

Labette County Board of Commissioners
September 21, 2020

Convene

Chairman Lonie R. Addis called the special session of the Labette County Board of Commissioners to order at 8:30 a.m. on September 21, 2020 at the Conference Room of the Public Works Building, Altamont Ks.

Attendance: Lonie R. Addis, Present: T. Douglas Allen, Present by phone, in person @ 8:39: Fred E. Vail, Present.

Others Present for the Meeting

Sandy Krider, Ralph George, Mike Myers, Cole Proehl, Brian Kinzie, Tim Peoples, Brad Reams

Media present

Ray Nolting from the Parsons Sun.

Discussion on Public Works

There was extensive discussion concerning equipment needs, and list of priorities of which should be replaced first. The quarry plays a vital role in road maintenance; really need to look at a haul truck and refurbish HL-7 Cat 980G loader. Also need to look at the motorgraders, we need to trade in the newest (4) before they start costing the County lots of money, but we also have another (4) older 770 G's that are in the 16K hour range. There was a brief update on truck rebuilds with pros and cons of each company, cost saving, and the reasoning behind retrofitting one the trucks to include the salt package when it was rebuilt. The mower tractors need to be heavy duty when they are replaced.

County Overweight Permits

Brad Reams and Tim Peoples with Great Plains were in attendance to continue the discussion on increasing the overweight permit from \$100.00 to \$200.00, and transferring the additional \$100.00 to Great Plains.

Discussion consisted of ideas on how best to make sure all the loads are permitted. Sandy Krider raised concerns that the County wasn't in the plant and had no way of knowing, we will need help from someone at the gate either checking or at least asking if they have their County permit before they are loaded. Great Plains agreed to send information and contact the truck line drivers and let them know that a County permit is required. There was discussion on having a resolution drawn up changing the fee amount, and once published any permit money received after that date would be split with Great Plains.

Recessed at 9:56 to travel to County Quarry for tour

Back in session 10:15 toured rock crusher

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Board of Commissioners, the meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. Monday, September 28, 2020.

Attest

Public Works Director, Sandy Krider

Chairman, Lonie R. Addis