

**Morgan County Commission Meeting
September 30, 2026
Morgan County Courthouse**

SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING

Members present:

President Joel Tuttle
Commissioner Sean Forney
Commissioner Bill Clark

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PRESIDENT COUNTY COMMISSION



Staff Present:

Kim Nickles, County Clerk
Misty Clingerman, County Administrator
Felicia Darlington, Grants Administrator/ Commission Secretary

Call to Order

Kim Nickles called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm.

Agenda Items

Acceptance of County Clerk's Retirement Notice

County Clerk Kim Nickles has given her resignation/ retirement. President Tuttle read a letter of thanks Kim wrote for her close to 25 years of working in the courthouse and 10 of those years was as a County Clerk. Commissioner Forney made a motion to accept the resignation/retirement from the Morgan County Clerk, Kim Nickles effective close of December 18, 2026. President Tuttle voted yea. Commissioner Forney voted yea. Commissioner Clark voted yea. Motion carried.

Adoption of Guidelines/Timeline to Appoint Morgan County Clerk

Commissioner Clark made a motion to approve the open application process from Thursday, October 1- Friday, October 16. The County Administrator and Commission Secretary will compile applications in order as they are received and give to the Commissioners on Monday, October 19. At the Wednesday, October 21, 2026 Commission Meeting, the Commissioners will make a decision about interviews. Noting applicants need to be of the same party of the County Clerk to apply, Republican as of December 19, 2025. President Tuttle voted yea. Commissioner Forney voted yea. Commissioner Clark voted yea. Motion carried.

A discussion about a fall Commission Meeting being in Paw Paw came up as to whether one has been scheduled or not. Commissioner Clark made a motion to move the regularly scheduled Commission Meeting to Paw Paw at 6:00pm on October 21, 2026. President Tuttle voted yea. Commissioner Forney voted yea. Commissioner Clark voted yea. Motion carried.

Adjourn

President Tuttle adjourned the meeting at 2:34 pm.

Minutes submitted by F. Darlington