

November 26, 2018

Commissioner Carlson, Commissioner Mayo, and Commissioner Thurlow were present at a regular meeting beginning at 8:00 a.m. The minutes were approved as printed.

John Bond met with the Board to discuss the maintenance and upkeep of the road located at 10th & Valleyview Rd. that connects to Mr. Bonds driveway and to the Corp of Engineer's property. After the Board reviewed the property looking at maps it was decided that the County will do the maintenance on 10th Rd up to the Corp of Engineer property and they will have to maintain their own property. Rock will be placed on the property that Clay County has agreed to maintain and a culvert will be replaced on 10th Rd.

Marvin VanBlaricon, EMS Director, met with the Board give the weekly report. The expenses and revenue for the 2018 Budget was reviewed and the Ambulance budget will need to be amended to cover the cost of the new ambulance that was purchased this year. The Board is still studying the proposed salary scale for the EMS Department and will make a decision at a later date.

John Forshee, River Valley Extension District Agent, met with the Board to give an update. Mr. Forshee stated that they are in need of some rock behind the District Office. The District is willing to pay for the rock and the hauling if the County will haul it and spread the rock. They are requesting that they get the better rock from the Chapman quarry. Also, the carpet needs to be replaced in all of the offices. The District will replace and pay for the new carpeting since the County does not charge the District rent. The Board of Commissioners did offer to pay for part of the carpet since it is a County building.

Christine Swaim, County Treasurer, met with the Board to ask permission to close the afternoon of December 31st, 2018 to start the year end process. There will be no Motor Vehicle processed at all on December 31st. The County Clerk's Office and the Register of Deeds Office will also be closing at 12:00 p.m. for year end process.

Chuck Dunn, Sheriff, met with the Board to give the weekly report. Sheriff Dunn stated that they are in need of upgrading the fire alarm system in the Law Enforcement Center. The Board granted permission to get quotes and report back at a later date. Sheriff Dunn reported on the road conditions from the winter storm and that there were a few vehicles that slid off in the ditch but nothing serious in Clay County.

The Board adjourned at 11:25 p.m.

Eric A. Carlson, Chairman

Attest: Kayla Wang, County Clerk
December 3, 2018
Clay Center, Kansas