

## Gove County Commissioner Meeting Minutes 6-13-2022 / **Approved**

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

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

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

Daryl Remington and Cheri Remington joined the meeting at 8:20 am. Daryl asked for an executive session. Mike made a motion to go into executive session for 10 minutes for non-elected personnel from 8:20 through 8:30 am. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Daryl left the meeting at 8:45 am. Cheri talked with the commissioners about fuel. Cheri left the meeting at 9:00 am.

Ron Inloes and Denise Wolf joined the meeting at 9:00 am. Denise gave the commissioners the accounts payable report. Ron talked to the Commissioners about graders. Mike made a motion to appoint Jim Powers and Roy Litfin to Region 1 emergency medical services council appointments. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Jason Zerr joined the meeting at 9:27 am. Jason talked to the Commissioners about county roads. Ron, Denise and Jason left the meeting at 9:46 am.

Brock Maier joined the meeting at 9:47 am. Brock talked to the Commissioners about what has been sprayed in the county. Brock left the meeting at 9:58 am. Matt Wolf joined the meeting at 9:58 am. Matt talked to the Commissioners about recycling and what was being done at the landfill. Matt left the meeting at 10:19 am.

Emily Murrow joined the meeting at 10:22 am. Emily talked to the Commissioners about computers for the Appraisers office. Emily left the meeting at 10:54 am.

Tawnya Rohr and Judy Nelson with the Senior Companion Program joined the meeting at 11:00 am. Tawnya talked with the Commissioners about what the Senior Companion Program offers to Gove County. Chuck made a motion to support the Senior Companion Program of \$2000.00. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Tawnya and Judy left the meeting at 11:15 am.

Chuck made a motion to approve Accounts Payable checks from 68806 through 68855. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Duane made a motion to approve the Gove County Medical Center Proposed 2023 budget. Mike seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Mark Schmeidler joined the meeting at 11:30 am. Chuck made a motion to recess for lunch at 12:00 pm. Duane seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

The Commissioners returned from lunch at 1:05 pm.

Shawn Mesch and Mike Haase joined the meeting at 1:10 pm. Shawn asked to go into executive session for 10 minutes. Mike made a motion to go into executive session for non-elected personnel from 1:10 pm through 1:20 pm. Duane seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. Shawn and Mike left the meeting at 1:28 pm.


Cheri Remington and Emily Murrow joined the meeting at 2:22 pm. Cheri and Emily talked to the Commissioners about property taxes. Emily left the meeting 2:33 pm. Cheri left the meeting at 2:40 pm. Mike made a motion to open a fund 122 Gove County Airport department 90. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

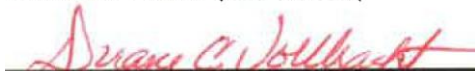
The commissioners are going to give a stipend compensation for the employees that drive their own personal cars to work. The Commissioners called Ethan Cox to discuss with him about the sealed bid he provided for the bid letting. Duane made a motion to accept Ethan Cox bid for the landfill's fence. The Commissioners informed Ethan that they are accepting his bid. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

Chuck made a motion to approve the amended minutes. Duane seconded the motion. The motion carried by unanimous vote. The Commissioners discussed removal of the collapsed carport. Duane made a motion to declare the carport as surplus property and disposed of. The commissioners called Brandon Heier about the 4-H/fairgrounds. The call ended at 4:38 pm. Mike made a motion to adjourn at 4:40 pm. Chuck seconded the motion. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

**Bonnie Cook Gove County Clerk**

  
**Michael Gillespie, Chairman**

  
**Charles Kuntz, Member**

  
**Duane Vollbracht, Member**