

GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Study Session  
October 9, 2019

Chairman Hentschel called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m. at the Governmental Center.

OPENING CEREMONIES OR EXERCISES

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America was recited.

PRESENT: Betsy Coffia (8:03 a.m.), Bryce Hundley, Brad Jewett, Addison Wheelock, Jr.,  
Ron Clous, Gordie LaPointe, and Rob Hentschel

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

RECOMMENDED 2020 BUDGET

Nate Alger, County Administrator, Chris Forsythe, Deputy County Administrator, and  
Dean Bott, Finance Director, presented a proposed 2020 balanced budget and answered  
questions.

Wendy Hirschenberger, Health Officer, answered questions about the Health Department's  
proposed budget.

Additional budget meetings will be scheduled for October 23<sup>rd</sup> and October 30<sup>th</sup>. Selected  
Department Heads and/or Elected Officials will be asked to attend to answer questions about  
their proposed 2020 budget.

PUBLIC COMMENT

The following person addressed the Commissioners during Public Comment:

**Tom Bensley, Sheriff**

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 9:40 a.m.

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Bonnie Scheele County Clerk

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Rob Hentschel, Chairman

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date) (Initials)