

Commission Minutes February 26, 2024

The Board of Washington County Commission met in regular session on Monday, February 26, 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, Traci Stigge, Deputy County Clerk to record minutes.

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

Consent Agenda:

Water pollution control permit

Payroll change notice

David made the motion to approve the consent agenda, Scott seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

Denae Jueneman, Treasurer, reported interest earned for 2023 in the amount of \$403,604.89. 67% of 2023 taxes have been paid in full. Denae also asked the commissioners about intangible taxes. Scott asked Traci to investigate the process of eliminating the county .75%.

Jimmy Workman, Road & Bridge supervisor, informed the commissioners he hired a new mechanic. A fuel bid was submitted, Scott made a motion to accept the low bid from Sapp Brothers. David seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried. Scott received a call from Hanover Township about a bridge on Yankee road. Jimmy reported he looked at the bridge and it is in bad condition. Barricades were put up so no one drives across the bridge. Scott will follow up with Hanover Township about keeping the road open or making it a farm access only road.

Marlene Stamm, Sanitarian, updated on inspections that have been completed within the county. Marlene requested an executive session. Scott moved to recess to executive session under non-elected personnel for employee performance for 10 minutes, David seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

Susan Bruna, District Court Clerk, presented an estimate for the new carpet and informed the board that Dusin Enterprise would need a down payment before carpet would be ordered.

Tiffany Hayman, County Health Administrator, informed the board that she has several conferences to attend, and they will all be held in Wichita.

The board discussed advertising again for Tourism/Economic Development administrator. They decided to accept applications until March 28th.

Scott made the motion to adjourn at 11:07 AM, David seconded the motion, all in favor, motion carried.

The next regular meeting will be Monday March 4, 2024.

Scott Zabokrtsky, Chairman 1st District

David Willbrant, 2nd District

Attest:

Diana L Svanda, County Clerk

Raleigh Ordoyne, 3rd District