

Osage County Commission Meeting Minutes
October 04, 2022
8:30 am

Meeting called to order by: Presiding Commissioner Darryl Griffin
Eastern District Commissioner John Trenshaw-ABSENT
Western District Commissioner Larry Kliethermes
Media – HB Dodds

Commission Clerk – Brooke Dudenhoeffer

Present for all or part of the meeting: Ron Kempker, Kandiss Hoffman, Ron Hoffman, Cody Hoelscher, Crystal Limberg

Approval of the Agenda and Minutes:

-Commissioner Griffin asked for a motion for approval of today's agenda, the meeting minutes for September 29, 2022 along with both CLOSED meeting minutes for September 20, 2022 (8:45am and 9:45am). Commissioner Kliethermes made a motion to approve today's agenda and the previous meeting minutes, seconded by Commissioner Griffin. Commissioner Griffin asked all in favor say aye. Commissioner Kliethermes and Commissioner Griffin all stated aye. All opposed, none. Commissioner Trenshaw was ABSENT for the meeting.

Meetings:

- October 10, 2022 ALL county offices CLOSED in observation of Columbus Day
- October 13, 2022 MRDC Dinner
- October 13, 2022 8:00 am-1:30 pm West Central Commission Meeting in Sedalia
- October 18, 2022 9:30am MRPC Meeting
- October 27, 2022 12:30pm- 3:00pmLTAP
- November 15, 2022 Ameren Meeting- discuss LOA

Bills, Notes and Communication:

- Commissioner Griffin noted that the Osage County Treasurer, Tim Neuner has passed away. The commission took a moment of silence.
- When the commissioners voted to give the county employees an Essential Worker Pay, due to extended research, elected officials do not qualify for the bonus. Commission Clerk will email the county staff but any questions can be directed to the commissioners.
- Commissioners reviewed bills. Commissioner Kliethermes made a motion to approve and pay bills, seconded by Commissioner Griffin. Commissioner Griffin asked all in favor say aye. Commissioner Kliethermes and Commissioner Griffin all stated aye. All opposed, none.
- Commissioners viewed the Clerk's monthly income report.

Road and Bridge

- Kempker provided the total costs for asphalted roads for the commission, per their request.
- Kempker notified the commission that the two companies for a new grader have been in contact with him. The commission would like for Commissioner Trenshaw to be here to vote. Voting deadline would be October 13th but the commission would like to decide by the 11th.
- Griffin asked how the new employee was working and Kempker said he is working out well. Kempker has another applicant that he will be getting ahold of and an interview set up with.
- Kempker provided photos of the Bonnots Mill culvert that was recently cleared by Kempker and his crew.

911:

- Ron Hoffman introduced his new staff members to the commission.
- Hoffman has a memo of understanding with Belle for dispatching. Right now, it is a trial, but Belle would have to provide the phone system. Commissioner Griffin encourages Hoffman to look at increasing his agreement prices due to increase in costs.
- Hoffman said road signs are being replaced as needed.

Health Dept:

- Kandiss came in place of Kim as she is out of the office today. Kandiss told the commissioners that they gave 18 COVID shots this last week. Flu shots are available along with the high dose for ages 65+. The Health Dept gave 193 flu shots in total.
- Saturdays clinic was very successful with lots of WIC participants and vaccines.

-Kandiss Hoffman was tasked to see if the commission knew if there are any kind of ordinance against to many electronic signs being on Main Street. The commission is unaware of any but encourages the health department to contact the city and ask.

-The county van has decals now!

-Food ordinance is being updated then sent to Amanda Grellner.

Adjournment:

-The commission meeting adjourned at 10:33 am. Commissioner Griffin asked for a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Kliethermes made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Griffin. Commissioner Griffin asked all in favor say aye. Commissioner Kliethermes and Commissioner Griffin all stated aye. All opposed, none



Darryl Griffin
Presiding Commissioner