

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

June 11, 2018

The Jewell County Commissioners met June 11, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. Commissioners, Keith Roe, Steve Greene and Mark Fleming were present. Carla J Waugh, County Clerk, was present for the meeting.

The minutes of the May 29, 2018 County Commissioners meetings were approved.

The minutes of the June 4, 2018 County Commissioners meetings were approved.

Don Jacobs, Sheriff, discussed budget and operations. The Commissioners, Don Jacobs, Sheriff and Chris Petet, Custodian, telephoned Danny Hanson, Quality Heating and Cooling LLC, to confirm the original bid price of \$7205.00 from bid dated March 2, 2018 will still be honored for the mini split heating and cooling system in the Sheriff's office. Danny Hanson agreed that it would be honored.

Chris Petet, Custodian, discussed maintenance projects.

Carla J Waugh, County Clerk, discussed budgets, withholding tax and the Affordable Care Act.

Joel Elkins, General Superintendent, discussed current road projects and personnel. The Commissioners discussed road concerns. They advised Joel Elkins that due to the amount of telephone calls against the closing of U Road that it will not be considered.

Charles Davis inquired on behalf of Glenn Wyatt about closing U Road east of 170 Road. Mark Fleming said that based on several phone calls against the closing that the Commissioners decided not to consider it at all. Following the discussion Mr. Davis announced his intention to put a locked gate at the end of road. The Commissioners, County Clerk and Joel Elkins advised Mr. Davis not to put a locked gate at the end of the road.

Jenny Russell, Jewell County Community Development, introduced Jaid Runft and Erinn Engle, Summer Interns for Jewell County Community Development and Health 365 Coalition through the generous support of the Dane G. Hansen program. Jenny Russell discussed adopting a new resolution each year for the Rural Opportunity Zone program and continue funding the program with available funds.

Keith Roe left the meeting at 10:10 a.m. to attend a funeral.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:50 a.m. to attend the Multi-County meeting hosted by Mitchell County Commissioners at Plum Creek Restaurant. Jewell, Mitchell, Osborne and Smith Counties were present for the meeting. Mitchell County discussed courthouse renovations and tax credits available through the Kansas State Historical Society. Osborne County discussed forming a fire district that includes two townships in Osborne County, one township in each Jewell and Smith Counties. Smith County said they will be celebrating the Courthouse as it was built in 1918. The group discussed grants. The next meeting will be hosted by Osborne County on September 10th.

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Mark Fleming, Member

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Keith Roe, Chairman

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Carla J Waugh, County Clerk

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Steve Greene, Member