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

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

*Fox moved to approve December 19th, 2022 Minutes as written. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

Road and Bridge Report:

- Crews are slated to continue repair to BB Road next week
- Repairs to Vaugh acres are nearly complete
- Several Road and Bridge vehicles are in need of minor repair
- There was a minor accident near Vaugh Acres during repair due to narrow roads, an employee backed into a well house. Road and Bridge employees addressed the matter with the owner and came to an agreement for repair
- Chrisman noted that the assistance Road and Bridge has provided to townships this year has affected his budget
- Darrel plans to make public a bid for tires in the near future

County Clerk Kathy Robison presented commissioners with a list for signatures; the list contained Cost of Living Adjustments for Greenwood County employees. Robison then inquired about monies being transferred to the Health Claims account. Commissioners wanted to wait until after department transfers following the meeting.

*Hodge moved to approve the Cereal Malt Beverage License for Tri-corner. Fox seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

*Hodge moved to approve a Cereal Malt Beverage License for Jim & Lila's Café. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

*Fox moved to approve a Cereal Malt Beverage License for Pete's of Erie. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

County Clerk Kathy Robison inquired about how to pay employees for a recent ‘inclement weather’ day. Commissioners made the joint decision to pay employees as if it were a normal day.

*Fox moved to approve December 19th, 2022 Minutes as written. Spradlin seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

Eureka City has asked Greenwood County to waive dump fees for the demolition of 5 houses.

*Fox moved to approve the waiving of dump fees for the City of Eureka for the demolition of five houses. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

*Morgan moved to approve payroll in the amount of $132,581.40. Fox seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

*Morgan moved to approve payables in the amount of $273,578.98. Commissioner Paul Hodge seconded. Motion carried 5-0.*

*Spradlin moved to approve the following transfer Resolutions. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 5-0: (See Resolutions 22-11 through 22-23)*

- Health Department: Transfer $25,000 into their Reserve account.
- Road and Bridge:
  - Recycle- Transfer $14,000 to Special Machinery
  - Solid Waste – Transfer $35,000 to Special Machinery
  - Road and Bridge- Transfer $50,000 to Capital Project Special Bridge; Transfer $180,000 to Special Machinery
- Ambulance- Transfer $0
- Sheriff- Transfer $50,000 to Jail Fund; Transfer $40,000 to General Reserve; $20,000 to Courthouse Reserve
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- Fire- Transfer $0 (Would like to pay $90,000 to General Fund for repayment of Trucks; $70,000 from Fire reserve account and $20,000 from Fire commodities account)
- Noxious Weed- Transfer $60,439.00 to Equipment Reserve (would like to utilize that money for a 4-wheel drive vehicle for spraying)
- Emergency Management- Transfer $6,700 to Equipment Reserve
- Appraiser- Transfer $4,000 to Equipment Reserve
- Attorney- Transfer $5,000 to the Capital Improvement Fund (to be utilized for a court room in the jail)
Attorney's Office will soon have a part-time position open.
- Register of Deeds: Transfer $5,000 to Equipment Reserve
- Treasurer: Transfer $20,000 to Equipment Reserve
- Commission: Transfer $10,000 to General Equipment Reserve
- County Clerk- Transfer $0

Fox made a motion to approve moving $20,000 from the General Fund Reserve and $20,000 from Sheriff to go back into General Fund to cover the overages for Court Services and Juvenile Detention. Spradlin seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Maintenance Supervisor Greg Rawlings informed commissioners that there is a leak in the boiler that will need repair.

A brief discussion ensued regarding a map that shows Salt Springs Township Roads and County Roads. This matter will be revisited at a later date.

Commissioner Spradlin left the meeting before adjournment.

Fox moved to adjourn at 11:23 a.m. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

Chuck Spradlin and Joe Morgan did not retain their positions on the Commission Board, therefore will not be in attendance at the next meeting.

Roy Ballard, Chairman

Ben Fox, Vice Chairman

Paul Hodge, Member

Kathy Robinson, County Clerk

ATTEST:  

Paul Everson

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