

The Jefferson County Board of Commissioners convened in regular session on Monday November 19, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. Present were Commissioners, Richard Malm, Roy Dunnaway, Lynn Luck, and Deputy County Clerk, Annie Landis.

Vouchers were reviewed and approved by and the Board. The Counselor approved the vouchers on Thursday, November 15, 2012.

Lynn moved that the minutes of November 5, 2012 be approved as presented. Roy seconded. All voted in favor of the motion.

Beth Brown, Health Department, met with the Board. She presented the United HealthCare of the Midwest final agreement for managed care contract for the Home Health and Ambulance Service to be signed by the Board.

The Board appointed a representative to the MTPO (Metropolitan Topeka Planning Organization) Policy Board. Roy made a motion to appoint Wayne Ledbetter (County Commissioner Elect, District 2) to the Board. Wayne was present for the meeting and asked about meeting times. Lynn seconded the motion. All voted in favor of the motion. Motion carried.

The Board signed a County agreement to treat weeds for KDOT. Richard moved to approve the agreement. Lynn seconded. All voted in favor of the motion. The agreement was signed.

Discussion on the salvage sale contract with Kelly Law Office was held in regards to the old Biofoods personal property. The Board decided to wait until the County Counselor is present to discuss the contract.

The Board signed notice to Kaw township board for a beer license application.

The Board signed the KWORCC building safety inspection report.

The Board signed a letter of support for the Jefferson County Service Organization (JCSO).

Richard made a motion to appoint Jo Cross to the Jayhawk Area Agency on Aging for a three year term beginning September 30, 2012. Lynn seconded the motion. All voted in favor of the motion. Motion carried. The letter of appointment was signed.

Richard made a motion to appoint Jerry White to the JCSO Board of Directors for a two year term beginning October 1, 2012 and to appoint Gary Milroy to the J.C.S.O. Board of Directors for a one year term beginning October 1, 2012. Roy seconded the motion. All voted in favor of the motion. Motion passed. The Board signed the appointment letter.

Dan Smalley called to speak with the commissioners. He lives in Grantville. He called regarding the two train wrecks in recent years. He wanted to know what if it had been carrying chemicals and he had concerns about the shape of Front Street and his driveway and yard that the emergency vehicles had to use for the emergency. They have not been the same since the accident 5 years ago. He feels like the railroad is responsible, but he did not know who to contact for his concern. The Board will talk to the Road & Bridge Superintendent to see if he is following up on the damaged road. He should contact the railroad company and be compensated for repair work from the railroad. The Board will also speak to the Emergency Management Director regarding this issue. Mr. Smalley also had a concern about the honking of horns on the trains as they pass through town. Mark Davis was the name that Dennis Sharkey (Davis Publications) had as a contact with the Railroad and his name and number was given to Mr. Smalley and the Board so they could pass it on to appropriate departments for follow up. The Board called Francis Hubbard, Road & Bridge department and asked that he and Doug Schmitt, Emergency Management Director go take a look at the damage and see what needs to be done. Francis has been there three times and will go again.

There being no further business to come before the Board they adjourned to meet in regular session on Monday November 26th, 2012.