

GREENWOOD COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING
JUNE 20TH, 2022

Chairman Roy Ballard called the regular meeting of the Greenwood County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Other members present were Paul Hodge, Robert Morgan, Chuck Spradlin, County Counselor Paul Dean and County Clerk Kathy Robison. Ben Fox was not in attendance.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Spradlin moved to approve June 13, 2022 Minutes, as written. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge Report:

- Crews are cleaning bridges following inclement weather last week.
- Four graders are currently working on 300th.
- Hodge voiced concerns regarding the cleanliness of the rock that the Road and Bridge Department is currently utilizing.

Commissioners reviewed Treasurer's Report. No decisions were made.

Spradlin moved to approve the purchase of message boards in the amount of \$43,716.40; which is slated to be paid back to the county through grants received from the Health Department. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

Mary Hancock with the Health Department asked commissioners to approve a grant for Health Department employees to receive a bonus in the amount of \$1,750. Hancock asked for this payment to be made via payroll as a special pay-out; as the grant monies need to be paid out before June 30th.

Ballard moved to approve a bonus for Health Department employees through a state grant received, in the amount of \$1,750 per employee; to be paid from payroll as a special pay-out. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

Ty Wheeler with Kansas Legal presented commissioners with appropriations request in the amount of \$3,500.

Register of Deeds Marsha Ramsey, joined by Appraiser's employee Shawna Griffiths asked commissioners to consider raises as a priority for next years budget, rather than waiting to see if there is money left.

County Attorney Jill Gillett presented 2023 budget in the amount of \$240,345.

Maintenance Supervisor Greg Rawlings presented commissioners with a bid for a sectional drain cleaning machine in the amount of an estimated \$4,200. The Greenwood County jail was flooded over the weekend and this machine will help be helpful to mange such an event. Sheriff Heath Samuels offered to pay for one half of the cost of the machine, provided the commission approve one half paid from county general funds.

Spradlin moved to approve the purchase of a sectional drain cleaning machine in the amount of up to \$4,600; one half of the amount from the Sheriff's budget, one half from county general budget. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

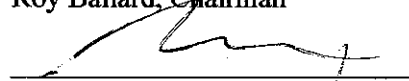
Register of Deeds Marsha Ramsey inquired about including insurance rates in their budgets. The commission came to the consensus to afford 10% of department heads budgets for potential Blue Cross and Blue Shield Insurance rate increases.


Emergency Management Director Levi Vinson presented his 2023 budget in the amount of \$98,741.00.

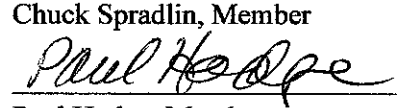
Spradlin moved to adjourn at 10:03 a.m. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

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Roy Ballard, Chairman


Ben Fox, Vice Chairman


Chuck Spradlin, Member


Paul Hodge, Member


Robert Joe Morgan, Member

ATTEST: 
Kathy Robinson, County Clerk