Glacier County Commissioners
Thursday, July 16, 2026
Regular Meeting
Cut Bank, MT

The Glacier County Board of Commissioners met at a regularly scheduled meeting at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 16, 2026. Commissioners Mary Jo Bremner & Sam Bird III were present. Commissioner Vernon "Napi" Billedeaux was absent. Kimberly Ankerpont taking minutes.

Present at the meeting: Michael Kittson, Glacier County Human Resources Director; Jimmy Racine, Glacier County Road Superintendent

Present via GoToMeeting: Snoop

A. Roll Call
The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m.

B. Approval of Agenda
Commissioner

NEW BUSINESS:

C. Discussion/Approval: FY2026-2027 Glacier County/Montana Wool Growers Association MOU for Predator Control (Sheep) $87.00 – Glacier County Commissioners
Commissioner Bremner presents the FY2026-2027 Glacier County/Montana Wool Growers Association MOU for Predator Control for approval.

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner seconded to approve the FY2026-2027 Glacier County/Montana Wool Growers Association MOU for Predator Control (Sheep) $87.00; motion carried.

D. Discussion/Approval: FY2026-2027 MACo Property & Casualty Trust Invoice ($502,684.20) – Glacier County Commissioners
Commissioner Bremner presented the FY2026-2027 MACo Property & Casualty Trust Invoice in the amount of $502,684.20 for approval.

Public Comment
Didn't ask for public comment.

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner seconded to approve the FY2026-2027 MACo Property & Casualty Trust Invoice in the amount of $502,684.20; motion carried.

E. Discussion/Approval: Replace Fire Suppression Pump (Glacier Care Center) – Michael Kittson, Glacier County Human Resources Director
Michael Kittson, Glacier County Human Resources Director presents (1) Bid from Johnson Controls in the amount of $43,000.00 to replace the Fire Suppression Pump at the Glacier Care Center. The pump was damaged during the power outages in May.

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner seconded to approve the repair of the Glacier Care Center Fire Suppression Pump in the amount of $43,000.00; motion carried.

F. Discussion/Approval: Purchase DodgeBox for Crusher ($5,573.00) – Jimmy Racine, Glacier County Deputy Road Superintendent

Jimmy Racine, Glacier County Deputy Road Superintendent presented an invoice from NorthWest Parts & Equipment in the amount of $5,573.00 to purchase a Dodge Gear Box for the Crusher due to aging seals/bearings.

Public Comment
Didn't ask for public comment.

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner seconded to approve the invoice to NorthWest Parts & Equipment in the amount of $5,573.00 to repair the crusher; motion carried.

G. Discussion/Approval: Expand West End Cemetery Board from 3 Member Board to 5 Member Board) – Jackie Conway, West End Cemetery Board Chair

Commissioner Bremner recommends to table this item to a later date.

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner seconded to table this item to a later date; motion carried.

H. Discussion/Approval: West End Cemetery Summer Hire (90 days) – Jackie Conway, West End Cemetery Board Chair

Commissioner Bremner states that West End Cemetery is requesting the approval of a 90-day Summer Hire. She states that it has been discussed with Chancy Kittson, Glacier County CFO and it is in their budget.

Public Comment
Didn't ask for public comment.

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner to approve the 90-day West End Cemetery Summer Hire; motion carried.

I. Discussion/Approval: Purchase Casket Lowering Device ($15,000.00 or greater) – Jackie Conway, West End Cemetery Board Chair

Michael Kittson, Glacier County Human Resources Director is present to request an approval in the amount of $14,758.56 to purchase a lowering device for West End Cemetery. He stated that Chancy Kittson, Glacier County CFO that it is budget approved.

Public Comment
Didn't ask for public comment.

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner seconded to approve the purchase of a lowering device in the amount of $14,758.56 for West End Cemetery; motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS:

J. Public Comment

Commissioner Bremner commented.

K. Review/Sign: Payroll/Claims

Dated for July 16, 2026

CLAIMS APPROVED FOR PAYMENT

FUND	*ACCOUNT*	*AMOUNT*
1000	General Fund	$ 531,439.82
2110	Road Fund	$ 2,644.81
2140	Weed Control	$ 743.99
2180	County District Court	$ 753.43
2220	Library	$ 7,008.10
2230	Ambulance	$ 75.03
2260	Emergency Disaster (DES)	$ 400.53
2300	Public Safety (Law)	$ 26,315.53
2341	CB RRL FIRE DEPT	$ 4,800.00
2342	Del Bonita VFD	$ 43.27
2343	East Glacier VFD	$ 223.45
2350	Alcoholism	$ 11,435.00
2360	Museum	$ 230.20
2410	Glacier Park Lights	$ 537.25
7302	West End Cemetery	$ 2,762.38
	TOTAL CLAIMS	**$ 589,412.79**
	PAYROLL	**$ 288,837.93**
	TOTAL PAYROLL & CLAIMS	**$ 878,250.72**

L. Next Meeting – Monday, July 20, 2026 – Cut Bank

Commissioner Bird moved and Commissioner Bremner seconded to adjourn the meeting at 10:19 a.m.; motion carried.