

Commission Minutes May 8, 2023

The Board of Washington County Commission met in regular session on Monday, May 8, 2023, in the commission room at the Washington County Courthouse. Members present were Scott Zabokrtsky, 1st District Commissioner, David Willbrant, 2nd District Commissioner, and Raleigh Ordoyne, 3rd District Commissioner, Diana L Svanda, County Clerk to recorded minutes, and Cynthia Scheer, WCN

Scott called the meeting to order at 8:15 AM followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Consent Agenda:

Beer License for Farmers Coop

Senior Citizens Quarterly

Scott Zabokrtsky made the motion to approve the consent agenda, Raleigh Ordoyne seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

Roxanne Schottel, Justin Dragastin, Pete Sherlock, Washington County Hospital, presented a letter of support for there Community Development Block Grant, Scott Zabokrtsky made the motion to sign the support letter in favor, Raleigh Ordoyne seconded the motion, all in favor. Later Elizabeth Hiltgen, County Attorney came in with Resolution No. 06-2023 Resolution Certifying Legal Authority to apply for the 2023 Kansas small cities community Development Block Grant program from the Kansas Department of Commerce and Authorizing a commissioner to sign and submit such an application, Raleigh Ordoyne made the motion to approve Resolution No. 06-2023, Scott Zabokrtsky seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

James Yungeberg, Environmental Science director, talked about an eight-week CDL course. James also submitted a Solid Waste Grant Application. Raleigh told him that it was nice to see the new recycling trailers. James asked for executive session, Scott Zabokrtsky made the motion to go into executive session under Land Acquisition to discuss purchasing, for fifteen minutes, Raleigh Ordoyne seconded the motion, all in favor motion carried.

Jimmy Workman, Road & Bridge Supervisor and Eric Helms, Assist R&B Supervisor asked for executive session Scott Zabokrtsky made the motion to go into executive session under Confidential Data to discuss Low Water crossing replacement, for fifteen minutes, Raleigh Ordoyne seconded the motion, all in favor motion carried submitted a quote to fix a dump truck. Jimmy has talked with the Washington County School about making new signs for the trucks. Jimmy also submitted an Addendum to Road use and Maintenance Agreement.

David reported having a meeting with Elizabeth Hiltgen County Attorney and Caroline Scoville about the ambulance service.

Diana Svanda, County Clerk talked with the commissioners about giving a monetary one-time stipend to employees when they retire instead of a plaque, commissioners agree to make this policy, The staff service award will be as follows:

10 years - \$200.00
15 years - \$250.00
20 years - \$300.00
25 years - \$500.00
30 years - \$600.00
35 years - \$700.00
40 years - \$850.00
45 years - \$1,000.00

Raleigh Ordoyne made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 10:55 AM, Scott Zabokrtsky seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

The next regular meeting will be Monday May 15, 2023.

Scott Zabokrtsky, 1st District

David Willbrant, 2nd District

Attest:

Diana L Svanda, County Clerk

Raleigh Ordoyne, 3rd District