

CRISP COUNTY BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Minutes of the meeting held on
Wednesday, February 4, 2026 at 8:00 a.m.
in the Board of Commissioners Meeting Room

Opening Ceremonies

Chairman, William Lee Turner, called the meeting to order at 8:03 a.m. A quorum was declared and the following Board members were present: Dravian McGill, Arthur Parker, William Turner, Brenda Booth, & Frank Posey, Jr., Chief Appraiser Sean Sammons, Personal Property Appraiser Shaveta Harper and Board Secretary Heather Bloodsworth. Mr. Sean Sammons gave the invocation for the meeting.

Approval of Minutes – The minutes of the Board meeting conducted on January 7th, 2026 were presented. A motion to approve the minutes was made by Mr. McGill and seconded by Ms. Booth. All were in favor.

Appeals

Motor Vehicle – Mr. Sammons presented 4 motor vehicle appeals to the Board for approval. A motion was made by Mr. Posey and seconded by Ms. Booth. All were in favor.

Real Property – Mr. Sammons presented 3 real property appeal waivers.

Personal Property – Mrs. Harper updated the Board on the 11 personal property appeals that are scheduled for Certified Hearing Officer Hearings. Mrs. Harper presented 11 personal property appeal waivers have been waived.

Mr. McGill made a motion to approve the 14 waivers. Ms. Booth seconded. All were in favor.

A Personal Property issue was brought up with a business who would not fill out a return. The business owner came to the office and was unruly. He later provided evidence that his business was closed prior to January 1st. Mr. Sammons recommended Board approval since the owner still did not fill out a PT-50P. Mr. McGill made a motion to remove the account. Ms. Booth seconded. All were in favor.

2025 Public Utility Appeal – Public Utility accounts may only appeal the level of assessment at the local level. This owner has also appealed in 2024. Mr. Sammons recommended we send the appeal to the administrator for a hearing. A motion was made by Mr. Posey and seconded by Mr. McGill to approve. All were in favor.

Freeport Applications – Ms. Harper presented 1 freeport application to the Board for approval. A motion was made by Mr. McGill and seconded by Ms. Booth to approve. All were in favor.

Homestead Exemption Applications – Mr. Sammons presented 27 homestead applications to the Board. This included 20 L1s, 6 S1s, 1 S5s, and 1 recommendation for denial. Mr. Posey made a motion to approve 27 applications subject to eligibility and deny one on the grounds that the applicant was a church and not an individual. Mrs. Booth seconded. All were in favor.

CUVA Applications – Mrs. Bloodsworth presented 28 CUVA applications to the Board for approval. Mrs. Bloodsworth explained how she has eased the transition for finance, the assessor's office, and the clerk with a new checks and balance sheet for everyone. A motion was made by Mr. McGill and seconded by Ms. Booth to approve. All were in favor.

Education Update – Mr. Sammons updated the Board regarding educational opportunities. He announced this year's CAVEAT will take place in Tifton, Georgia.

Other Business - Mr. Sammons reported that he is in preparations for the yearly budget. He also shared the possible impact of pending legislation.

Adjournment - Mr. McGill made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Posey seconded. All were in favor. and the meeting adjourned at 8:41 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Heather Bloodsworth
Board Secretary