The Board of County Commissioners met in a regular session on Wednesday, May 19, 2021. Commissioner Mike Smith, Commissioner Doug Smith, Commissioner Kaaz, Commissioner Stieben and Commissioner Culbertson are present; Also present: Mark Loughry, County Administrator; David Van Parys, Senior County Counselor; Bob Weber, Leavenworth County Appraiser; Whitney Tempel, District Representative for Jake LaTurner; John Richmeier, Leavenworth Times

Residents: Dennis Taylor, John Matthews

PUBLIC COMMENT:

There were no public comments.

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:

Mark Loughry requested to hold budget hearings June 22 -June 23 or June 23-24.

Mr. Loughry reported due to travel schedules there may not be a quorum for the June 9th meeting.

Commissioner Kaaz indicated she will not go to the KCCA conference which then would make a quorum.

Commissioner Doug Smith asked about the boat and RV regulations brought forth by Planning and Zoning.

David Van Parys indicated the boat and RV regulations will not be going forward.

A motion was made by Commissioner Culbertson and seconded by Commissioner Kaaz to accept the consent agenda for Wednesday, May 19, 2021 as presented.

Motion passed, 5-0.

Bob Weber requested approval of Resolution 2021-14, re-appointing him as the Leavenworth County Appraiser.

A motion was made by Commissioner Doug Smith and seconded by Commissioner Stieben to approve Resolution 2021-14, appointing Bob Weber as the Leavenworth County Appraiser for a four-year term. Motion passed, 5-0.

Whitney Tempel, district representative for Congressman Jake LaTurner, reminded everyone of mobile office hours at the Courthouse the first Monday of the month from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

A motion was made by Commissioner Culbertson and seconded by Commissioner Kaaz that this Board recess from open session and go into a closed executive session to discuss personnel matters of non-elected personnel as justified by K.S.A. 75-4319 (b)(1) and to protect the privacy interests of the persons involved and that this Board resume open session in this meeting room at 10:20 a.m. Present in the executive session will be Commissioner Jeff Culbertson, Vicky Kaaz, Doug Smith, Mike Smith, Mike Stieben and others as invited by the Board.

Motion passed, 5-0.

The Board returned to regular session at 10:21 a.m. No action was taken and no decisions were made. The subject was limited to non-elected personnel.

Commissioner Doug Smith read the County Commissioner's prayer.

Commissioners Doug Smith and Mike Smith will attend the State of the City Address, Mayor's Luncheon in Basehor tomorrow.

Commissioner Culbertson indicated Easton and Kickapoo Townships expressed thanks to Mr. Loughry in helping them with the COVID funding reporting.

Commissioner Kaaz participated in the Port Authority meeting yesterday as well as a tour with the city of Lansing. She will attend the Workforce Partnership meeting next week.

A motion was made by Commissioner Culbertson and seconded by Commissioner Stieben to adjourn.



The Board of County Commissioners met in a work session on Wednesday, May 19, 2021. Commissioner Mike Smith, Commissioner Doug Smith, Commissioner Kaaz, Commissioner Stieben and Commissioner Culbertson are present; Also present: Mark Loughry, County Administrator; David Van Parys, Senior County Counselor; Kansas House of Representatives Jeff Pittman, Pat Proctor, Tim Johnson and David French; Janet Klasinski, County Clerk; Linda Scheer, County Clerk's Office; John Richmeier, Leavenworth Times

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A work session was held with local representatives to discuss Senate Bill 13.

The Board ended the work session at 11:53 a.m.