

**Houghton County Board of Commissioners**

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**AGENDA**  
**HOUGHTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**Regular Meeting**  
**February 10, 2026 – 6:00 P.M.**

- A. Call to Order
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Roll Call
- D. Approval of Minutes; January 5, 2026 Work Session; January 13, 2026 Regular Meeting; January 30, 2026 Special Meeting; February 2, 2026 Work Session
- E. Approval of Agenda
- F. Public Comments – Agenda Items only \*(3-minute limit).
- G. Approval of Bills- \$1,495,760.96
- H. Reports
  - 1. Standing Committees
  - 2. Special Committees
  - 3. County Officers
- I. Unfinished Business
  - 1. Start Small, Funding request
  - 2. Single Point of Entry
- J. New Business
  - 1. Self-help Center Update / Request, Tracey Beauchamp
  - 2. MERS COLA Update
  - 3. HKCD FAP Forester
  - 4. Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Award
  - 5. Resolution #26-01 E911 Administrative Findings, The Emergency Service District Final Plan
  - 6. Letter in Support of SB109
  - 7. RFP for Accounting Services
  - 8. Western UP Health Department Board Appointment
  - 9. Copper Country Community Mental Health Board Appointment
  - 10. Motion to accept Lawsuit
  - 11. Circuit Court Electrical Service Request, \$6,000.00 – Within Budget
  - 12. Superior Tech Wizards, Contract
  - 13. Final Jail Committees Report, April Deadline
  - 14. Scheduling Jail & Sheriff's Office Millage
  - 15. Sharon Ave RFP Language
  - 16. Tri-County Public Defenders January 2026 Payment Request- \$85,524.82
- K. Other Business / Communications
- L. Travel

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### M. Appropriations

1. Western Upper Peninsula Health Department- \$69,106.50
2. Copper Country Community Mental Health- \$13,707.91

### N. Public Comments

### O. Announcements

### P. Adjournment

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