

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK

June 17, 2013

The Board of Brown County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members present: Chairman Keith Olsen, Warren Ploeger and Steve Roberts. Also present were County Clerk Debbie Parker and Deputy County Clerk Marla Hathhorn.

County Attorney Kevin Hill was present for a portion of the meeting. Keith Olsen opened the meeting at 8:00 a.m.

PAYROLL

The June 12, 2013 payroll was approved as follows:

General	\$65,789.49
Road & Bridge	14,168.98
Election	1,445.77
Appraiser	5,538.46
Noxious Weed	1,321.20
ACC	5,932.00
JJA Core	7,787.74
ACE Fund	722.12
Services for Elderly	2,063.38
Solid Waste	3,442.67
Court Trustee	6,578.26
Spec MVT	1,247.75
Employee Ben FICA	6,979.99
Employee Ben KPERS	7,114.88
State Unemploy/Work Comp	-434.45
Insurance	-2,092.35
TOTAL	\$127,605.89

SHERIFF

Sheriff John Merchant reported 18 inmates currently being held in the Brown County Jail.

CONCEALED CARRY BILL

County Attorney Kevin Hill discussed the House Bill #2052 Concealed Carry Law. Hill stated that a letter may be written to the State from Brown County asking for a 6 month exemption for the Brown County Courthouse from the law until the ramifications of the law can be looked into. Insurance and safety concerns will be addressed in the letter requesting exemption. It was decided that the exemption would be requested for all County owned buildings. The County Clerk will prepare a letter for signatures.

BOB BUNCK

Brown County citizen Bob Bunck wanted to make the County aware of a tube to an irrigation pond which is causing backup on 130th Road which is a Township Road. Bunck reported that the State needed a signed letter from the County stating they were aware of the problem. The requested letter was signed by Chairman Keith Olsen.

TAX CHANGE ORDER

Tax change order #2012-150 was approved and signed.

MINUTES

Motion by Steve Roberts to approve the June 10, 2013 minutes. Seconded by Keith Olsen. Motion carried.

APPRAISER

Paula Jones, Appraiser, requested to have her 4 year contract renewed for another 4 years. Jones also requested a \$1

an hour raise in addition to any other employee raises. Jones currently earns \$43,640 per year. The Commissioners requested Jones gather information from other Counties as to comparable wages.

KCAMP

Larry Sharp, KCAMP, discussed House Bill #2052 Concealed Carry Bill and how it would affect Courthouse insurance issues. Sharp discussed insurance claims and Brown County's insurance liability. Sharp reported that Brown County's loss ratio was 6% in 2012. Sharp is estimating a 3% increase for the 2014 insurance premiums. Sharp discussed the County's liability during public events held on County property. Sharp stated that Special Event Coverage should be held by the entity sponsoring an event on County property.

DOVES

Tessa Jimenez and Deb Duncan, DOVES (Domestic Violence Emergency Services), discussed the history and services of DOVES. Jimenez reported that Grant funds had been cut. She is requesting the area Counties to provide funding for DOVES. Atchison County currently provides \$5,500, with Brown County providing \$1,500 last year. The Commissioners will review the request during the 2014 Budget hearings in July.

FAMILY FUN DAY

Janette Adcock, Family Fun Day, reported that the First Christian Church and the Trinity United Methodist Church are requesting use of the Courthouse Square, electricity and the Courthouse restrooms for the Family Fun Day on Saturday July 13. They are inviting the public to enjoy the family event from 2 to 6 p.m.

Motion by Steve Roberts to approve the request, with a copy of their Special Event Coverage Insurance being provided to the County. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn the by Steve Roberts. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:53 a.m. The next regular meeting will be Monday June 24, 2013.