

MINUTES OF
BOARD OF HARVEY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

October 10, 2016

The Board of Harvey County Commissioners met in regular session on October 10, 2016 with all three commissioners present. Chairman Westfall called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

ITEMS ADDED TO AGENDA:

1. Commissioner Krehbiel reported that he attended the meeting last week regarding the proposed expansion of the Equus Beds Groundwater Management District No. 2 (GMD No. 2) boundaries. He stated that it was reported that the Equus Beds aquifer is currently full. He also heard an update on the status of the Burrton plume.
2. Commissioner Westfall reported that he was contacted by a county resident on N. Woodlawn who mows their own ditches and expressed appreciation that the county mower operator does a good job of skipping his ditch by going around it and not leaving tracks and ruts through it.

CALENDAR ITEMS:

1. The Council of Governments meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 12 at 7 a.m. at the Breadbasket.
2. The REAP meeting scheduled for Thursday, October 13 has been cancelled.
3. The Farm Bureau dinner is scheduled for October 17 at 6:00 p.m. at The Barn in Burrton.

Minutes of the October 3 Commission regular meeting were approved upon a motion by Commissioner Hague, seconded by Commissioner Krehbiel. Motion passed unanimously. Minutes of the October 4 Commission special meeting were approved upon a motion by Commissioner Hague, seconded by Commissioner Krehbiel. Motion passed unanimously.

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS:

1. John Waltner, Administrator, presented a Thank You card from Kass Miller and his family thanking the commission for sending a floral arrangement for his mother's funeral.
2. Kass Miller, Parks Director, stated that some of the sealing work on the West Park bathhouse has been completed.
3. Greg Nye, County Counselor, stated that KSA 19-211 contains the rules for scheduling an election if a petition protesting the resolution to authorize the sale of Camp Hawk is presented and verified. He reported that a petition has been submitted and approved for circulation; the petition would need to be submitted by November 7, 2016 and have 422 verified signatures. He stated that the statute allows for a special election to be held within 45 days of verification by the County Clerk or placing the question on the ballot of the next General Election which would be held in November 2017. He recommends placing the question on the ballot of the November 2017 General Election if the petition is successfully circulated, submitted and verified. Commissioner Westfall proposed cancelling the resolution, but place a question on the November 2017 ballot regarding the sale or future funding of Camp Hawk. Greg will research the statutes regarding the

commission placing a question on the ballot. Kass suggested implementing park activity fees and/or disc golf usage fees. He will research what other parks in the area charge and report to the commission.

CITIZENS FORUM:

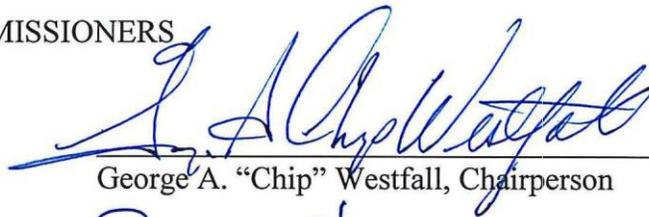
There were no items presented during Citizen's Forum.

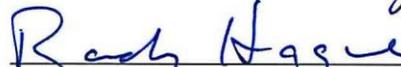
Warrant checks in the amount of \$135,350.34 were approved upon a motion by Commissioner Krehbiel, seconded by Commissioner Hague. Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 a.m.

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George A. "Chip" Westfall, Chairperson


Randy Hague, Member


Ron Krehbiel, Member

ATTEST:


Rick Piepho, County Clerk