

Ringgold County Board of Supervisors Minutes

July 14, 2025

The Ringgold County Board of Supervisors met in regular session on Monday, July 14, 2025. The meeting was called to order at 9:00 A.M. with the following members present: Randy Taylor, Colby Holmes, and Steve Knapp.

Approval of Agenda

Motion by Knapp, seconded by Holmes, to approve the agenda as presented.

AYES: Taylor, Holmes, Knapp

NAYS: None

Motion carried.

Engineer's Report – Jared Johnson

- The sign truck was out working to repair downed, damaged, and/or deteriorated signs.
- The tractor and mower were out working in the northwest portion of the county.
- Farm-to-market rock was hauled to the southwest and northwest maintainer districts.
- The crew was out working to spray roadsides.

220th Ave seal coat project update:

- The 1st and 2nd lifts of seal coat have been completed. Last week, bleeding potential observed. The crew dressed the surface with additional chip rock and broomed. The equipment rented for the project was returned.

Work Order Update:

- W.O. 1362: Completed. Replaced a deteriorated 24" CMP with a new 24" ADS culvert. Located along 310th Ave, between 115th and 130th Streets. (In progress)

Washington 10 Project:

- The department has completed the site hydraulic analysis. A twin box culvert will satisfy hydraulic requirements for the site. The proposed structure is a twin 10x8x88'-0 RCBC.
- There were no responsive bidders for the project. By resolution the Board moved to construct the project utilizing force account labor and equipment.
- Last week the crew laid out road closure signage. It is planned to close the roadway beginning Monday, July 14th.
- This week it is planned to work on removing the existing bridge, clear the site, and begin working on excavation for culvert construction.

Conservation Update – Travis Scott

- Working on the fence along Ringgold Trailway
- Silt pond project coming along at Liberty Lake. The department received \$25,000 from Ringgold Community Foundation for the trail project at Liberty Lake. He is planning for a mile loop trail. It will be crushed rock surface with a long-range plan to pave at some point in the future.

- Busy with programming. At the county fair last week twice.
- With the rain, they have been busy trying to keep up with mowing.
- This week and next week there are a couple of day camps scheduled.
- Had a great turnout at their annual picnic at the Nature Center last Wednesday.

Travis Malone with the IDOT, stopped in to visit with the Board about an upcoming project on State Highway 2 from the Casey's store in Mount Ayr, east towards Kellerton. Malone went on to explain IDOT can add a hard surfaced extension from Highway 2 to each stop sign on the gravel roads to provide for added safety to motor graders when blading. This would be at the expense of the county. The Supervisors will visit with the engineer about the project.

Auditor's Update – Amanda Waske

- The Board reviewed the WRD Landfill Fiscal Agent agreement and moved forward with approval.
- The Board reviewed the Multicounty County Attorney Office agreement and moved forward with approval. The agreement is between Ringgold County and Taylor County.

Claims

The Board moved forward with approval of claims to be paid on Wednesday, July 9, 2025.

RESOLUTION RC25-105

WHEREAS the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve the WRD Landfill Fiscal Agent agreement.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Steve Knapp and seconded by Colby Holmes stating such.

The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: None.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved July 14, 2025.

RESOLUTION RC25-106

WHEREAS the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve the Multicounty County Attorney Office agreement.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Colby Holmes and seconded by Steve Knapp stating such.

The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: None.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved July 14, 2025.

RESOLUTION RC25-107

WHEREAS the Ringgold County Board of Supervisors do hereby approve the claims paid Wednesday, July 9, 2025.

THEREFORE, a motion was made by Colby Holmes and seconded by Steve Knapp stating such.

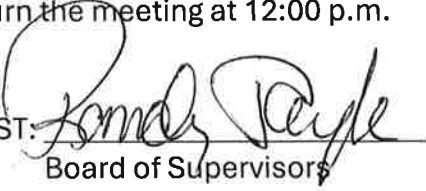
The vote on the resolution: AYES: Unanimous. NAYS: None.

ATTEST: Amanda Waske, Auditor. Passed and approved July 14, 2025.

A motion was made by Knapp and seconded by Holmes to approve minutes. Motion carried.

There was no further business. A motion was made by Holmes and seconded by Knapp to adjourn the meeting at 12:00 p.m.

ATTEST:


Board of Supervisors


Ringgold County Auditor