

Osage County Commission Meeting Minutes

February 28, 2023

8:30 am

Meeting called to order by: Presiding Commissioner Darryl Griffin
Eastern District Commissioner John Trenshaw
Western District Commissioner Larry Kliethermes (ABSENT)
Media – HB Dodds
Commission Clerk – Brooke Dudenhoeffer
Present for all or part of the meeting: Ron Kempker, Sheriff Bonham, Mike Gorrell

Approval of the Agenda and Minutes:

-Commissioner Griffin asked for a motion for approval of today's agenda the meeting minutes for February 23, 2023 and CLOSED meeting dated February 23, 2023. Commissioner Trenshaw 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 Trenshaw and Commissioner Griffin all stated aye. All opposed, none.

Meetings:

-March 2, 2023 NO MEETING
-March 3, 2023 1:00pm Commission Meeting
-March 14, 2023 9:15am Department update meeting

Bills, Notes and Communication:

-Commissioner Trenshaw made a motion to enter into the Maintenance agreement for the courthouse audio and recording system in amount of \$1,250.00 on an annual basis, seconded by Commissioner Griffin. Commissioner Griffin asked all in favor say aye. Commissioner Trenshaw and Commissioner Griffin all stated aye. All opposed, none.
-Commissioner Griffin notified the audience that the Pentecostal Bridge trial has been postponed and reset for a tentative date of June 26, 2023.
-Commissioners Reviewed timesheets. Commissioner Trenshaw made a motion to pay time sheets, seconded by Commissioner Griffin. Commissioner Griffin asked all in favor say aye. Commissioner Trenshaw and Commissioner Griffin all stated aye. All opposed, none.
-Commissioners signed Liability Checks.
-Commissioners signed the collectors Personal and Real Estate Deletions, Additions and Supplementals for January 2023.

Road and Bridge

-Ron Kempker handed out the road report for February 21-27, 2023. Kempker had Mike Gorrell with him at the meeting. Kempker looked at the water leak on county road 425 down the ditch line and under the road. The road is still solid but Kempker plans to keep an eye on it.
-Whipper 41 was serviced recently and placed in Chamois now.
-Tractor 51 was derated due to a dif sensor issue. Sensor was replaced and the tractor seems to be working as normal.

Sheriff:

-Sheriff Bonham noted that he is working on some high-profile cases. One of them being a child abuse involving rape and sodomy. There is a lead and warrant out for arrest.

Adjournment:

-The commission meeting adjourned at 8:56 am. Commissioner Griffin asked for a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Trenshaw made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Commissioner Griffin. Commissioner Griffin asked all in favor say aye. Commissioner Trenshaw and Commissioner Griffin all stated aye. All opposed, none


Darryl Griffin
Presiding Commissioner

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