



**Board of Riley County
Commissioners
Regular Meeting
Agenda
February 9, 2026**

2101 Claflin Road
Manhattan, KS 66502
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Cindy Kabriel
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Family Child and Resource Center RM #124

8:30 AM

District 1 – John Ford, Vice-Chair

District 2 – Greg McKinley, Member

District 3 – Kathryn Focke, Chair

8:30 AM

Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Public Comment

Commission Comments

Business Meeting

Review Minutes

1. Board of Riley County Commissioners - Regular Meeting - Feb 5, 2026 8:30 AM

Review Tentative Agenda

2. Tentative Agenda

Press Conference Topics

9:00 AM

Rich Vargo, County Clerk

3. Year to Date Budget and Expenditures

9:15 AM

Laurie Harrison, Emergency Management Coordinator

4. Adoption of the Region I Hazard Mitigation Plan

9:30 AM

Press Conference

5. Riley County 2026 Property Valuation Increase and Notification - Anna Burson (3 minutes)
6. Public Notice - Alvin Perez (1-2 minutes)

9:35 AM

Shilo Heger, Treasurer

7. January 2026 Treasurer Report

9:50 AM

Jacob Hansen, County Counselor

8. Administrative Work Session
9. Staff Update

10:10 AM

John Ellermann, Public Works Director/County Engineer

10. Monthly Update

10:25 AM Michael Hawthorne, Assistant County Counselor

11. Executive session to discuss confidential legal advice regarding pending litigation issues

10:35 AM Katharine Hensler, Museum Director

12. Staff Update

Adjournment**Announcements**

Riley County Planning Board/Board of Zoning Appeals meeting will be held tonight at 7:00 p.m. in Room #124 at the Family & Child Resource Center, 2101 Claflin.

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