

Minutes for December 7, 2020
Cherokee County Commissioners' Meeting
Cherokee County, Kansas

Chairwoman Frazier called the Cherokee County Commissioners to order into regular session at 9:00 a.m. Monday December 7, 2020 in room #34 of the Cherokee County Courthouse located at 110 West Maple, Columbus, Kansas. Commissioner Anderson opened with Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States of America.

Commissioners Myra Frazier, Neal Anderson, Cory Moates, County Counselor Barbara Wright, and County Clerk Kyle Rennie were in attendance. Larry Hiatt reporter and owner of the Columbus News Report present. 2nd District Commissioner Elect, Lorie Johnson, was also present.

Commissioner Moates moved to accept and approve for publication the November 30, 2020 Cherokee County Commission Minutes. Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Commissioner Frazier moved to hire Jimmy Amiott starting at \$17 hourly as a diesel mechanic. Commissioner Moates 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Commissioner Frazier moved to transfer John Kloer to a grader operator from a truck driver. Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

County Health Department Director Betha Elliot updated the Commission on the latest CDC quarantine guidelines.

Commissioner Frazier moved to accept and approve new rates for the Riverton Sewer District. Commissioner Moates 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Commissioner Frazier moved to adopt Resolution 28-2020 increasing Riverton Sewer District rates to fund operations and debt service. Commissioner Moates 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Ralph Houser Courthouse Maintenance Director introduced Clint Womeldorff with Mid Continental Restorations Co. Inc. to explain in detail a proposed bid for restoration work on the North and West sides of the courthouse.

Commissioner Frazier moved to take a 15-minute break at 10:27 and to reconvene at 10:42. Commissioner Moates 2nd, motion passed 3-0. Meeting reconvened at 10:42

Commissioner Moates moved to purchase 160 gift cards for the county employees excluding the commissioners in the amount of \$50 to come out of the Benefits Budget. Commissioner Anderson 2nd the motion, motion passed 3-0.

Janet Miller addressed the Commission asking to award Don Juan's Mexican Restaurant LLC a \$5000 CDBG-CV Business Grant.

Commissioner Frazier moved to award Don Juan's Mexican Restaurant LLC the \$5000 CBDG Business Grant. Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

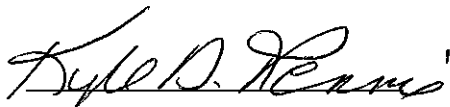
Commissioner Frazier moved to request funds from the State of Kansas for all the previous CDBG-CV Grant Applicants that have been awarded their application request. Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed 3-0.

Discussion was made concerning 1099 forms being mailed to CBDG Grant recipients.

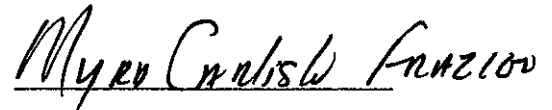
Commissioner Frazier Moved to adjourn until the next regular session December 14, 2020.

Commissioner Anderson 2nd, motion passed.3-0. Meeting adjourned at 11:12.

ATTEST: Resolved and ordered this December 14, 2020



County Clerk



Commissioner



Commissioner



Commissioner