

## **COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS**

**Regular Meeting  
Adams County Courthouse  
Ritzville, Washington**

**January 14, 2026 – 9:00 a.m.**  
(Wednesday)

### **Call to Order**

Chairman Blankenship called the meeting to order.

### **Present:**

Chairman Dan C. Blankenship  
Vice-Chairman Migual A. Garza  
Commissioner Jay R. Weise

### **Pledge of Allegiance**

Chairman Blankenship led the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **Approval/Addition of Agenda**

Commissioner Garza moved, Weise seconded, to *approve the agenda as presented*. **Motion carried.**

**Board of Commissioner Meeting Recess @ 9:01 a.m.**

**Board of Health Meeting Called to Order @ 9:02 a.m.**

**Board of Commissioner Meeting Reconvened @ 11:10 a.m.**

### **Board Workshop**

#### **Integrated Health Care Services**

#### **2025-2027 Consolidated Contract**

Commissioner Garza moved, Weise seconded, to *authorize the Chairman sign 2025-2027 Consolidated Contract CLH32041, Amendment No. 8, between the State of Washington Department of Health and Adams County Integrated Health Care Services, for a funding increase of \$6,047, for a total contract award of \$2,975,986, for the contract period January 1, 2025, through December 31, 2027*. **Motion carried unanimously.**

#### **Data Sharing Agreement for Confidential Information or Limited Dataset(s)**

Commissioner Garza moved, Weise seconded, to *authorize the Chairman sign Data Sharing Agreement, DOH Contract CLH32138-0, for Confidential Information or Limited Dataset(s) between the State of*

*Washington Department of Health and Adams County Health Department.  
**Motion carried unanimously.** This agreement pertains to the Rapid Health Information Network (RHINO) Data Systems; RHINO provides for coordination with linking data from other sources; agreement is in effect for two (2) years from the date the agreement is signed.*

**Recess @ 11:19 a.m.**

**Reconvene @ 11:30 a.m.**

**Executive Session**

At 11:33 a.m. Chairman Blankenship announced the Board would recess into Executive Session for thirty (30) minutes under RCW 42.30.110(1)(i) – “To discuss with legal counsel representing the agency matters relating to agency enforcement actions, or to discuss with legal counsel representing the agency litigation or potential litigation...”. Prosecutor Flyckt was present.

At 12:03 p.m. the Board reconvened from Executive Session. No action was taken.

**Adjournment @ 12:11 p.m.**

Submitted:

s/Patricia J. Phillips, CMC

Clerk of the Board

Edited and Approved:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

ADAMS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

s/Dan C. Blankenship, Chairman

s/Miguel A. Garza, Vice-Chairman

s/Jay R. Weise, Commissioner