

Houghton County Board of Commissioners

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AGENDA **HOUGHTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS** **Regular Meeting** **October 13, 2026 – 6:00 P.M.**

- A. Call to Order
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Roll Call
- D. Public Hearing(s)-
- E. Approval of Minutes; September 15, 2025, Regular Meeting; October 5, 2026 Work Session
- F. Approval of Agenda
- G. Public Comments – Agenda Items only *(3-minute limit).
- H. Approval of Bills- \$2,494,670.51
- I. Reports
 - 1. Standing Committees
 - 2. Special Committees
 - 3. County Officers
- J. Unfinished Business
 - 1. RFI Audit Firm Recommendation / Selection
 - 2. Western Upper Peninsula Health Department appropriation request
 - 3. Fourth Floor Carpet Placement
 - 4. Resolution #26-21 Approving AFSCME Collective Bargaining Agreement Wage re-opener
 - 5. Courthouse Non-union Employee Wage Adjustment
 - 6. Resolution # 26-28 Automated License Plate Readers (ALPRs)
 - 7. Resolution # 26-19 Reaffirming Medical Examiner Contract (2023-2026)
 - 8. Resolution # 26-29 2011 Public Act 152, The Publicly Funded Health Insurance Contribution Act
 - 9. Class A CDL Driver Information
- K. New Business
 - 1. Resolution # 26-30 General Appropriations Act Budget Amendment I
 - 2. Resolution # 26-26 To Establish Water System Rates
 - 3. Consideration of Re-funding Contractors at the Materials Manager Facility for the C&D Closure
 - 4. Order Appointing Anthony Autio as 97th District Court Deputy Magistrate
 - 5. Houghton County Road Commissioners Annual Compensation & Benefits
 - 6. Jaikob Djerf, Houghton County Master Plan 2024-2028 Revisions Proposal
 - 7. Jaikob Djerf, Houghton County Annual Apportionment Report
 - 8. Vehicle Auction, 1994 Ford F-150 XLT

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9. Tri-County Public Defenders September Expenses - \$78,991.75
 10. National Association of Counties Annual Membership - \$747.00
 11. Ziemnick Excavating INC., Concrete Patch at Sharon Ave Site - \$5,650.00
 12. Keweenaw Chamber of Commerce Annual Fees & Dues - \$440.00
 13. Family Court Awareness Month
 14. Houghton County Planning Commission Vacancy
 15. Houghton County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority Board Appointment,
Jaikob Djerf (Motion Needed)
 - L. Other Business / Communications
 1. Nick Meneguzzo, No Zoning Correspondence
 - M. Travel
 - N. Appropriations
 1. Copper Country Community Mental Health, Monthly - \$13,707.91
 - O. Public Comments - *(3 minute limit)
 - P. Announcements
 - Q. Adjournment
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