PENNINGTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PROPOSED BUDGET MEETING AGENDA Tuesday, June 24, 2025, 8:00 AM Start Wednesday, June 25, 2025, 8:00 AM Start Commission Chambers - County Administration Building



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- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Moment of Silent Reflection
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Review and Approve Agenda
- 5. Items from the Public per SDCL § 1-25-1
- 6. 2026 Budget Initial Requests
 - a. Initial Request Overview Jordan Neeb
 - b. Planning Brittney Molitor
 - c. Equalization Shannon Rittberger
 - d. Information Technology Mike Iversen
 - e. Emergency Management Dustin Willett

f. Fire Administration - Jerome Harvey

7. Presentations from Outside Agencies - 1:00PM

- a. Wall Community Library Ester Johannesen, Library Director
- b. Hill City Library Tammy Alexander
- c. Keystone Library
- d. Rapid City Public Library Terri Davis, Director
- e. West Dakota Regional Water System Kristin Conzet,
 Executive Director
- f. Dakota Plains Legal Services Paul Brankin
- g. Central States Fair Ron Jeffries
- h. Pennington County Council on Aging
- i. Complete Health Tim Trithart, CEO
- j. West River Mental Health Amy Iversen, CEO
- k. Pennington County Conservation District
- l. East Pennington County Conservation District

8. 2026 Budget - Initial Requests (cont'd)

- a. Natural Resources Scott Guffey
- b. Law Enforcement Brian Mueller
- c. Highway Joe Miller

9. Executive Session per SDCL § 1-25-2

10. Recess

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- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Moment of Silent Reflection
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance
- 4. Items from the Public per SDCL § 1-25-1
- Presentation from Outside Agencies (cont'd)
 - a. Court System Honorable Judge Robert Gusinsky
 - b. 4-H Youth Program Extension Advisory Board
- 6. 2026 Budget Initial Requests (cont'd)
 - a. Buildings & Grounds Davis Purcell
 - b. Register of Deeds Audra Casteel
 - c. Treasurer Annette Brant

- d. Auditor Cindy Mohler
- e. Human Services Barry Tice
- f. ESCC/911 Kevin Karley
- g. States Attorney Lara Roetzel
- h. Public Defender Eric Whitcher
- i. Commission Office Jordan Neeb
- j. Human Resources Carol Bancroft

7. Executive Session per SDCL § 1-25-2

8. Additional Requests

9. Adjourn FY2026 Budget Hearings

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