

Gove County Commissioner Meeting Minutes 4/5/2021-Approved

The regular meeting of the Gove County Commissioners was called to order at 8:15 a.m. at the Gove County Office Building. Member's present were Mike Gillespie, Chuck Kuntz, and Duane Vollbracht. Bonnie Cook was present taking minutes.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Duane made a motion to approve the agenda. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Dave Mendenhall, Denise Wolf and Ron Inloes joined the meeting at 8:57 a.m. Denise gave the commissioners the voucher summary. Denise gave the commissioners the proposal from Venture Corporation for laying black top. Greg Thomas with the City of Quinter joined the meeting at 9:05 a.m. Chuck made a motion to approve Venture Corporation proposal. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Greg gave the commissioners a proposal from QMC for the project on the south side of old 40 between Grant and Gove St. Duane made a motion to approve the QMC proposal. Chuck second the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Greg Thomas left the meeting at 9:19 a.m. David also reported on the bridges that they will be working on. David, Denise, and Ron left the meeting at 9:28 a.m.

Matt Wolf joined the meeting at 9:37 a.m. Matt talked to the commissioners about spraying. Matt gave the commissioners a quote on recycle trailers. Chuck made a motion to approve the purchase of recycle trailers. Duane seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. The total project price is \$27,065.00 with a county match of \$9,022 – the rest funded by a KDHE grant Matt left the meeting at 10:10 a.m.

Jerry Gallentine and Marvin Haldeman joined the meeting at 10:14 a.m. Jerry and Marvin talked with the commissioners about getting an additional software with Jayhawk for solid waste. Cheri Remington joined the meeting at 10:23 a.m. Marvin, Jerry and Cheri discussed how the use of the credit cards will work. Commissioners called Laura at The Bank to see how this would work on credit cards at 10:35 a.m. Chuck made a motion to approve Jayhawk software to accept credit card payments for solid waste. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Marvin, Jerry, and Cheri left the meeting at 10:48 a.m.

David Caudill and Andrea Hargitt joined the meeting at 10:53 a.m. David talked with the commissioner about the airport. David asked for an executive session for 15 minutes 11:00 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. to discuss data relating to financial affairs. Mike made a motion to go into executive session. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. David and Andrea left the meeting at 11:18 a.m.

Mark Schmeidler joined the meeting at 11:17 a.m. Roger Wilson joined the meeting at 11:17 a.m. Mark gave the commissioners the real estate purchase agreement for two acres at the west side of landfill to look over.

Shawn Mesch joined the meeting at 11:25 a.m. Shawn told the commissioner about problems with cattle south of Gove City. Roger Wilson left the meeting at 12:00 p.m.

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Matt Wolf joined the meeting at 12:00 p.m. Duane made a motion to purchase two acres at the west side of landfill. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Mike made a motion to recess for lunch. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. The commissioners returned from lunch at 1:10 p.m. Mike made a motion to approve accounts payable checks from 67010 thru 67063. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Duane made a motion to go into executive for 5 minutes 1:35 p.m. to 1:40 p.m. for consultation with an attorney. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Duane made a motion to go into executive session for 10 minutes from 1:50 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. for consultation with an attorney . Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.


Mike made a motion to approve two Accounts Payable checks 67064 and 67065. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Chuck made a motion to go into executive session to discuss data relating to financial affairs. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Chuck made a motion to adjourn at 2:49. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Bonnie Cook Gove County Clerk



Michael Gillespie, Chairman



Charles Kuntz, Member



Duane Vollbracht, Member

