

# CONVERSE COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING

January 20, 2026 - 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

107 N. 5TH STREET, SUITE 114, DOUGLAS, WY 82633

Commission Chambers are OPEN to the public.

1. 8:00 A.M. CONVENE, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE  
**CONVERSE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:**  
James H. Willox, Chairman  
Richard C. Grant, Vice Chairman  
Robert G. Short, Board Member  
Trent Kaufman, Board Member  
Donald Blackburn, Board Member
2. 8:15 A.M. DEPARTMENT UPDATES - ROAD & BRIDGE  
Jason Wilkinson, R&B Superintendent; John Shepherd, Foreman; Todd Mattson, HDR Engineering Inc.
3. 9:15 A.M. VYVE BROADBAND  
  
*Tony Carroll, Vyve Broadband*
  - CR/2 Anderson Dairy Road Cable Installation
4. 9:30 A.M. DEPARTMENT UPDATES - HUMAN RESOURCES  
*Kristin Watson, HR Director*
5. 10:30 A.M. UPDATES - RIDGEWATER SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT  
  
Deanna Byler, Cody Gallinger - Board Members
6. 11:00 A.M. CONVERSE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
  
*Clint Becker, Sheriff*
7. 11:30 A.M. UPDATES - LAPRELE IRRIGATION DISTRICT  
  
*LaPrele Irrigation District Board of Directors; Staff; HDR Engineering, Inc.*
  - Potential Design Changes

Documents:

[EN103 - NORTH STAGING AREA BK-R1.PDF](#)
8. 12:00 P.M. RECESS FOR LUNCH
9. 1:00 P.M. DEPARTMENT UPDATES - PUBLIC HEALTH

Darcey Cowardin, Public Health Nurse Manager

10. 1:30 P.M. BOARD INTERVIEWS/APPOINTMENTS

- Glenrock Solid Waste Disposal District

11. 2:00 P.M. DISCUSSION: WYDOT STIP BRIDGE & ROAD PROJECTS

- West Richards Street Bridge
- Antelope Creek Bridge
- Boxelder Road Bridge
- Road Projects

12. 2:30 P.M. UPDATES - FDL CONSULTING, LLC

*Jessie Dykehouse, FDL Consulting, LLC*

- Animal Shelter Expansion Project
- Glenrock Office Expansion Project
- Courthouse Renovation Project

13. 3:30 P.M. DISCUSSION: SLIB BOARD MEETING RE PRONGHORN H2 PROJECT

*January 8, 2026, SLIB Meeting held in Douglas, Wy*

- Pronghorn
- WCCA Zoning Document
- Board of Converse County Commissioners Official Statement

14. GENERAL COUNTY BUSINESS & ACTION ITEMS

Meeting Minutes, Monthly Warrants, Monthly Reports, Tax Refunds & Cancellations, Void Warrants, Resolutions, Agreements/Amendments, etc.

- Commission Minutes, January 6 & 7, 2026
- Amendment No. 1, CMAQ Agreement No. CM26201 Between WYDOT and Converse County
- Co-op Agreement, Converse County Firewise and Local Grant Program Administrator/Converse County
- Bore Permit Applications, Vyve Broadband, CR9/Chalk Buttes Road and CR64/Ridgewater Road
- Public Utilities Parallel Right of Way Permit Applications, Vyve Broadband, CR9/Chalk Buttes Road and CR64/Ridgewater Road
- Shooting Range Complex - Electrical Service

Documents:

[01.06.2026 OFFICIAL.PDF](#)  
[CMAQ AMENDMENT NO. 1 CM26201 WITH SUMMARY OF CHANGES.PDF](#)  
[COOP AGREEMENT, CONVERSE COUNTY FIREWISE AND LOCAL GRANT PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR 2026-2027.PDF](#)  
[VYVE PUBLIC UTILITIES PARALLEL ROW PERMIT CR9 CHALK BUTTES](#)

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VYVE PUBLIC UTILITIES PARALLEL ROW PERMIT APP CR64 RIDGEWATER

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VYVE BORE PERMIT CR9 CHALK BUTTES RD.PDF

VYVE BORE PERMIT CR64 RIDGEWATER RD.PDF

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