

The Board of Woodson County Commissioners met in a regular business session on January 16, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. with Chairman Yoho, Vice-Chairman Forsyth, Member Weseloh, County Attorney Schlotterbeck and County Clerk Denice Julian.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The Agenda was unanimously approved as printed.

The Minutes of the previous meeting was approved as printed.

County Attorney had nothing to report.

Forsyth made the motion to approve the county warrants to Blue Cross Blue Shield in the amount of \$41,859.22. Weseloh seconded the motion with Yoho making it unanimous.

Sheriff Wayne Faulkner submitted wage approval sheets for new employees for his department.

Forsyth made the motion to approve the wage approval sheet for new dispatcher Rachel Smith and new deputy Samuel Frantz. Weseloh seconded the motion with Yoho making it unanimous.

Road and Bridge Supervisor Dane Onnen met with the Board to submit bids for a used skid steer for the Solid Waste Department. This was tabled until Solid Waste Supervisor L.D. McCormick comes to the table with bids.

Onnen informed the Board that he had three employees worked yesterday to remove snow.

Weseloh informed Onnen about the work needing to be done on the Neosho River which is eroding and needs work done on it and that there is an area that has some illegal dumping outside of Neosho Falls City.

Forsyth asked about if there was a place to go with the rock and broken bricks of the old Toronto School. Onnen said he would find a place to dispose of it.

Discussion was held on the Haas Tower. Weseloh made the motion to table this until more information was obtained. Forsyth seconded the motion with Yoho making it unanimous.

Weseloh asked that letter be put in employees checks informing them that Woodson County Employees are being strongly encouraged to attend the Wolf Creek Reception Center Training at the Rural Fire Barn.

Weseloh asked that Kansas Communication be asked to come back to a meeting on the phone system.

The Board will be reviewing the Employee Handbook on the January 30th meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

Attest: Denice A. Julian
Denice A. Julian, County Clerk

Galen W. Yoho
Galen W. Yoho, Chairman

Trent Forsyth
Trent Forsyth, Vice-Chairman

John Weseloh
John Weseloh, Member