

Budget OK; schedule shift

Greenwood County considers 4-day work week for some staff

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Greenwood County is exploring a four-day work week for employees who work typical office hours. Officials announced they were looking into this work schedule change at Tuesday's County Council meeting. Treasurer Steffanie Dorn and Human Resources Director Rhonda McAllister told council they were looking into a modified work schedule for some employees as a possible retention

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Greenwood County Human Resources Director Rhonda McAllister addresses county council at a May meeting.

County council passes salary adjustments

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Greenwood County's final 2025 budget comes in at \$58.5 million, and contains more than \$950,000 in salary increases without a millage increase. At Tuesday's County Council meeting, officials unanimously approved final reading of the budget ordinance. Within the budget, a triennial compensation study, adjusting the salary ranges for positions deemed below the market of comparable

Staying home

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The air up there



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Self Regional Healthcare CEO Dr. Matt Logan speaks atop the helipad, with the hospital's new air ambulance, a medically configured Bell 407 helicopter, in the background. Med-Trans Corp. owns the helicopter and manages the flight crew, while Self provides the helipad and hospital services.

Self adds helicopter transport service

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For Self Regional Medical Center, the sky is the limit. Literally. Self Regional on Thursday unveiled its new helipad and medical transport helicopter service, something CEO Dr. Matt Logan called a significant milestone in the hospital's history. "Today, we're not just opening a new helipad and launching a new helicopter service that will care for Greenwood and the surrounding counties, but we're also significantly enhancing our ability to provide rapid critical care to patients in need," Logan said. "Self Regional Healthcare Advanced Air Transport will enable us to more swiftly and efficiently care for medical emergencies, ensuring that our community receives the best possible care when it matters most." The hospital partnered with Med-Trans Corp. on the air ambulance, a medically configured Bell 407 helicopter that will be stationed on a helipad near the rear of the patient tower and adjacent to the emergency care center. Self Regional will have a full helicopter transport team available 24/7, with team members



People get an up-close look at Self Regional Healthcare's new medical transport air ambulance.



Online video

See video of Thursday's unveiling at Self Regional
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People look at Self Regional Healthcare's new medical transport air ambulance, which was unveiled Thursday.

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