SEDGWICK COUNTY COMMISSIONER REGULAR BOARD MEETING JANUARY 17, 2023

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

McCormick moved to approve the agenda as presented, Schneider second, carried.

The December 31, 2022 and the January 17, 2023 payables were reviewed. McCormick moved to approve the December 31, 2022 and the January 17 2023 payables. Berges second, carried

McCormick moved to approve the January 10, 2023 minutes as presented. Berges second, carried.

Discussion was held on a resolution concerning the election for Ovid Fire. McCormick moved to table this discussion until next week. Discussion: McCormick stated that he had contacted them last year when they failed to post the cancellation of their election and was greeted with hostility.

McCormick moved to approve Resolution #2023-003 abatement for taxes. Schneider second, carried.

McCormick moved to approve Resolution #2023-004 Abatement of taxes for Schneider second, carried

Tasha Harris, Coroner, joined the meeting by phone. Discussion was held on the Coroner deputy wage scale. Harris recommended \$18.06 per hour for new deputies and raising a deputy \$1 per hour after one year. McCormick moved to approve the Coroner deputy beginning salary at \$18.06 per hour and raising \$1 per hour after one year. Schneider second, carried.

McCormick moved to approve Building Permit #2023-001 for Robert Kadery. Berges second, carried.

Rob Crowder, Emergency Manager, joined the meeting. Crowder updated the Board on current projects and reported that the next snowstorm may produce between 9-14 inches with wind. Crowder left the meeting.

Dan Pederson, Accountant, joined the meeting. Discussion was held on the 2023 Budget. Pederson will finalize the budget. Pederson left the meeting.

Jack Devie joined the meeting. Devie presented the Board with information on Recovery Amassador Training by Advocates for Recovery and suggested that one or two of the Board attend. The training will be on February 2nd. Devie reported that New Pathways

will be starting addiction and mental health services here soon. Devie told the Board that he is asking for help as he is unable to push these services on his own. Devie left the meeting.

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

Donald Schneider, Chairman

Christy M. Beckman, Clerk to the Board