

COMMISSIONERS MINUTES

NOVEMBER 21, 2025

The Elmore County Commissioners met in regular session on the above date in the Commissioners Room, basement of the Elmore County Courthouse, 150 South 4th East, Mountain Home, Idaho.

Present at the meeting were Chairman Crystal Rodgers, Commissioner Bud Corbus and Al Hofer, Prosecutor Shondi Lott, Clerk Shelley Essl, and Deputy Clerk Francene Payne.

Motion by Rodgers, second by Corbus, to go into Executive Session pursuant to I.C. 74-206(1)(b) to discuss a personnel issue. Roll call vote was taken.

CORBUS -**AYE**

RODGERS -**AYE**

HOFER -**AYE**

Motion carried and so ordered.

Regular session resumed. No decision was made as a result of the Executive Session.

Alan Roberts emergency services director, and AJ Holtz HR director, appeared in front of the Board to discuss the Elmore ambulance service pay.

Motion by Rodgers, second by Corbus, to approve the Elmore ambulance service pay practices.

CORBUS -**AYE**

RODGERS -**AYE**

HOFER -**AYE**

Motion carried and so ordered.

Alan Roberts approached the Board to request the purchase of a new refrigerator for the rescue building.

Motion by Rodgers, second by Corbus, to approve the purchase of a new refrigerator for the rescue building in the amount of \$999.00.

CORBUS -**AYE**

RODGERS -**AYE**

HOFER -**AYE**

Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Hofer, second by Rodgers, to approve the expenses in the amount of \$474,030.72.

Justice Fund	\$74,031.79
Current Expense	\$232,099.97
Indigent/Pension	\$5.32
District Court	\$2,326.58
Ambulance District	\$10,548.04
Drug Court	\$837.13
Juvenile Tobacco Tax Grant	\$481.17

E-911	\$30,425.98
Fair	\$1,388.41
ARPA	\$726.28
Pest Abatement District	\$836.47
Planned Development	\$2,048.61
LATCF Funding	\$72,256.66
Revaluation	\$5.34
Solid Waste	\$28,495.38
Court Facility	\$149.75
Capital Improvement	\$1,344.52
Noxious Weed	\$88.73
Tort Liability	\$15,145.00
Consolidated Elections	\$789.59

CORBUS -AYE

RODGERS -AYE

HOFER -AYE

Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Hofer, second by Rodgers, to approve the payroll in the amount of \$188,996.05.

CORBUS -AYE

RODGERS -AYE

HOFER -AYE

Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Hofer, second by Rodgers, to approve the minutes for November 14, 2025.

CORBUS -AYE

RODGERS -AYE

HOFER -AYE

Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Rodgers, second by Corbus, to approve the Certificate of Residency applications.

CORBUS -AYE

RODGERS -AYE

HOFER -AYE

Motion carried and so ordered.

Clerk Shelley Essl announced the recount of the elections will be on Monday, November 24th at 8:30am at the Elks Lodge and the Secretary of State will be doing the recount. The public is welcome to attend. Canvas for the recount will be on Wednesday, November 26th at 9am in a special session.

Motion by Hofer, second by Corbus, to approve the Casualty Loss application on parcel #MHTR0000452200 in the amount of \$678.00

CORBUS -AYE

RODGERS -AYE

HOFER -AYE Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Hofer, second by Corbus, to approve the Idaho Juvenile Corrections passthrough of state funds recipient agreement.

CORBUS -AYE
RODGERS -AYE
HOFER -AYE Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Hofer, second by Rodgers, to approve the annual juvenile justice report.

CORBUS -AYE
RODGERS -AYE
HOFER -AYE Motion carried and so ordered.

Sheriff Mike Hollinshead requested the purchase of a 2026 Double R trailer for the Sheriff's department.

Motion by Hofer, second by Rodgers, to approve the purchase of a 2026 Double R trailer for the Sheriff's department to carry four wheelers in the amount of \$11,703.50.

CORBUS -AYE
RODGERS -AYE
HOFER -AYE Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Rodgers, second by Hofer, to approve assessment totals to be added to tax roll 2025 in the amount of \$1,457,682.96.

CORBUS -AYE
RODGERS -AYE
HOFER -AYE Motion carried and so ordered.

Break from 10:08am – 10:29am

Courtney Keith digital navigator at the library appeared in front of the Board to introduce herself and discuss Elmore County Community and Citizen's needs for a research project. She asked the Commissioners what top 2 achievements they are most proud of. The Response was water rights and garbage, and the Commissioners went into details.

Deeann Bylsma procurement coordinator discussed the Pine rescue UTV purchase with the Board. The board wants to table this subject until Curt Keaneaster can bring his UTV to a Commissioners' meeting to look at it.

Rachel Summers, Eric Orr, David Knox and Luis Lasuen with The Mountain Home Irrigation District requested funds to cover a bill from 2025 Fall work on the irrigation system.

Motion by Corbus, second by Rodgers, to approve the request to cover a bill from 2025 Fall work on the irrigation system in the amount of \$200,000.00.

CORBUS	-AYE	
RODGERS	-AYE	
HOFER	-AYE	Motion carried and so ordered.

Motion by Rodgers, second by Corbus, to adjourn.

CORBUS	-AYE	
RODGERS	-AYE	
HOFER	-AYE	Motion carried and so ordered.

/S/ CRYSTAL RODGERS, Chairperson
ATTEST: /S/ SHELLEY ESSL, Clerk