unanimous.
4. Manager Cody stated that he did have one item of new business. Transit Director Tracy Jenkins needed a change due to a patient who had requested transportation from a medical facility, and they were not formally discharged, so this policy will be required for any transport from a medical facility in which the rider is a patient of that facility. Commissioner Williams made the motion to approve the Graham County Public Transit Policy: Patient Release Verification and Mobility Requirements. Commissioner Orr seconded this motion. Vote unanimous.
5. Chair Smith asks for a motion to go into closed session under G.S. 143-318.11(a)(1)(3)(5)(6) for privileged or confidential information, attorney client privilege, contracts and personnel. Commissioner Nelms made the motion to go into closed session as stated. Chair Smith seconded this motion. Vote unanimous.
6. Chair Smith asks for a motion to go back into open session. Commissioner Williams made the motion as stated. Commissioner Cody seconded this motion. Vote unanimous.
7. Chair Smith asks for a motion to approve Attorney Coward’s Bill for \$43,325.00. Commissioner Nelms made the motion to approve and pay the bill. Commissioner Williams seconded this motion. Vote unanimous.
8. Chair Smith made the motion to adjourn. Commissioner Williams seconded this motion. Vote unanimous.

____Meggan Smith, Chair

____Lynn Cody, Vice-Chairman

____Jacob Nelms, Member

____Connie Orr, Member

____Natasha Williams, Member

ATTEST:

Kim Crisp, Clerk to the Board