Commission Meeting
JULY 6th, 2021

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

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioner Ballard moved to accept June 28th, 2021 minutes as written. Hodge seconded. The motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge report:
- Crews spent most of last week repairing low water crossings.
- Two county graders are down.
- Reece Road project is slated to begin Wednesday.
- Paul Hodge offered ideas to repair the dozer that is non-operational, rather than purchasing another one.
- Roy Ballard informed Chrisman of pot holes on roads near Madison that are in need of repair.
- Due to complaints he has received from residents stating they have not seen a grader in several weeks near Madison, Ballard offered the suggestion that a schedule be established for the grader that sits in Burkett. Darrel is slated to look into the matter.
- Darrel reported that he doesn’t have an employee with enough experience to run the chip sealer.

Commissioner Hodge moved to approve a 15 minute executive session pertaining to employee performance, to begin at 9:25 a.m. Fox seconded. The motion carried 5-0. An additional 5 minutes was added. Commissioners reconvened at 9:45 a.m. No decisions were made.

Road and Bridge report continued:
- Hodge stated that he feels the Chaplains should be compensated for county roads being removed near 60th Road. Due to said removal, the alternate route crosses over private land owned by the Chaplains. Hodge offered alternative ideas that would cost the county additional money, but felt that it was the right decision to make. A brief discussion ensued regarding alternative locations for a low water bridge in that area. Commissioners are slated to look into the matter.

Commissioner Hodge moved to approve special payables in the amount of $9,468.07. Morgan seconded. The motion carried 5-0.

Commissioner Ballard moved to approve the Fence View Order regarding the McCollum/Hart matter. Fox seconded. The motion carried 5-0.

Commissioner Fox stated that a camera, located on the courthouse, is in need of replacement. Fox moved to approve a new camera in the amount of $2,400. Morgan seconded. The motion carried 5-0.

Fox moved to approve a 10 minute executive session for personnel. Morgan seconded. The motion carried 5-0. The decision was made to interview two people for the Maintenance Supervisor position.

Commissioner Fox moved to adjourn at 10:30 a.m. Ballard seconded. The motion carried 5-0.

Following the regular meeting, commissioners held a work session regarding budgets for 2022.

ATTEST: Kathy Robison, County Clerk

Ben Fox, Chairman
Roy Ballard, Vice Chairman
Chuck Spradlin, Member
Paul Hodge, Member
Robert Joe Morgan, Member

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