

LYON COUNTY COMMISSION MINUTES
APRIL 11, 2024

The Board of Lyon County Commissioners met in Action Session at 9:00 a.m. in the Commission Chambers with the following people in attendance:

Rollie Martin, Chairman
Ken Duft, Commissioner
Molly Priest, County Counselor
Vici Smith, Public Relations

Doug Peck, Vice Chairman
Tammy Vopat, County Clerk
Dan Williams, County Controller

Others attending the meeting:
Alicia Rumold, H.R. Director
Roxy Van Gundy, LCECC Director
Michelle Havens, LCECC
Spenser Quintero, LCECC
Chip Woods, County Engineer
Matt Baysinger, Road & Bridge

Shayla Gaulding, Gazette Reporter
Joel Obando, LCECC
Crystal Marcotte, LCECC
Ron Buckridge, LCECC
Jim Brull, Road & Bridge
Seth Snyder, Road & Bridge

Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance

Motion: To Approve the Agenda as presented. Martin/Duft 3-0

Motion: To Approve the Minutes of the 4-4-24 meeting. Duft/Peck 3-0

Motion: To Approve Warrants Payable 4-12-2024 in the amount of \$1,028,644.43. Peck/Martin 3-0

Motion: To Approve Payroll Payable 4-12-2024 in the amount of \$344,469.84. Martin/Duft 3-0

Motion: To Approve Payroll Withholdings Payable 4-12-2024 in the amount of \$255,108.76.
Martin/Peck 3-0

Appointments: no action taken.

Commissioners discussed a proclamation for ECKAN.

Motion: To Proclaim the ECKAN Community Action 60th Anniversary and May 2024 Community Action Month. Duft/Peck 3-0

Personnel changes: no action taken.

Permits: no action taken.

Roxy Van Gundy presented Commissioners with a request to consider a proclamation for the National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week.

Motion: To Proclaim National Public Safety Telecommunicator Week April 14th – 20th, 2024, in Lyon County, Kansas. Duft/Peck 3-0

Motion: To move to Non-Elected Personnel Executive Session for confidential data with Commissioners, Chip Woods, Jim Brull, Matt Baysinger, Dan Williams, and Alicia Rumold to return at 9:45 a.m.

Martin/Peck 3-0

Meeting reconvened at 9:50 a.m.

Public comment: no one present.

Reports

Commissioner Martin:

- Attended the Lyon County Extension Board meeting.
- Next week is the meeting with Jim Witt.
- ESU Groundbreaking ceremony is April 24th.

Commissioner Peck:

- RDA meeting is tomorrow.

Commissioner Duft:

- Attended the LEPC meeting.
- Attended RDA Task Force meeting.
- Viewed a road east of town.
- Attended the Fair Board meeting and Citizens Academy.
- Tomorrow is the Ignite Emporia meeting.

Clerk Vopat:

- Deputy Clerk Amie Jackson and I attended the Sanborn training session in Manhattan last week. We had a record attendance of 85, and the conference was a great training opportunity.
- Congratulations Shayla Gaulding on Journalist of the Year Award.

Counselor Priest:

- RDA meeting is tomorrow.

Controller Williams:

- RDA meeting.
- Attended the Fair Board meeting.
- Meeting with City of Emporia officials.

Motion: To move to Legal Executive Session for confidential data with Commissioners, Controller Williams, and Counselor Priest, to return at 10:40 a.m.

Martin/Duft 3-0

Meeting reconvened at 10:40 a.m.

Motion: To Adjourn.

Martin/Duft 3-0

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There being no further business before the Board, the next Action Session will take place on April 18, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. in the Commission Chambers.

Attest:

Affirm:

Tammy Vopat
Lyon County Master Clerk

Rollie Martin, Chairman
Lyon County Commission