

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS  
CLOUD COUNTY, KANSAS  
JULY 24, 2023  
OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Regular session of the July meetings of the Cloud County Board of Commissioners was called to order at 9:00 a.m. on July 24, 2023 in the Commissioners' room at 811 Washington, Concordia, Kansas with Chairman Gary Caspers, Members Michael Cleveland and Ron Copple, and Deputy County Clerk Cathy Davis present.

County staff attending was: Andy Asch, Highway Administrator; Mike Hake, Solid Waste Director; James Quillen, Emergency Preparedness Director; and Dawn Snyder, Assistant Director Community Corrections/Juvenile Services.

Others attending: Toby Nosker, KNCK.

Mike Hake, Solid Waste Director discussed the rental agreement for the farm ground at the Transfer Station and bird problems at the Recycle Center. Presented a wage change for Calvin Mendenhall/Recycling due to his 6-month introductory period being over.

On a motion by Commissioner Copple, second by Commissioner Cleveland, unanimous vote the Board approved wage change for Calvin Mendenhall/Recycling from \$14.50 to \$16.00, due to his 6-month introductory period being over, effective July 24, 2023.

Dawn Snyder, Assistant Director Community Corrections/Juvenile Services discussed Year End Adult and Juvenile Outcome Reports and FY24 Adult and Juvenile Carryover Reimbursement Budget Summaries.

On a motion by Commissioner Cleveland, second by Commissioner Copple, unanimous vote the Board approved signing the Year End Adult and Juvenile Outcome Reports.

On a motion by Commissioner Copple, second by Commissioner Cleveland, unanimous vote the Board approved signing the FY24 Adult and Juvenile Carryover Reimbursement Budget Summaries.

Andy Asch, Highway Administrator discussed routine road & bridge matters and is closing 190<sup>th</sup> Rd (UP Rd N of #9), for an estimated 1 or 2 weeks.

James Quillen, Emergency Preparedness Director discussed the EMPG Grant Application renewal; on Tuesday, August 8 he is holding a Table Top Active Shooter Exercise, at the Courthouse, and on Tuesday, September 12 an Incident Command System Overview for Executives & Senior Officials, at the Courthouse.

On a motion by Commissioner Copple, second by Commissioner Cleveland, unanimous vote the Board approved signing the EMPG Grant Application renewal.

The Board approved the following payroll expenses totaling \$174,199.36

General Fund – \$95,751.50	Road & Bridge - \$43,972.18
Appraiser - \$4,594.94	County Health - \$20,107.59
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Solid Waste - \$6,266.57	

Payroll Deductions & Benefits - \$156,036.12

The above expense detail is available at the County Clerk’s office and the Clerk’s Public Records webpage.

The Board signed Letters of Support for Cunningham Telephone & Cable; BAG – Round 3 Application 2023, and for the North Central Regional Planning Commission.

On a motion by Commissioner Cleveland, second by Commissioner Copple, unanimous vote the Board approved the July 17, 2023 minutes as presented.

On a motion by Commissioner Copple, second by Commissioner Cleveland, unanimous vote the Board adjourned at 10:24 a.m., until Monday July 31, 2023.

Cloud County Board of Commissioners

Attested:

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Gary Caspers, Chairman

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Mike Cleveland, Member

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Cathy Davis, Deputy County Clerk

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Ron Copple, Member