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# **Crook County Board of County Commissioners**

**Wednesday, December 17, 2025 at 9:00 AM**

**Crook County Annex | 320 NE Court St. | Prineville OR**

Members of the public and media are welcome to attend in person or via Zoom: 1-253-215-8782; Meeting ID: 981 7361 2010; Passcode: 033745

**Commissioners: Brian Barney, Chair; Susan Hermreck; Seth Crawford**

## **Regular Session Agenda**

### **Public Comment**

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### **Consent Agenda**

Consent agenda items are routine matters - e.g. minutes, appropriations orders, contracts, agreements, completion of previously discussed matters and decisions requiring Board ratification - which are not expected to generate discussion. Any member of the Board may request removal of an item for separate discussion or vote. All remaining items are approved in a single motion.

- 1. Approve Minutes**
- 2. Approval of Amendment 2 to County / Parks and Rec Intergovernmental Agreement**
- 3. Approval of Calendar for FY27 Budget Process**

### **Discussion**

- 4. Recommendation of Appointment to Hahlen Special Road District (HSRD)**  
**Requester:**  
Terry Flores, HSRD Secretary
- 5. Signature Request for Acceptance of Measure 57 Supplemental Funds**

**Contract**

**Requester:**

Aaron Boyce, Community Corrections Lieutenant

**6. Lieutenant and Undersheriff Salary Schedule/Compensation Update**

**Requester:**

Stephanie Wilson, Administrative Division Manager

**7. Recommendation of Appointment to the Budget Committee**

**Requester:**

Will Van Vactor, County Manager/Budget Officer

**8. Approve 2026 Holiday Schedule, 2026 Regular Session Schedule, & 2026 Work Session Schedule**

**Requester:**

Will Van Vactor, County Manager

**9. Wolf Depredation Compensation Committee Mitigation and Depredation Funds Disbursement**

**Requester:**

Hunter Neuharth, Wolf Depredation Compensation Committee Chair

**10. Update on SWCD programs during fiscal year 2024-2025**

**Requester:**

Andy Gallagher, SWCD District Manager

**11. Amendment Service Contract with Muck Septic Service**

**Requester:**

Bryan Libel, Assistant County Counsel

**Presenter(s):**

Eric Blaine, County Counsel

**12. NewSun Energy Local Community Benefits and PILOT Agreement**

**Requester:**

Jacob Ripper, Director of Permitting and Entitlements

**Presenter(s):**

Jake Stephens, CEO

Josie Norris, Director of Community Investments

**13. Order 2025-37 Opting out of New Eastern Oregon Solar Siting Rules**

**Requester:**

John Eisler, Community Development Director

**14. Second Reading and Hearing of Ordinance 356: Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) Ordinance**

**Requester:**

Bryan Libel, Assistant County Counsel

**Presenter(s):**

Eric Blaine, County Counsel

## Manager Report

### 15. Finance Committee Appointment

## Commissioner Updates

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## Executive Session

16. **ORS 192.660(2)(f) To consider information or records that are exempt by law from public inspection**
17. **ORS 192.660(2)(h) Consulting with Counsel concerning the legal rights and duties of a public body with regard to current litigation or litigation likely to be filed.**

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