

SEDGWICK COUNTY COMMISSIONER
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
FEBRUARY 14, 2023

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Donald Schneider with Ronald Berges, Bridget Britton and Christy Beckman present in office. Vickie Sandlin, Julesburg Advocate, joined the meeting via zoom. Howard McCormick joined the meeting via phone.

Schneider moved to approve the agenda with the addition of report on interview for the Extension office agent position and Overtime discussion. Berges second, carried.

The February 14, 2023 payables were reviewed. Schneider moved to approve the February 14, 2023 payables. Berges second, carried

McCormick moved to approve the February 7, 2023 minutes as presented. Berges second, carried.

Schneider reported that the interview for the extension office agent position will be on the 27th and Berges will be included in the interview process.

McCormick reported on the Republican River Water and the structure of charges coming up in the future.

Schneider moved to approve the special event liquor license for the Hippodrome Arts Centre for an event to be held at the fairgrounds on April 15, 2023. Berges second, carried.

McCormick moved to approve Resolution #2023-009, Petition for Abatement for Julesburg School District in the amount of \$70,467.82. Berges second, carried.
Discussion: The assessor needed to activate the high school account in order to get a valuation and simply forgot to inactivate it which generated a tax bill in error.

Discussion was held on the request directed to the towns to budget funds to help pay for the economic development position. Ovid does not have the funds and there has been no response from the Town of Julesburg or the Town of Sedgwick as of yet.

Berges reported that he received a call from a constituent who is on the wind advisory board, concerning the length of setback from the towers that are being considered. The board will work with the assessor but because the towers are 600 feet tall, the setback should be a bit more.

Schneider moved to adjourn the meeting. Berges second, carried. Meeting was adjourned.

Donald Schneider, Chairman

Christy M. Beckman, Clerk to the Board