

November 13, 2006

The Board of Brown County Commissioners met in Special Session as provided by KSA 25-3101 as a Canvassing Board to canvass the returns from the November 7, 2006 General Election. The following members were present: Warren Ploeger, Glen Leitch and Steve Roberts. Also present were County Clerk Debbie Parker and Deputy County Clerk Marla Hathhorn and Republican County Precinct Chairman William Pollock. Warren Ploeger opened the meeting at 8:00 a.m.

CANVASS OF BALLOTS

The November 7, 2006 General Election voting records were canvassed. There were 81 provisional ballots. Following State Statutes, 54 provisional ballots were counted and 27 provisional ballots were not counted. Election Officer Debbie Parker reported a 55 per cent voter turnout.

Motion by Glen Leitch to accept the November 7, 2006 General Election canvass. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn the canvassing meeting by Warren Ploeger, seconded by Steve Roberts. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

REGULAR SESSION MEETING

Warren Ploeger re-opened the meeting for a regular session at 10:41 a.m., with the three Commissioners, County Clerk Debbie Parker and Deputy County Clerk Marla Hathhorn present. County Attorney Kevin Hill was present for a portion of the meeting.

PAYROLL

The November 8, 2006 payroll was approved as follows:

General	41,142.11
Road & Bridge	10,841.63
Election	1,109.77
Appraiser	2,712.00
Noxious Weed	1,135.78
JCAB	4,918.06
Diversions	410.00
JJ Prevention	1,532.95
ACC	4,943.06
Services for Elderly	2,693.15
Solid Waste	2,455.58
Court Trustee	6,189.71
Employer Ben FICA	4,392.80
Employer Ben KPERS	2,551.34
Workman Comp	-143.92
State Unemployment	-9.82
Insurance	-4,364.68
TOTAL	82,509.52

BOTSWANA FRIENDSHIP WEEK

Extension Agent Steve Brown introduced Victoria Monnaastie of Botswana. Monnaastie is giving presentations this week in conjunction with the 4-H Program. Warren Ploeger presented a Proclamation to Monnaastie, proclaiming the week of November 9-16 as Botswana Friendship Week.

JCAB/ACC

JCAB/ACC Director Venice Sloan presented quarterly reports for signatures.

TAX SALE

County Attorney Kevin Hill discussed the upcoming Tax Sale of delinquent real estate properties. No date has yet been set for the tax sale.

BG CONSULTANTS

Tom Bennett of BG Consultants presented the preliminary plans for OS Bridge Project #40.

MINUTES

Motion by Glen Leitch to approve the November 6, 2006 minutes. Seconded by Steve Roberts. Motion carried.

BOILER

Custodian Buzz Siebenmorgen discussed splitting the flues for the boiler at the Sheriff's Department, per the State's directions. The County crane will be used in the operation.

COUNTY TREASURER

County Treasurer, Cheryl Lippold addressed concerns from Glen Leitch concerning a complaint that he had received from a taxpayer. Cheryl printed a copy of the statement and there was no way to determine what the complaint was over. Cheryl will follow up on the complaint.

Motion by Steve Roberts to adjourn. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 12:12 p.m. The next meeting will be held Monday November 20, 2006.