

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS
May 2, 2016

The Jewell County Commissioners met May 2, 2016 at 8:30 a.m. with Commissioners, Steve Greene, Mark Fleming and Dwight S. Frost present. Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk was also present.

The minutes of the April 25, 2016 County Commissioners meeting were approved as printed.

Travis Garst, Solid Waste Director, provided an update on the operations of the Transfer Station and Landfill. He reviewed the monthly activity report for April.

Mel Brown, Jewell County's Representative on the Pawnee Health Services Board, had the Proclamation for May as Mental Health Month. Dwight S. Frost moved and Mark Fleming seconded that the proper officer sign the Proclamation for May as Mental Health Month. Motion passed unanimously.

Steve Greene moved to waive the county nepotism policy for the hiring of Mary Ann Meier in the Health Department. Dwight S. Frost seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

The Commissioners reviewed the Auditor's adjusting journal entries for year ending December 31, 2015. Steve Greene moved to approve the adjusting journal entries for 2015 as printed. Mark Fleming seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Don Jacobs, Sheriff, reported on taking back prescription drugs on Saturday. The drawing for the SAFE program was last Friday. He discussed replacing a patrol car with a 4 wheel drive vehicle. Don said the exhaust fans in the jail have been repaired.

Joel Elkins, General Superintendent, reported on road & bridge maintenance. The Commissioners reported road concerns.

The Commissioners discussed emergency vehicle permits with Shannon Meier and Don Jacobs.

Steve Greene moved to approve the agreement with Anytime Lab Testing, Inc. for the drug testing program for county employees. Mark Fleming seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

The Commissioners and County Clerk left at 9:50 a.m. to attend Senator Pat Roberts Town Hall Meeting at the Mankato Community Center. They returned at 11:10 a.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Mark Fleming, Member

Steve Greene, Chairman

Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk

Dwight S. Frost, Member