

CURRY COUNTY FAIR BOARD
Meeting of February 25, 2026
Minutes

1. Call to Order at 5:31pm
2. Members present: Hollinger, DeWald, Kudlac and Interim Fair Manager, Natasha Tippetts
3. Amendment and approval of the agenda: Discussion regarding new manager hiring – hold off until new MOU in place per Tippetts. Motion to approve Agenda made by DeWald, Kudlac 2nd . Passed unanimously.
4. Minutes: Dewald moved to approve minutes from 10-28-2025 and 11-13-2025 with spelling corrections, 2nd by Kudlac. Approved unanimously.
5. Discussion and action items
 - a. Curry County Junior Livestock Auction – Cherie Amason to present. Request update on pad extension. Steers weigh in on March 15th. Motion to allow fair manager or delegate to sign contract from licensed, bonded contractor, presented by CCJLA for concrete pad and provide access. Made by Kudlac, 2nd by DeWald. Vote passed 3-0
 - b. Haul out question – can there be an exemption for auction animals to leave fair prior to closing on Sunday due to transportation/processing issues. This will be discussed at future meeting.
 - c. Fair Budget - Budget expenditure approved for an entertainment budget of \$75,000 and equipment rental of \$13,000. Motion by Kudlac, 2nd by DeWald. Passed 3
 - d. Discussion regarding fair schedule and entertainment presented by Tippetts.
 - e. Presentation of the 2026 fair logo contest by Tippetts. This years theme is Tides, Timber and Tradition. Flyers going out locally for entries.
 - f. Discussion regarding MOU with the BOC – going to plan a workshop with BOC to discuss the entities roles in creating a new MOU. Possibly on March 12th at 5:30. The next Fair Board meeting will be April 9th at 1:00.
 - g. Update from Tippetts regarding the Main Street request for reimbursement – they were reimburse \$2100 for the bathrooms they had to provide.
 - h. Reports: No reports – workshop discussed potentially at 5:30 on March 12th. Discussion regarding outdoor arena construction again, removing sawdust and arena updates. RFP for fencing is out for bids. Discussion regarding new pens for livestock and who should purchase, own. Discussion regarding getting sponsorships stated for Fair.

Adjourned at 7:07 pm