SEDGWICK COUNTY COMMISSIONER REGULAR BOARD MEETING SEPTEMBER 10, 2024

Meeting was called to order by Pro-Tem Chairman Ronald Berges with Donald Schneider and Christy Beckman. Howard McCormick had an excused absence. Vickie Sandlin, Julesburg Advocate, John Fryar, Eva Contreras, Walter Page, Catie Green, Josilyn Lutze and Dan Pederson joined the meeting.

Schneider moved to approve the agenda with the addition of CBI and youth response to letter and State Line Road update. Berges second, carried.

Schneider moved to approve the September 10, 2024 payables as presented. Berges second, carried.

Schneider moved to approve the September 3, 2024 minutes as amended. Berges second, carried.

Schneider wanted to respond to an accusation from the resignation letter turned in by Abe Magana. Magana said that the CBI check that the communication center did was illegal, however, the CBI Investigator found nothing illegal and sent a letter of explanation. Schneider also told the Board that the accusation from Magana about the youth on the ambulance call was an act that was done legally as waivers were signed and the policy for this has been in place for years.

The Treasurer's August Financial Report was reviewed.

Schneider reported that there are no bids received yet for the State Line Road and that Bob Coty will be fixing it as much as possible until bids are received.

Schneider asked that everyone take a moment of silence for the loss of our associate Cameron Britton. Berges noted that the courthouse will be closing at 1:00 pm on Wednesday in observance of the funeral.

Schneider moved to approve the transfer of \$129,077.83 from County General to Road & Bridge and the transfer of \$9,005.43 from County General to Solid Waste. Berges second, carried.

Catie Green and Josilyn Lutze, Extension, Joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing. Green and Lutze left the meeting.

Victoria Dunker, Community Center, joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing. Dunker left the meeting.

Christy Beckman, Clerk, Joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing.

Tasha Thode, Human Services, joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing. Thode left the meeting.

Tasha Harris, Ambulance, joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing. Harris left the meeting.

Tracy Kizer, Weed & Pest, joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing. Kizer left the meeting.

Vickie Sandlin, Julesburg Advocate, joined the meeting to ask the Board if they would like to renew the Outdoor Guide ad. Schneider moved to approve the renewal of the Outdoor Guide ad in the amount of \$1,500. Berges second, carried.

Phil Biersdorfer, Sheriff, and Koby Quayle, Undersheriff, joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing. Biersdorfer and Quayle left the meeting.

Jules Hoschouer, Veteran Services, joined the meeting for the 2025 Budget Hearing and to put his resignation in dated December 31, 2024. Hoschouer left the meeting.

Schneider moved to adjourn the meeting. Berges second, carried.

Ronald Berges, Pro-Tem Chairman

Christy M. Beckman, Clerk to the Board