

Greenwood County Commissioners Meeting

April 4, 2022

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

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Fox moved to approve the March 28th, 2022 Minutes, as written. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge Report:

Chrisman informed commissioners that he spoke with Miss Burns on the Southeast Corner of Christian Hills Roadway. She suggested a payment of \$500 which the Commissioners thought reasonable.

- The 2022 Dodge was picked up and paid for.
- Rock is being put on the lake road.
- Next Thursday, April 14th, 2022 there will be a field Check on Tad-Pole Creek.

Chrisman received a quote for putting a cap on F and South of 55th for \$44,750 From Everett Concrete by representative Drew Ramsey. Spradlin made a motion to cap the bridge for the amount of \$44,750, Hodge seconded the motion, motion carried 5-0.

Drew Ramsey spoke about the Bridge located at 300th Street and R Road needing repair. The Commissioners discussed having Michael Maris of Elite Engineering, review pending projects.

Commissioner Ballard shared that the bridge located at Y Road was in need of being smoothed out, Chrisman said it was on the list of pending projects.

- Chrisman said he was looking into who is responsible for the maintenance of the bridge located at 210th and BB Road. Until it's figured out, workers will be cleaning the algae to improve conditions.

Commissioner Hodge referenced a ditch located the east side of State Street near the water crossing. He was approached by someone stating their concerns regarding safety. This individual inquired about installing reflectors to aid drivers at night. Chrisman noted he would look into that.

Fox made a motion to approve payables in the amount of \$223,762.04, Morgan seconded, motion carried 5-0.

Morgan made a motion to approve payroll in the amount of 121,898.17, Hodge seconded, motion carried 5-0.

Mike Bergeron, with Bruce Davis Construction attended the meeting to discuss the Christian Hills bridge replacement project. Bergeron explained they were completing the dirt work, and was at the meeting to answer any questions from the public the commissioners may have received. The parties involved are working to schedule a pre-construction conference.

EMS Report:

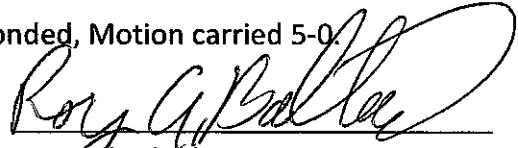
Brian Mongeau, EMS Director, reported that the 2013 Duramax Ambulance wouldn't start and was taken to Emporia to have it fixed. The fuel filter was identified as the problem. Mongeau commented that it was costly to transport the vehicle for repair. The crew tried to start it again last week and it wouldn't start. He was working at getting the ambulance on the schedule for Auto Correct Inc.

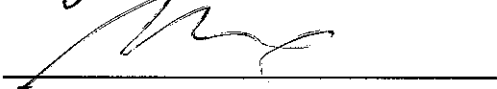
Commissioner Ballard referenced former Lane Township Trustee Larry Crane and the recent tragedy resulting in his loss. Ballard ask the commissioners to take a moment to recognize him, stating that, "Crane was a good man and a good cowboy."


Emergency Management Report:

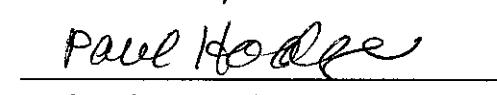
Director Levi Vinson asked that two commissioners attend an exercise planned for April 27th, at 1:00 p.m.

Morgan made a motion to adjourn at 9:37 a.m. Fox seconded, Motion carried 5-0.



Roy Ballard, Chairman


Ben Fox, Vice-Chairman


Chuck Spradlin, Member


Paul Hodge, Member


Robert Joe Morgan, Member

Attest: 
Kathy Robison, County Clerk