

Commissioner Meeting
April 15, 2019

Chairman Spradlin called the regular meeting of the Greenwood County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Other members present were Ben Fox, Paul Hodge, Kathy Robison, County Clerk, and Paul Dean County Counselor.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Fox made a motion to approve April 1, 2019 minutes. Commissioner Hodge seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Commissioner Fox made a motion to approve April 8, 2019 minutes. Commissioner Hodge seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Road Supervisor Darrell Chrisman talked to the commissioners about concern regarding communication with KDOT, Darrin Petrowsky, Area Engineer over the E911 signs along the highway in the county. Chrisman told the Commissioners that Petrowsky claimed that Chrisman had been unresponsive to KDOT requests to replace E911 road signs along the highways. Chrisman stated he had responded to all communication and was unaware of any issues. The commissioners agreed with Chrisman that issue had been resolved.

Chrisman said that Road & Bridge have been working on small FEMA jobs and on 120th repair/replacing a tinhorn. Commissioner Hodge talked to Chrisman about guardrails posts that have been burn off and the replacement of them.

Amber Woodie, Administrative Assistant discussed a upgrade module to the STAR Software Program that Road & Bridge use and this program will add a new layer of information which will be very useful to the county maintenance and FEMA events. Woodie said that there are additional layers that can be purchase at a later date. Commissioners approved the purchase of the first layer for the roads, in the amount of \$2,500 and a \$250 per year maintenance fee. Commissioner Ben Fox made the motion to purchase the first layer of software, and the motion was seconded by Commissioner Paul Hodge. The motion carried.

Commissioner reviewed the weekly Treasurers report and the Treasurers 1st quarter report.

Commissioner reviewed the amended payables for April 12, 2019. Commissioner Fox made a motion to approve the amended payable and Commissioner Hodge seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Commissioner received a letter from Leonard Booth, South Salem Trustee stating he had served on the South Salem Board since 1980 and is submitting his resignation due to health reasons. Leonard Booth recommended appointing Dusty Booth as Trustee to complete his term of office. Commission Fox made a motion to except Leonard Booth resignation and appointment of Dusty Booth as South Salem Trustee. Commission Paul Hodge seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The Commissioner review a 2017 draft of Greenwood County Code, Health & Welfare ordinance. This ordinance if passed would allow property owners in the unincorporated communities' recourse when unhealthy and unsafe conditions exist on properties in close proximity. Commissioner decided to put it back on the agenda next week.

Mandy Fogle was present to discuss GG50 road, County Counsel Dean explain to Fogle that her attorney has filed an appeal on this road issue so any communicates will have to come through her attorney.

County Counsel Paul Dean spoke to the Commission about a letter from Elk County, addressed to Kansas Governor Laura Kelly regarding the wind farm moratorium in the Flint Hills. Dean is going to prepare a letter from Greenwood County Commissioner requesting that the moratorium on windmill farms in the Flint Hills be lifted.

Sherriff Heath Samuels introduced Mike Bungardner, the new K9 deputy. This will be Greenwood County's second K9 unit and will be a single purpose dog for narcotics detection.

Emergency Preparedness Director Levi Vinson presented the annual Code Red contract, in the amount of \$3,449. Commissioner Fox made a motion to approve paying the contract. Commissioner Hodge seconded. The motion the motion carried.

Vinson reported to the commissioners that representatives for KAKE News would be in Eureka for a weather radio event. The KAKE News radios will cost \$40 each and Vinson is planning to purchase several radios to place in the county offices.


At 10:08 a.m., Commissioner Fox made a motion to adjourn Commissioner Hodge seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Calendar:

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Chuck Spradlin, Chairman

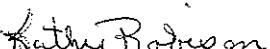


Ben Fox, Vice Chairman



Paul Hodge, Member

ATTEST:



Kathy Robison, County Clerk