Chairman Ben Fox called the regular meeting of the Greenwood County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Other members present were Vice Chairman Roy Ballard, Chuck Spradlin, Robert Joe Morgan, Paul Hodge, and County Clerk Kathy Robison.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Hodge moved to approve November 22, 2021 Minutes as written. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Hodge moved to approve November 29, 2021 Minutes as written. Spradlin seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge report:

- Fox moved to approve hiring Larry Greenwood at a pay rate of $13.00 per hour for recycling. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 5-0.
- Crews have finished the grinding projects that were ongoing.
- Shell Rock is slated to open Thursday of next week to allow time for curing.
- Truck 5 is ready for pick up in Chanute.
- The recycle truck is slated to be finished with repairs this week.
- Darrel is currently gathering information for pricing of a skid steer. Commissioner Ballard recommended looking into a CAT.
- The Road and Bridge Department should receive a check from FEMA in the near future for the Landfill Bridge.
- Darrel informed commissioners that the department is still looking for a check from the Federal Exchange that was reportedly sent out on October 11th, 2021 in the amount of an estimated $70,000.
- Ballard reported he had received calls regarding the approach that has washed out near Bitler Bridge.

 Commissioners approved Sheri Mundhemke using the gazebo on the courthouse lawn on Saturday, December 18th, for Christmas caroling.

Spradlin moved to approve special payables in the amount of $29,498.34. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Hodge moved to approve sending Pete’s Cereal Malt Beverage application to Twin Grove Township for approval. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Appraiser’s office employee Shawna Griffitts provided a bid from Digital Office Systems in Wichita for the cost of a new copier in the amount of $2,935.00. Commissioners would like Griffitts to look into finding a second bid and present it at a later date.

Fox moved to approve a ten minute executive session with Register of Deeds Marsha Ramsey to discuss personnel. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Regular meeting reconvened at 9:50 a.m. No decisions were made.

Fox moved to take a five minute break to begin at 9:53 a.m. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Regular meeting reconvened at 9:58 a.m.

Fox moved to approve a legal order to be served to property owner Frank Crooks, to address the conditions of a property located in Neal. The owner has 14 days to address the violation, which includes, but is not limited to, the removal of debris, trash, vehicles and brush. Spradlin seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Morgan moved to adjourn at 10:07 a.m. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0.