

**Minutes of the
Jefferson County Solid Waste Authority Meeting
February 23, 2026**

Members Present: Dr. Peter Vila, April Cogle, Ray Bolyard, David Tabb, Jim McGowen

Members Not Present: Erin Cimbali

Dr. Vila called the meeting to order at 7:00pm on the 23rd day of February 2026.

Guest Visitor(s):

Minutes: Minutes were reviewed for the January meeting. Mr. McGowen moved to approve the minutes. Mr. Tabb seconded. Unanimous.

Financial Report: Ms. Cogle presented the financial reports. There was a discussion on how the state solid waste assessment (taxes) is calculated and paid. There was a mistake on profit and loss so the board asked that it be corrected and sent out again. Financial reports from last month were amended and accepted. Mr. Bolyard moved to approve, and Mr. Tabb seconded the motion. Unanimous.

Tonnage Report: The board presented with a copy of the Jefferson County Transfer Station Monthly Tonnage Report. Mr. McGowen has moved to accept the Tonnage Report. Mr. Bolyard seconded. Unanimous.

Director notes: Ms. Cogle gave the director's report. Ms. Cogle gave the Board a live camera update. Gate and line cameras should be up and running no later than April. The board voted to give employees a 3% raise.

The board also decided to make some changes to the employee handbook to reflect necessary changes.

New business: Mike Shep will be coming to perform a survey on the leased land. Details to come.

Mr. McGowen made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Tabb and passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 8:46 pm. The next meeting scheduled will be March 16, at 7:00pm.