

SEDGWICK COUNTY COMMISSIONER
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
DECEMBER 15, 2020

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Donald Schneider with Howard McCormick, Mark Turner and Christy Beckman in office. Vickie Sandlin joined the meeting via Zoom.

McCormick moved to approve the agenda with the addition of Task Force meeting report, new round of cares act money discussion and COVID testing under new business. McCormick second, carried. McCormick moved to approve the minutes. Turner second, carried.

Schneider moved to approve the December 15, 2020 vouchers as presented. McCormick second, carried.

The minutes of the December 7, 2020 meeting were reviewed. Turner moved to approve the minutes as presented. McCormick second, carried.

The minutes of the December 14, 2020 emergency meeting were reviewed. Turner moved to approve the minutes as presented. McCormick second, carried.

Schneider reported that the COVID Task Force met Monday night and the numbers are down in the county and we applied to move to orange on the COVID dial. The hospital reported that the first round of COVID vaccine is here and they are expecting to receive more vaccine from a second company next week. The next meeting will be next Monday.

Schneider reported that the next round of COVID cares act money for restaurants, bars, movie theatres and gyms needs to be applied for by December 31st.

Schneider reported that as of yesterday, there were 269.2 cases of COVID per 100,000 which is a 3% positivity rate. There were 6 new cases in two weeks for 117 total cases and 16 active. The COVID testing van came on Friday and tested 52 residents and will be back at the fairgrounds on Wednesday from 9:30 to 2:00.

Discussion was held on Building Permit #617 for a water pipe in the county ditch for Chris Sandquist – Wolfe. McCormick moved to postpone approval of the permit until more information is gathered. Turner second, carried.

McCormick suggested that the county government lead by example tomorrow at the COVID testing site and allow all employees to stay on the clock to go get tested as it is important in our county.

McCormick moved to adjourn the meeting. Turner second, carried.

Donald Schneider, Chairman

Christy Beckman, Clerk to the Board