

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

July 24, 2023

The Jewell County Commissioners met July 24, 2023, at 8:30 a.m. Commissioners Brent Beck, and Ed Duskie were present. Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk, was present for the meeting.

Cindy Becker, Health Administrator, reported on the following grants: Work Force Development grant \$60,000; Helping Health Department Grow grant; the State Formula grant, Jewell County received \$ 12,000; applied for all hands-on deck for mental health funding; and discussed training for the Medicaid program. Jewell County Health Department was approved for health lab draws with the supplies provided by KDHE. Cindy requested an executive session for 10 minutes to discuss non-elected personnel. Ed Duskie moved, and Brent Beck seconded to go into executive session to discuss non-elected personnel for 10 beginning at 8:37 a.m. with Cindy Becker present. Motion passed. Regular session resumed at 8:47 a.m. with no action taken.

Anthony Wyatt discussed maintenance on the road by his property.

Judge Kevin Phillips, District Magistrate Judge, expressed his concerns that no one has been in the County Attorney's office most of last week. He said someone should be in the office when the Courthouse is open so people can complete their business by the given deadline. Judge Phillips said that when people are unable reach anyone in the Attorney's Office, they go to the District Court Office but those are functions that must be completed by the County Attorney's Office. He said this is an issue from the community prospect. It also puts a burden on other departments needing to complete their jobs.

The minutes of the July 17, 2023, County Commissioners meeting were approved.

Joel Elkins, General Superintendent, discussed maintenance. Ed Duskie discussed mowing along the roads.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:20 a.m.

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Ed Duskie, Member

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Brent Beck, Chairman

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Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk

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Keith Roe, Vice-Chairman