



MARCH 9 – 13, 2026  
COMMISSIONER MEETINGS

Sweet Grass County Commissioner meetings are held in the office of the county commissioners in the Sweet Grass County Annex in Big Timber, Montana, unless otherwise noted in the minutes. The first Monday of each month a department head staff meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. Claims will be reviewed and approved for payment every Thursday unless a conflict arises. At least one commissioner will be in the office from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily unless they are at a conference or a meeting requiring them to be out of the office.

**NOTICE: These minutes reflect the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners. The official minutes are on file with the Clerk and Recorder (MCA 7-4-2611(2)(b)).**

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**Sunday, March 8, 2026**

Commissioners Moody and Wallace both responded to issues created by winds more than 100 mph that caused damage throughout the county. Several fires were reported and there were multiple requests for assistance with down trees, power wires and damage to the courthouse and annex buildings.

**Monday, March 9, 2026**

All Commissioners are in.

Commissioners Moody and Wallace are removing the tree from Annex roof.

Commissioner Wallace is working on the Upper Deer Creek Bridge drawings with TruNorth Steel. They will need to be approved and then sent back.

The Treasurer came in to let us know that the Driver Examiner would like to use the office in the Annex on Tuesdays and Thursdays rather than Wednesday. If the need arises, they may add Wednesday back in.

Commissioner Moody called Alan Gilbert, tree service, to look at the pine trees in the front of the annex and make a determination as to whether or not they need to come down. He was also going to look at the stump from the tree that fell on the annex.

Ace Roofing is making temporary repairs to the roof on the courthouse and also making a plan for more permanent repairs.

The Commission received a phone call from High Plains Architects wondering if we would be interested in trying to do some historical restorations.

Commissioner Roe attended a Conservation District meeting.

**Tuesday, March 10, 2026**

All Commissioners are in.

Commissioner Wallace called the commission to order at 10:01 am. Commissioner Roe moved to approve Encroachment permit 03-10-2026A with the condition of installing a culvert. Commissioner Moody seconded and the motion carried with three ayes. This permit is for Tyson and Rebecca Gregorich to place a driveway approach to a new residence .55 miles north of the intersection of Deadman’s Canyon Road and Lower Sweet Grass Road on Lower Sweet Grass Road. The meeting was adjourned at 10:02 am. This meeting was recorded.

Commissioner Wallace went out to the Bainter Bridge to meet with the Vermillions about a possible placement for a temporary detour bridge.

Commissioner Moody talked to Ace Roofing about getting some estimates for roof repairs to the courthouse and annex buildings due to damage sustained from the high winds on Sunday.

**Wednesday, March 11, 2026**

All Commissioners are in.

Commissioner Wallace traveled to Bozeman to the Custer Gallatin Working Group Meeting.

A local resident came in to inquire about the abandoned campers near the Bridger Creek exit on the east side frontage road.

Financial Officer Uehling came in to talk about the Elected Officials Salary Compensation Board packets of information.

**Thursday, March 12, 2026**

All Commissioners are in.

Commissioner Wallace called the commission to order at 9:43 am. Clerk & Recorder Curry was in to prepare the agenda for the week of March 16<sup>th</sup> through March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2026. DES/911 Coordinator Brophy was also present. The meeting was adjourned at 9:47 am. This meeting was recorded.

The claims for the week were reviewed and signed.

The Fuel tax map was reviewed.

The wind is howling again. There are multiple fires around the county. There are also multiple accidents on the interstate due to vehicles blowing over. The power is out on the upper Main Boulder and North Yellowstone Trail west of the Park Electric Springdale substation.

A resident came in to enquire about getting some road work done this summer on Rapelje Road near the intersection with Russell Gulch. It is need of some gravel and some grading.

**Friday, March 13, 2026**

All Commissioners are in.

Commissioner Moody called a tree removal company regarding a tree that is split and needs to come down at the fairgrounds. The company will get back to us with a written quote and possibly remove the tree next week before it comes down on its own.

A gentleman came in to report that one of the county's belly-dumps kicked up a rock and broke his window on Hwy 191. Commissioner Moody visited with the insurance company regarding what we need to do.

Respectfully submitted,  
/s/ Dawn M. Curry

Board of County Commissioners  


William Wallace, Chairperson

Date Approved: 21 APRIL, 2026.

Attest: Dawn M. Curry, Clerk

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