

*****September 15, 2021 *****

The Board of County Commissioners met in a regular session on Wednesday, September 15, 2021. Commissioner Mike Smith, Commissioner Kaaz, Commissioner Culbertson, Commissioner Doug Smith and Commissioner Stieben are present; Also present: Mark Loughry, County Administrator; David Van Parys, Senior County Counselor; Bill Noll, Infrastructure and Construction Services; John Richmeier, Leavenworth Times

Residents: Nancy Carpenter, Mike McDonald, Stacey Schmitt, John Matthews, AW Himpel, Dennis Taylor

PUBLIC COMMENT:

There were no public comments.

ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS:

David Van Parys reported on the Opioid litigation and requested approval of the bankruptcy plan.

A motion was made by Commissioner Mike Smith and seconded by Commissioner Kaaz to approve the submitted bankruptcy plan.

Motion passed, 5-0.

Commissioner Mike Smith indicated he will not be able to attend the September 29 meeting and requested appointment of a chairperson for that day.

A motion was made by Commissioner Stieben and seconded by Commissioner Doug Smith to appoint Commissioner Kaaz as chairperson for the September 29th meeting.

Motion passed, 5-0.

Commissioner Stieben requested the appointment of the Sherman Township Clerk be continued until he has an opportunity to speak to the applicant and his constituents.

A motion was made by Commissioner Stieben and seconded by Commissioner Culbertson to table this matter and that the previously submitted application be accepted and the deadline for additional applications be September 23rd at noon and that the position be re-advertised as it had been previously done.

Motion passed, 4-1, Commissioner Kaaz voting nay.

Commissioner Doug Smith requested to look at special use permits when the Board reviews the Comprehensive Plan.

Commissioner Stieben inquired about the affect the President's executive order regarding vaccines has on Leavenworth County government.

David Van Parys reported it does not affect Leavenworth County government at this time.

A motion was made by Commissioner Culbertson and seconded by Commissioner Kaaz to accept the consent agenda for Wednesday, September 15, 2021 as presented.

Motion passed, 5-0.

Bill Noll requested acceptance of the 2023 Off-System Bridge program award for ST-100 bridge replacement over Little Stranger Creek on Fairmount Road.

A motion was made by Commissioner Doug Smith and seconded by Commissioner Mike Smith to accept the 2023 Off-System Bridge program award for ST-100 bridge replacement over Little Stranger Creek on Fairmount Road.

Motion passed, 5-0.

Stacey Schmitt, Mike McDonald and Nancy Carpenter commented on non-agenda items.

The Commissioners attended the grand re-opening ribbon cutting of Price Chopper this morning.

Commissioner Culbertson attended the Easton City Council meeting in which a MOU was signed between the city of Easton and Leavenworth County that changed some streets for maintenance purposes.

Commissioner Kaaz attended the Leavenworth City Commission meeting last night, LCDC meeting last Thursday and attended a volunteer opportunity by Rural Leavenworth County, Inc. with Fire Station #2 with Commissioner Stieben.

Commissioner Doug Smith attended the Basehor City Council meeting last week.

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

Motion passed, 5-0.

The Board adjourned at 9:34 a.m.

*****September 15, 2021*****

The Board of County Commissioners met in a work session on Wednesday, September 15, 2021. Commissioner Mike Smith, Commissioner Doug Smith, Commissioner Culbertson, Commissioner Kaaz and Commissioner Stieben are present; Also present: Mark Loughry, County Administrator; Bill Noll, Infrastructure and Construction Services; David Breuer, Mayor of Basehor; Leslee Rivarola, Basehor City Administrator; Maddie Waldeck, Basehor Project Manager & Assistant City Administrator; John Richmeier, Leavenworth Times

Residents: AW Himpel, John Matthews, Dennis Taylor

A work session was held to discuss the 155th Street project as presented by the city of Basehor.

The Board ended the work session at 11:39 a.m.

Final Approved