

**GREENWOOD COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING
AUGUST 29TH, 2022**

Chairman Roy Ballard called the regular meeting of the Greenwood County Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. Other members present were Ben Fox, Robert Morgan, Chuck Spradlin, Paul Hodge, County Counselor Paul Dean and County Clerk Kathy Robison.

Commissioners led everyone present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Fox moved to approve August 22, 2022 Minutes, as written. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Road and Bridge Report:

- Chrisman asked for approval for a signage project.
- Crews have been mowing and tree trimming.
- Repairs to the lowboy were made last week.
- Chrisman reported that he purchased a hydraulic jack from Federal Surplus in the amount of \$150.
- The bridge at GG and 50 is slated to close this week for repairs.
- Ballard informed Chrisman there are culverts in need of debriding.
- Stolen road signs are still an on-going issue for the department.

Fire Chief Glen Collinge informed commissioners that he needs to purchase propane in the amount of \$5,940.

Fox moved to approve the purchase of propane for the rural fire department in the amount of \$5,940. Ballard seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Ballard moved to approve a five-minute executive session for personnel to include Glen Collinge. Fox seconded. Motion carried 5-0. Meeting reconvened at 9:25 a.m. No decisions were made.

A Greenwood County resident attended the meeting to discuss concerns regarding a low water bridge; said resident was directed to contact Road and Bridge to discuss the matter.

Fox moved to approve employee verification for Devon Harris for a full-time position at the Sheriff's office at a pay rate of \$15.50. Harris has intentions to join the academy. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Hodge moved to approve Leah Mills who is a participant of the 'School to career' program, for Sheriff office administration at a pay rate of \$10 per hour. Fox seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Fox made the motion to approve moving Jared Helkenberg to the position of School Resource Officer for Eureka USD 389, at a pay rate of \$17 per hour. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

Commissioners posed questions regarding the card reader security system that was discussed earlier in the year. Sheriff Samuels informed them that our current system is too outdated to install such a system. Other avenues are being explored.

Fox moved to approve paying Jarred, Gilmore and Phillips for assistance with Greenwood County's 2023 budget; in the amount of \$2,450. Morgan seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

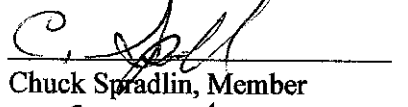
Commissioners posed questions to Levi Vinson regarding how much mowing is being done. Vinson informed commissioners that the Hustler is in the shop for repairs and the mower is in the southern part of the county.

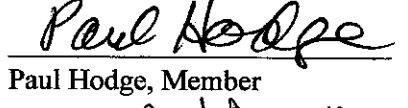
Spradlin moved to adjourn at 9:58 a.m. Fox seconded. Motion carried 5-0.

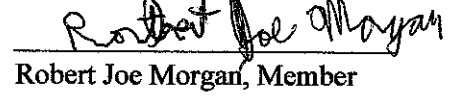
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Robert Joe Morgan, Member

ATTEST: 
Kathy Robison, County Clerk