

COMMISSION MEETING
OCTOBER 18TH, 2021

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

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Hodge moved to approve October 12th, 2021 Minutes. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge report:

- The chip seal project on Reece Road was slated to begin this morning. Darrel reported that a trailer had fallen through a septic tank, which slightly delayed the project.
- Crews were working on multiple pot holes last week.
- State Street was open Friday morning.
- Darrel reported he had an employee headed to Topeka to look at a snow plow and asked permission for a \$40,000 cap to purchase said equipment. Fox moved to accept the \$40,000 cap for a snow plow. Spradlin seconded. Motion carried 5-0.
- Ballard moved to approve a bid received from Everitt Concrete for necessary concrete work needed on Shell Rock Bridge. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.
- Darrel reported there was a hitch in land acquisition for the Christian Hills project that he is in the process of trying to work out.

Ballard moved to approve payables in the amount of \$349,561.29. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Morgan moved to approve payroll in the amount of \$121,147.14. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Noxious Weed Director Jerrid Baumgartel presented a bid for concrete work around the HHW building in the amount of \$2,268. Spradlin moved to approve the concrete bid for the amount of \$2,268. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Emergency Management Supervisor Levi Vinson reported the completion of the drive-thru flu clinics in Severy and Fall River.

Resolution 21-14, which modifies the minimum requirements for fence construction in Greenwood County, was discussed briefly.

Fox moved to approve a ten minute executive session with Sheriff Heath Samuels to discuss legal matters. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0. An additional five minutes was taken for the same matter. Commissioners resumed at 9:55 a.m. No decisions were made.

Fox moved to approve Tom McNeil as Salt Springs Treasurer. Hodge seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Discussion was revisited pertaining to Resolution 21-14 regarding fence requirements in Greenwood County. Ballard moved to accept Resolution 21-14 as written. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Ballard moved to adjourn at 10:03 a.m. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

ATTEST: Kathy Robison
Kathy Robison, County Clerk

Ben Fox
Ben Fox, Chairman
Roy Ballard
Roy Ballard, Vice Chairman
Chuck Spradlin
Chuck Spradlin, Member
Paul Hodge
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Robert Joe Morgan
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