

# Osage County Commission Meeting Minutes

April 21, 2020

Meeting called to order by Presiding Commissioner Darryl Griffin at 8:30 AM

District 1 Commissioner John Glavin present

District 2 Commissioner Larry Kliethermes present

Media – HB Dodds

Front Desk Clerk –

Present for all or part of the meeting: Ron Kempker

## Approval of the Agenda and Minutes:

Commissioner Griffin asked for a motion for approval of today's agenda and meeting minutes from April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Commissioner Kliethermes made a motion to approve the agenda and the meeting minutes. Commissioner Glavin seconded the motion. A roll call vote was then taken. Commissioner Griffin asked "Commissioner Glavin how do you vote?" Commissioner Glavin responded "yes." Griffin asked "Commissioner Kliethermes how do you vote?" Commissioner Kliethermes responded "yes." Griffin asked "Commissioner Griffin how do you vote?" Commissioner Griffin responded "yes."

## Bills, Notes and Communication:

### Meetings:

-General Municipal Election – June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020 the deadline to apply for an absentee ballot is May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020

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### Road and Bridge:

-Foreman Ron Kempker gave the commission the road report for April 14<sup>th</sup>-April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020. Kempker said not as much rock hauling on the roads, working on box culvert on CR423, CR319 and CR317 slab and the bank erosion on CR313. Progressing on work, helps not having as much traffic on the roads. Doing patch work today. CR521 in Koeltztown, working also in Loose Creek. Getting major potholes and addressing them as we can.

-Ron Kempker asked if the commission had the signed documents back from Westphalia yet? Commissioner Griffin said we are waiting for it to be signed and back from the attorney. They are not meeting right now due to the virus. Will get you a copy when it comes back. Kempker said it will take time to schedule in due to asphalt and personnel.

-Commissioner Kliethermes provided a copy for discussion of the changing pipes and driveway culverts for review. Ron Kempker said where it is stated about driveway culverts it says landowner to purchase culvert size pipe and deliver to road and bridge shed. Would like to add with proof of purchase. This way we know its not stolen. Also, steel pipe option must ask commission for approval. Commissioner Glavin said you have cross pipes in here also. Commissioner Kliethermes said he took this from what we have. Commissioner Glavin said you can have drive pipes over 36 inches. Pipe needs to be replaced due to normal deterioration. What if someone drives over it? Crushed is not normal. Commissioner Kliethermes asked Commissioner Glavin are you saying take out the pipe needs to be replaced due to deterioration? Commissioner Glavin said yes, have it say if the pipe needs replaced it's the responsibility of the landowner. Commissioner Kliethermes said I agree there. If we run our grader over and shear it its our responsibility not theirs. Commissioner Glavin said how would we know? They could damage it and say its us. For the study it says the pipe should be 24 inches and 14 gauge. Who's going to pay for the study? We are going to get questions. Commissioner Kliethermes said we've never had that happen before. Commissioner Glavin said its going to come up. Commissioner Kliethermes said go back through the manual and get more input. Will check the hydraulic studies and add proof of purchase.

-Commissioner Glavin said CR623 slab Steve doesn't want slab or bridge. The slab is 12ft wide and trailer tires are 12ft wide. Gets 3 loads across that a day. Can we add onto the slab? Ron Kempker asked which one? Commissioner Glavin said CR623 by Steve Moorfield's. Don't think too much of an issue to add on. Will go back and look at. Has a lot of product on trailers and hauls hazmat.

-Commissioner Glavin said CR275 there is a hill that's pretty bad. Cannot take a car up it without tearing it up. Pretty bad near Eddie Schneider's needs gravel put on it, too deep needs base its loose.

-Commissioner Glavin said CR313 good job on the CR312 section. Harold Dudenhoefter does not like the crossing where you fixed it. Its loose material and if the rise comes up it's gone.

-Commissioner Glavin said CR235 needs slab repair plastic pipe.

-Ron Kempker had the commission sign the credit application for MHC in Columbia, MO. They deliver parts for equipment. This is just to get credit going and open account.

-Commissioner Glavin said CR317 slab needs rock near Gary Brandts.

-Commissioner Glavin said the stake on CR319 is not a survey marker. Hole washed out and a guy put a marker. Not sure if fixed.

### Health Department:

-Susan Long came in to give an update. Susan said the 4<sup>th</sup> case was retested and still showing positive. Received a new case last night. They are fielding Facebook comments on reopening the county. The numbers are still climbing. I will bring up a new order to match the governors order on Thursday. Checking with stores and daycares to make sure they have sanitizer. We are having more tick illnesses.

Commissioner Griffin said no dog bites? Long said no surprisingly, seems to have calmed down. Long said she is continuing to watch funding but nothing yet is for public health. Will be turning in extra time to FEMA or SEMA. With looking at a vaccine I will need staff for the entire county. Commissioner Griffin said the order would be rewritten and ready to sign on Thursday? Long said yes, she will get with Amanda on that.

**Old Business:**

-Commissioner Griffin got a call from Ms. Luebbert in Loose Creek for the trash pickup. Would like to do on Thursday or Friday this week. Ron said he can furnish the bags and signs. Ron Kempker said they are doing a good deed and there's no problem dropping off for them. Commissioner Griffin said that Ms. Luebbert was concerned with pick up of bags so people do not run over them and scatter everywhere.

-Commissioner Glavin asked Kempker is he knew about the brush on Shawnee Creek, its been there for 2 weeks. Kempker said yes. Glavin said the owner is concerned for property damage, if it's not taken care of, we would need to replace the fence. Kempker said he was not sure what to do with it. They are not the facility. Glavin said to take it across the creek and burn it. Commissioner Griffin said he thought originally the owner said they would take care of it. Glavin said no, the contractor was to take care of it. Griffin asked if we could burn on their property. Glavin said he would have to call and ask.

**New Business:**

**Public Comments:**

**Adjournment:**

-With no further business, the commission meeting adjourned at 9:13 am. Commissioner Glavin made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Kliethermes. A roll call vote was taken. Commissioner Griffin asked "Commissioner Glavin how do you vote?" Commissioner Glavin responded "yes." Griffin asked "Commissioner Kliethermes how do you vote?" Commissioner Kliethermes responded "yes." Griffin asked "Commissioner Griffin how do you vote?" Commissioner Griffin responded "yes."

  
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Presiding Commissioner