

GREENWOOD COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING
OCTOBER 6TH, 2025

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Commission Chair, Mac Obourn, called the regular meeting of the Greenwood County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Other members present were Roy Ballard, Ron Mast, Judd Everitt, Preston Evenson, County Counselor Paul Dean, and County Clerk Deann McCaffree.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Ballard moved to approve September 29, 2025 minutes as written. Everitt seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge:

- Road and Bridge Supervisor Allen Greenwood presented a bid from Ramsey Concrete for bridge repair at 1852 160th Street.

Everitt moved to accept the bid from Ramsey Concrete totaling \$11,950 for the repair of the bridge.

Evenson seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

- Greenwood notified the commissioners that no new Hydrologic and Hydraulic (H & H) studies can be conducted until the government shut down is over.
- Everitt asked about a narrow culvert that is located near Melvin Casey's house on X road. Everitt explained to Greenwood that the area has been washed out. Greenwood pointed out it would be up to the township in that area to fix it.
- Ballard spoke regarding a bridge near Shell Rock that needs to be cleaned out and Greenwood informed the commissioners it was being completed today.
- Obourn brought up the bridge on road into Piedmont and asked about update information as to where they were at on the project and Greenwood said he has not heard back from any company to do it. Greenwood said he would push the companies for a bid to get this completed.

Claims:

Mast moved to approve Special Payables for October 6, 2025 in the amount of \$12,886.82. Evenson seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Obourn moved to amend the previous special payables motion to the amount of \$17,372.78. Everitt seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

New Business:

- Health Department Supervisor Jayme Lewis provided the commission with an update that flu shots would be available for county employees on Monday, October 13, 2025, 8-9 a.m. in the commissioner's room.
- Greenwood County Treasurer Staci Pearse asked the commissioners about the tax sale date. Counselor Paul Dean advised that the Attorney General's office has not approved the Journal Entry at this time. He advised once the state approves it, he can send it to the Judge for final order to be approved.
- Greenwood County Register of Deeds Sheila Smith informed the commissioners that her office will be getting a new server on the 23rd day of October 2025. She said the office will be open but will not have the computers up and operational on that day.
- County Counselor Paul Dean did advise the commissioners that he did make a motion to dismiss the case regarding the county line road. He advised that there should be an answer around the end of October.

Executive sessions:

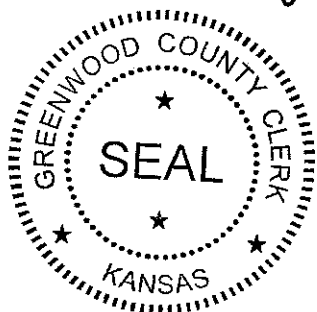
Obourn motioned for a 30-minute executive legal session with County Counselor Paul Dean, Emergency Management Director Levi Vinson and Brandon Mizner with Ensz and Jester Attorney's at Law for review of discovery regarding the Hoeffler road claim case. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Returned at 9:50am No decisions.

Obourn motioned for a 10-minute executive session for a personnel evaluation with Emergency Management Director Levi Vinson and County Counselor Paul Dean. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Returned at 10:06 am. No decisions.

Evenson moved to adjourn at 10:08 a.m. Everitt seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

ATTEST:

Deann McCaffree
Deann McCaffree, County Clerk



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