

BLAND COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes for July 6, 2026

Members Present:

Meagan Bradshaw, Elmer Chewning, John Dodson, Stephen Kelley, Jerry Mercer, James Pruett, Ron Stevenot

Members Absent:

Jim Baker, James McCleary

Others Present:

Joel K. Cagle, Planning Commission Secretary

CALL TO ORDER

At 6:00 PM, Chairman Mercer called the meeting of the Bland County Planning Commission to order at the Bland County Courthouse; Bland, Virginia. The Invocation was given and allegiance was pledged to the flag of our country by everyone present.

ROLL CALL

Planning Commission Secretary Cagle took the roll call and announced that a quorum was present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chairman Mercer invited a motion to approve the meeting minutes of June 1, 2026. Commissioner Bradshaw made the motion to approve the meeting minutes of June 1, 2026; Commissioner Pruett provided the second, and the motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC HEARING

-None

NEW BUSINESS

-None

OLD BUSINESS

-The draft Comprehensive Plan was discussed. After some discussion and some data edits a motion was made by Commissioner Pruett to hold a public hearing on August 3rd at 6PM to receive public comments on the draft Comprehensive Plan. Commissioner Bradshaw provided a second and the motion passed unanimously.

ITEMS TABLED FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

-None

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Planning Commission at this time, Commissioner Bradshaw made a motion to adjourn; Commissioner Stevenot provided the second, the motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joel K. Cagle- Secretary
Planning Commission
County of Bland