GREENWOOD COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING JUNE 6TH, 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, Paul Hodge, Robert Morgan, Chuck Spradlin, County Counselor Paul Dean and County Clerk Kathy Robison.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Fox moved to approve May 31, 2022 Minutes, as written. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge Report:

- Darrel reported that culverts for the bridge located on 300th street, west of HWY 99 are now priced at around \$7,500 apiece and the boxes needed for the project are approximated at \$30,371.
- Chrisman is currently looking for a company closer to Greenwood County to provide oil for the pothole patching machine, as the companies located thus far are located in the Kansas City/Missouri area.
- Harshman has now added a \$1.00 fuel surcharge per ton.
- Levi Vinson reported that Road and Bridge crews drove the bike routes for the UNBOUND Gravel bike race and made necessary repairs to those routes before the race, due to that maintenance, Vinson stated that emergency crews saw only a small number of calls through the conclusion of the race.

Fox moved to approve special payables in the amount of \$14,651.97. Spradlin seconded. Motion

Ballard moved to approve a 15-minute executive session with Fire Chief Doug Williams for Fire Department personnel. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Meeting reconvened at 9:35 a.m. No decisions were made.

Fox moved to approve a five-minute executive session for continuation of the interview process for the County Fire Chief position. Spradlin seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Meeting reconvened at 9:42 a.m.

Spradlin moved to approve Glen Collinge as the 'Fire-Chief-in-training', part-time, at a pay rate of \$18,000 per year, with a 90-day review; with a stipulation that Doug Williams would be available as needed at a rate of \$1,000 per month and given a monthly phone allowance until he is no longer needed. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Fox moved to approve a ten-minute executive session to include Kathy Robison and Donna Olson to discuss legal matters. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Meeting reconvened at 9:56 a.m. No decisions were made.

Levi Vinson reported that KDHE approved the message boards that were purchased with a grant through the Greenwood County Health Department and those boards were received last week. Vinson is slated to develop a request form for use during civic events.

Hodge moved to adjourn at 10:00 a.m. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Ballard, Chairman

ATTEST: Kathu Kathy Robison, County Clerk

Ben Fox, Vice Chairman

Paul Hodge, Member