

**WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS  
OFFICIAL MINUTES**

March 11, 2020

The Board of County Commissioners, three members, and Kris Marple, County Coordinator, met in regular session at 9:00 a.m. in the Commission Room. Rhonda Willard, County Clerk, was absent.

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**CALL TO ORDER:** Commissioner Lair called the meeting to order.

**INVOCATION:** Commissioner Miller gave the invocation.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Commissioner Lair led the flag salute.

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**AGENDA & MINUTES:**

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the agenda as presented, and approve the minutes of March 4, 2020 as presented. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

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**ROAD & BRIDGE DEPT. REPORT:**

Kary Tatum, Road & Bridge Supervisor, reported that new weight limit signs will be installed at Lambs Bridge. He also reported on road repairs at 275 & Reno Rd, ditching on 1800 Rd, replaced tubes on 2000 Rd, rock & grading on Jade Rd, and reclaiming shoulders on 900 Rd. He also presented the bi-annual bridge inspection agreement from CFS Engineers in the amount of \$14,450.00. Commissioner Miller informed about a request for 55 mph speed limit signs on 850 Rd.

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the bi-annual bridge inspection agreement with CFS Engineers as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Kevin Starbuck gave an update on the Fall River bridge replacement project West of New Albany, and informed that due to the recent flash flooding the abutments have been washed out and are under water.

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**HEALTH DEPT. REPORT:**

Destany Wheeler, Health Dept. Administrator, reported that she's finishing the Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Kansas Pathways Grant application which is due March 20<sup>th</sup>. The Commission agreed by consensus to sign a letter of support for the grant. She also informed that WIC hours will be extended to 6:15 p.m. on one Wednesday per month. She also submitted the KDHE Aid to Local Grant application for 2020 which is due March 16<sup>th</sup>. She also gave an update on the Coronavirus.

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the KDHE Aid to Local Grant for 2020 as presented. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

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**COORDINATOR REPORT:**

Kris Marple, County Coordinator, discussed delinquent severed mineral rights. He also informed that 31<sup>st</sup> Judicial District Chief Judge Daniel Creitz has appointed John Gillett to be the temporary County Attorney effective March 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m.

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**OTHER BUSINESS:**

1. Approved payroll in the amount of \$111,010.10.
2. Approved warrants in the amount of \$383,355.46.
3. Approved tax roll corrections: 2020-072 to 074.
4. Reports received: Clerk fees report, and 911 calls log.

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**ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting adjourned at 10:45 a.m. to reconvene on **Wednesday, March 25, 2020** at 9:00 a.m.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS**

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Casey Lair, Chairman

**ATTEST:**

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Rhonda Willard, County Clerk