

**RULES OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE  
OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CURRY COUNTY**

To assist and facilitate the public meetings and provide for an orderly and consistent procedure, the following are rules that the Commission will follow during its public meetings:

1. The Commission shall, at the first meeting of each year, choose one (1) of their members as Chairperson, who shall preside at that meeting and at all other meetings when present. At the same meeting, the Commission shall choose one (1) of their members as Vice Chairperson, who, in the absence of the Chairperson from any meeting, will conduct said meeting. The method of choosing/selecting shall be agreeable to a majority of the Commission at the time of selecting/choosing.
2. The Chairperson and Vice Chairperson may make motions and shall have the same voting rights, no less and no more, as any other member of the Board.
3. The Chairperson shall not have any administrative, procedural, contractual or similar authority different than any other member of the Board, except as may be provided in these Rules of Procedure or by statute.
4. No one shall be given the floor or allowed to speak unless recognized by the Chairperson. Members of the Board are required to obtain the floor (be recognized by the Chairperson) before making motions or speaking. Unless changed by approval of the majority of the members of the Board present, Board comments on any one (1) agenda item, other than an Ordinance or Resolution shall be limited to a total of ten (10) minutes. During any single agenda item, individual Commissioners shall be given the opportunity to speak and thereafter, shall not be given a second or subsequent opportunity to speak until all of the other Board members have spoken on the topic.
5. No commissioner can speak on or address any action item on the agenda until a motion has been made.
6. The Chairperson or any member of the Board may ask for, or make a motion for discussion to close (table). The matter being discussed may be tabled for a specific period of time or indefinitely. A motion to table must be voted on without discussion if and when seconded.
7. During any meeting, any member of the Board can request reconsideration on any prior action taken by the Board. If approved by a majority of the members present, the matter will be considered as the next item on the agenda.

8. Other than during Public Input for which no Action will be Taken, members of the audience may speak only when recognized and called upon by the Chairperson of the meeting.
9. Items appearing on the agenda of meetings of the Board shall be those necessary for the proper consideration and management of County business as determined by the County Manager. Each agenda shall contain an item entitled "Future Agenda Items". At this time on the agenda, any Commissioner can request items be placed on a future agenda. No item, unless an emergency, will be added to a future agenda until such time as Commission and management have had adequate time to prepare and be ready for the same.

Approved in Open Meeting this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2017.

**CURRY COUNTY BOARD OF  
COMMISSIONERS**



Ben Mc Daniel, Chairman