

**Wabaunsee County Commission
Wabaunsee County Courthouse, Alma, KS
Regular Meeting Minutes April 11, 2022**

The Board of County Commissioners meeting in session Monday, April 11, 2022. Commissioners conduct the meeting in person and over ZOOM. Members attending were Joel S. Fager, Rodney L. Allen and Nancy L. Hier. Commissioner Fager called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. Road & Bridge Supervisor Thayne Bush, Sheriff Rob Hoskins, Undersheriff Brett Wilson, KWORCC representative Jes Pfannenstiel and County Clerk Abby Amick were in attendance in person and others joined via zoom.

Road & Bridge

Road & Bridge Supervisor Thayne Bush reported that work is starting on a bridge on Hessdale Road (1/2 mile north of K4 Highway). The county will oversee construction using funding from the Local Bridge Grant. The road will be closed starting Monday, April 11th to be closed for 45 days (weather permitting).

At 10:00 AM Commissioners held the Bid Opening for Chip Seal work to be performed in 2022. There were no bids submitted. Bush indicated that the projects will be let for bid again at a later date and work will be delayed into 2023.

Other Business

KWORCC Representative Jes Pfannenstiel presented an award to the Commissioners for no Workman's Compensation Claims in 2020. Wabaunsee County received First Place for Loss Ratio when compared to similar counties across the state.

Commissioner Fager moved to nullify the current contract regarding the rental of the McFarland Road tower with WTC; Commissioner Allen seconded. Motion Carried 3-0.

Commissioners reviewed the need for concrete repairs surrounding the courthouse and discussed the draft scope of work. The consensus was to take the project to bid as presented utilizing the experience of current employees to evaluate the benefits and challenges of each bid.

Commissioner Fager reported that the EMR class has eleven students, all three Advanced EMT positions have been hired, the Ambulance in Eskridge should be staffed fulltime in the coming weeks.

Sheriff Hoskins reported that the Mark Falk Memorial Mock Accident and Trial will be held April 13th with the USD 329 High School Students.

Commissioner Hier moved to approve the minutes of the April 4th Commission Meeting; Commissioner Fager seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Commissioners reviewed and approved expenses for March 31 – April 6, 2022. Chairman Fager reviewed and signed Daily Statements from April 1, 4, 5 and 6, 2022. Payroll for the pay period ending April 3rd was reviewed and approved.

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At 10:06 AM Commissioner Fager moved to adjourn until Monday, April 18th at 9:00 AM; Commissioner Allen seconded. Motion carried 3-0.

Minutes approved this 18th day of April 2022.



Attest:

Abby L. Amick

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Wabaunsee County Clerk

Joel S. Fager

Joel S. Fager, Chairman

Nancy L. Hier

Nancy L. Hier, Vice Chair

Rodney L. Allen

Rodney L. Allen, Member