

Minutes for October 26, 2020
Cherokee County Commission
Cherokee County Kansas

Commissioner Frazier called the regular session of the Cherokee County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Monday October 26, 2020 in room #34 of the Cherokee County Courthouse located at 110 West Maple, Columbus, Kansas. County Clerk, Kyle Rennie opened with Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Commissioners Myra Frazier, Neal Anderson, Cory Moates, County Counselor, Barbara Wright, and County Clerk, Kyle Rennie were present. Larry Hiatt member of the Press was also present.

Commissioner Anderson moved to accept and approve the October 19, 2020 minutes as presented. Commissioner Moates 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Road & Bridge Supervisor, Leonard Vanatta reported on county road business including the cost of renting a track hoe by the day, week or month.

Commissioner Moates moved to reimburse Matt Lafada \$220 for damage to a basketball goal in Riverton. Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Discussion was held concerning County Lot Christmas party.

John Houser, Ruth Hale, Marion Atkinson, and John Epler, Board members of Rural Water District #3 appeared before the Commission asking for consideration to make up the difference of the amount of the expenses of replacing the water main that was damaged during the recent track hoe accident at Cherry Creek in late August, of 2020. THE BOARD is taking it under advisement.

Commissioner Moates moved to adopt resolution 26-2020 a resolution requiring county residents to apply in writing and to pay a \$200 fee to vacate county roads, streets, and allies, \$100 of the \$200 would be reimbursed to the applicant if THE COMMISSIONERS deny the request to vacate said road, street or, alley. Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Commissioner Frazier moved to reimburse K Camp \$1225 for legal fees in case number PPSU2019011780. Commissioner Moates 2nd, motion passed. 3-0.

Commissioner Moates moved to approve the Baxter Springs Police Chief's request for permission to install a light bar on Seth Brown's 2005 Lincoln Navigator to be used by the Baxter Police and Fire Department. Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Commissioner Frazier Moved to allocate \$3340 for 1 business and food pantries from the CDBG funds. Commissioner Moates 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Commissioner Moates moved to adjourn until the next regular session November 2nd 2020, Commissioner Anderson 2nd the motion, motion passed 3-0. Meeting adjourned at 11:23.