

MINUTES of the special public meeting of the Uintah County Commission held **July 10, 2026** in the Large Commission Conference Room at 147 East Main, Vernal, Utah. The meeting commenced at 12:00 pm.

PARTICIPANTS: Commissioners John Laursen and Sonja Norton. Willis LeFevre excused.

ATTENDANCE: Wendi Long, Mike Wilkins, and Brenda McDonald.
Minutes by Tai Duncan.

WELCOME: Commissioner Laursen, Chair, welcomed everyone to the meeting. Commissioner Laursen made a motion to go into the Special Meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

1. RECESS FOR BOARD OF CANVASSERS

Commissioner Laursen moved to recess into the Board of Canvassers. Motion passed unanimously.

The Board of Canvassers includes Commissioner Laursen, Commissioner Norton, and Treasurer Wendi Long.

2. CANVASS OF THE RECOUNT JUNE 2026 PRIMARY ELECTION RECOUNT RESULTS

Mike Wilkins, Clerk-Auditor, stated the Election Statistics and Results previously approved have not changed through the recount. The vote totals are exactly the same: Joe McKea is declared the winner and will move on to the November ballot with 2,437 votes; Danny Harrell received 2,432 votes.

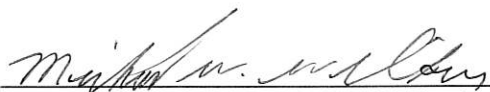
Commissioner Laursen moved to approve the 2026 Primary Election Recount Results as presented. Motion passed unanimously.

3. ADJOURN BOARD OF CANVASSERS AND RECONVENE COMMISSION MEETING

Commissioner Norton moved to adjourn the Board of Canvassers and Reconvene Commission meeting in order to adjourn. Motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURN: Meeting adjourned at approximately 12:02 pm.


JOHN LAURSEN, CHAIR


MICHAEL W. WILKINS, CLERK – AUDITOR

