

**WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS
OFFICIAL MINUTES**

October 13, 2021

The Board of County Commissioners, Casey Lair & Jerry Scott, and Kris Marple, County Coordinator, met in regular session at 9:00 a.m. in the Commission Room. Commissioner Andy Miller was absent.

CALL TO ORDER: Commissioner Lair called the meeting to order.

INVOCATION: Commissioner Scott gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Commissioner Lair led the flag salute.

AGENDA & MINUTES:

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the agenda as presented, and approve the minutes of October 6, 2021 as presented. Commissioner Lair seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ROAD & BRIDGE DEPT. REPORT:

Kary Tatum, Road & Bridge Supervisor, discussed a request for Slow Children Playing Signs & Speed Limit on Oak Hill Road South of Bethel Road. The request was tabled until the next meeting. He also reported that the 2017 CAT Track Excavator passed inspection, and requested to acquire it with the trade of the 2019 CAT Wheel Excavator at no cost with Foley Tractor Co. He also discussed asphalt project cost estimates for FY2022.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the acquisition as presented. Commissioner Lair seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

COORDINATOR'S REPORT:

Kris Marple, County Coordinator, gave an update on the Granby Street cost study. He also gave an update on the Health Department. He also submitted the monthly budget reports for September.

SHERIFF'S REPORT:

Sheriff Jack Luke reported that he has an open deputy sheriff position. He also informed that the COVID-19 cases were down at the jail, and out of county inmate census has increased. He also presented pay increase requests for Michael Johnson, and Richard Kimzey.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve a \$0.25 per hour pay increase for Michael Johnson due to completing his introductory period. Commissioner Lair seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

ACTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve a \$0.50 per hour pay increase for Richard Kimzey due to completing his introductory period, and the KLETC Certification. Commissioner Lair seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

OTHER BUSINESS:

1. Approved warrants in the amount of \$175,927.28.
2. Reports received: Road & Bridge fee report.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 10:15 a.m. to reconvene on **Wednesday, October 27, 2021** at 9:00 a.m.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
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ATTEST:

Casey Lair, Chairman

Rhonda Willard, County Clerk