

**COUNCIL MEETING
REGULAR SESSION
August 18, 2026
6:30 PM**

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Heather L. Gilbert
Putnam County RECORDER IN
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ATTENDANCE:

COUNCIL:

Stephanie Campbell, President
Jay Alcorn, Vice President
Wayne Huffman
Kerry Williams
Amanda Brown
Brian Berry
Danny Wallace
Trudy Selvia
Kristina Berish
2 Individuals

ATTORNEY:

AUDITOR'S OFFICE

AUDIENCE:

The Putnam County Board of Council met on August 18, 2026, at 6:30 pm. The meeting was held at the Putnam County Courthouse. Campbell opened the meeting and the pledge to the flag was given.

VETERANS OFFICE ADDITIONAL

\$4,560 County General Fund

Request: to purchase a new copier/scanner. Current machine is 20 years old; it is to the point where they no longer make parts to be able to make repairs on it.

Alcorn made the motion to approve. Huffman seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

COMMISSIONERS ADDITIONAL

\$2,400 Health Insurance Fund

Request: \$100 incentive for a county employee to receive a physical at the Proactive clinic.

Williams made the motion to approve. Huffman seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

SHERIFF ADDITIONAL

\$17,500 Sheriff LIT Fund

Request: the deductible was raised from 1K to \$2,500 per incident and unfortunately the department has experienced quite a few accidents involving their vehicles. They have depleted the budget. The increase in the deductible was made after they had estimated for 2026 budget year.

Brown made the motion to approve. Alcorn seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

2026 SALARY ORDINANCE

The salary ordinance was updated to include all salary changes the board had made since they had approved it last. The only addition was for two positions the salary committee had been asked to research, review and address.

The committee did not make any change to what the two positions currently made in salary. They did recommend removing the "up to" language and the salary that corresponded. The recommendation was made because for one of the positions when the wage structure was constructed it was based on a 40-hour work week and the individual works a 35-hour work week. The second position was a salary that had deviated from the wage structure due to restructuring in a department and job description change. However, there were changes again and the job is no longer comparable to the "up to" salary amount.

Wallace made the motion to approve the changes in the ordinance. Berry seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

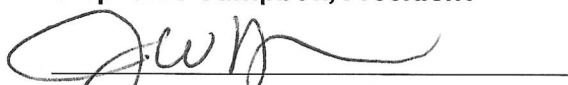
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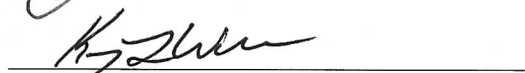
July 21, 2026 – Huffman made the motion to approve. Williams seconded. The motion passed.

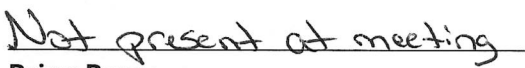
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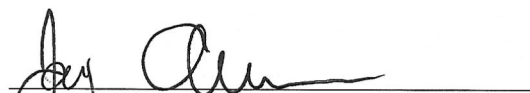
Williams made the motion to adjourn. Huffman seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

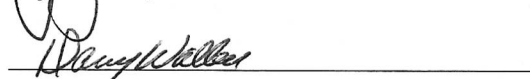

Stephanie Campbell, President

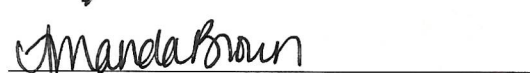

Wayne Huffman


Kerry Williams


Not present at meeting
Brian Berry


Jay Alcorn, Vice President


Danny Wallace


Amanda Brown


Attest: Auditor's Office, Kristina Berish