

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

September 9, 2019

The Jewell County Commissioners met September 9, 2019 at 8:30 a.m. Commissioners, Steve Greene, Mark Fleming and Keith Roe were present. Carla J Waugh, County Clerk was present for the meeting.

Chris Petet, Custodian, discussed tree removal in the Courthouse yard.

Shannon Meier, Ambulance Director, reviewed the activity report and billing report for August. He reported the Medicaid hearing was dismissed and they paid Jewell County's claim. Shannon discussed Medicaid's new cost report.

Don Jacobs, Sheriff, had a quote from Pierce Electronics for the Emergency Notification System for a total of \$768 which includes \$150 for annual maintenance.

Jamey Fuller called Mark Fleming, he said that the County isn't doing anything to the roads and it has been this way for 2 years.

The minutes of the September 3, 2019 County Commissioners meeting were approved.

Carla Waugh, County Clerk, reviewed the cereal malt beverage license applications for Billy R Foster DBA "The Shed". She received approval from Ionia Township Board. Keith Roe moved and Mark Fleming seconded to approve the cereal malt beverage licenses for Billy R Foster DBA "The Shed" to sell at retail cereal malt beverages for consumption on the premises and to sell at retail cereal malt beverages in original and unopened containers and not for consumption on the premises. Motion passed unanimously.

Greg Flavin telephoned the Commissioner's Office to ask that Joel Elkins look at the road between Atwood's and Simmelink's properties.

Joel Elkins, General Superintendent, discussed road and bridge repairs. The Commissioners reported road concerns.

Darrell Miller, County Attorney, discussed a class action suit concerning the Opioid Epidemic. The firm that contacted Darrell Miller said that twenty Kansas Counties have joined the class action suit to date. Darrell said he also attended the Mankato City Council meeting where a discussion was held on the assisted living project.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:40 a.m. Commissioners Greene and Fleming and County Clerk, Carla Waugh, attended the Multi County meeting hosted by Osborne County at the Osborne VFW. Sherry Koster, Sanitarian, provided financial reports for the period of January through June, 2019. Other topics discussed by the Counties: Routing traffic during accidents, leasing tractors, revitalization program, Opioid Class Action Lawsuit and the status of Smith County's old hospital. Global Medical Response and Air Medical Group provided follow up information on the services they provide. The next Multi County meeting will be hosted by Smith County on December 9th.

Keith Roe, Member

Steve Greene, Chairman

Carla J Waugh, County Clerk

Mark Fleming, Member