

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

October 9, 2023

The Jewell County Commissioners met October 9, 2023, at 8:30 a.m. Commissioners Brent Beck, Keith Roe, and Ed Duskie were present. Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk, was present for the meeting.

Jeremy Luedke, Undersheriff, discussed repairs to the patrol vehicle. Keith Roe moved to approve the repairs on the 2020 Durango at Jewell Station for a total of \$1488.48. Ed Duskie seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

Brenda Eakins, County Treasurer, requested approval of the bid from Postalocity to mail out the tax statements. Ed Duskie moved, and Keith Roe seconded to approve the bid from Postalocity bid to mail the 2023 tax statements. Motion passed unanimously. Brenda also discussed hiring a part-time person for the Treasurer's Office.

Darren Booth, Theel Insurance representing Freedom Claims, reviewed the proposed medical plan design for BCBS and one for AETNA. He said the plans are managed by Freedom Claims with the employees receiving two cards to present to providers in place of one card currently in use.

Shannon Meier, Ambulance Director, reviewed the monthly activity report and billing report for September. Ed Duskie moved to go into executive session to discuss confidential data relating to financial affairs for 5 minutes beginning at 9:47 a.m. with Shannon Meier present. Keith Roe seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously. Regular session resumed at 9:52 a.m. with Ed Duskie moving to write off \$513.01 for the third quarter 2023 for EMS. Keith Roe seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously. Shannon also discussed responding to the KCAMP Risk Assessment report.

Joel Elkins, General Superintendent, discussed road and bridge maintenance. Joel discussed the KCAMP Risk Assessment report.

The minutes of the October 2, 2023, County Commissioners meeting was approved.

Cindy Becker, Health Department, discussed the KCAMP Risk Assessment report. She also discussed changing the Health Department hours back to regular hours.

Keith Roe left the meeting at 10:38 a.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:48 a.m.

Ed Duskie, Member

Brent Beck, Chairman

Carla J. Waugh, County Clerk

Keith Roe, Vice-Chairman