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OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK

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The Board of Brown County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members present: Chairman Glen Leitch, Warren Ploeger and Steve Roberts. Also present was County Clerk Debbie Parker and Deputy County Clerk Marla Hathhorn. Glen Leitch opened the meeting at 8:00 a.m.

SHERIFF

Lamar Shoemaker, Sheriff, requested that the County look into issuing Transient Merchant Permits for vendors from outside of the County. Shoemaker reported on recent problems with transient merchants and said required permits would keep information on file in case of problems. The County Attorney will be consulted about the permit.

PAYROLL The October 13, 2004 payroll was approved as follows:

General	\$36,609.12
Road & Bridge	9,083.88
Election	1,029.77
Appraiser	2,472.00
Noxious Weed	1,105.91
JCAB	4,967.23
Diversion	380.00
ACC	4,140.46
Services for Elderly	2,513.21
Solid Waste	1,753.53
Court Trustee	1,526.03
Employee Ben FICA	4,553.16
Employee Ben KPERS	1,835.14
TOTAL	\$71,969.44

MINUTES

Motion by Warren Ploeger to approve the minutes of the October 12, 2004 meeting. Seconded by Steve Roberts. Motion carried.

ROY CLAYCAMP

Roy Claycamp, Republican candidate for State Representative District 1, visited with the Commissioners.

CONSORTIUM CONTRACT

Motion by Steve Roberts to sign the Consortium Drug & Alcohol Testing Contract. Seconded by Glen Leitch. After some discussion, with the name of another company

being offered, the motion was defeated by a unanimous "No" vote. The other company, Blue Lab, will be contacted for bid information.

CD BID OPENING

Treasurer Cheryl Lippold was present for the bid openings for a \$100,000.00 CD, currently held at Morrill & Janes Bank. The bids were as follows:

Hiawatha National Bank--\$100,000.00 for 365 days at 2.12%.

Morrill & Janes Bank--\$100,000.00 for 92 days at 1.57%; \$100,000.00 for 192 days at 1.73%; \$100,000.00 for 365 days at 1.97%

Silver Lake Bank--\$100,000.00 for 92 days at 1.45: \$100,000.00 for 192 days at 1.75%; \$100,000.00 for 365 at 2.10%

Union Bank of Kansas--\$100,000.00 for 365 days at 1.90%.

Motion by Warren Ploeger to accept the Hiawatha National Bank bid for \$100,000.00 for 365 days at 2.12%. Seconded by Steve Roberts. Motion carried.

REPUBLICAN PRECINCT CHAIRMAN

Republican Precinct Chairman William Pollock requested donations from the Elected Officials for a Penny Press Newspaper advertisement. The ad will promote Republican principles.

Motion to adjourn by Steve Roberts. Seconded by Warren Ploeger. Motion carried, meeting adjourned at 11:20 a.m. The next meeting will be held Monday, October 25, 2004.