

Labette County Board of Commissioners
July 6, 2021

Convene

Chairman Lonie R. Addis called the regular session of the Labette County Board of Commissioners to order at 9:00 a.m. on July 6, 2021, at the Commission Room. Attendance: Lonie R. Addis, Present, Brian C. Kinzie, Present, Cole J. Proehl, Present.

Others Present for the Meeting

County Counselor Brian K. Johnson, and County Clerk personnel Becky Czapansky.

Media Present

Ray Nolting from the Parsons Sun.

Approval of Minutes

Commissioner Brian C. Kinzie made a motion to approve the minutes of June 30, 2021, as submitted. Cole J. Proehl seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Lonie R. Addis (Yes), Brian C. Kinzie (Yes), Cole J. Proehl (Yes).

Cereal Malt Beverage License Renewal – Good Luck Bait Shop

Commissioner Cole J. Proehl made a motion to authorize the chairman's signature on the Cereal Malt Beverage License renewal for Anthony D. Housley dba Good Luck Bait Shop, 1807 24000 Road, Parsons. Brian C. Kinzie seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote Lonie R. Addis (Yes), Brian C. Kinzie (Yes), Cole J. Proehl (Yes).

11th Judicial District – Budget

Commissioners met with 11th Judicial District Administrator Mac Young to discuss the Fiscal Year 2022 Court Budget.

Labette Conservation District – Budget

Commissioners met with members of the Labette Conservation District Board of Supervisors to discuss their 2022 budget request.

SPARK Fund Closure and ARPA Funding

Commissioners met with Parsons Economic Development Director Jim Zaleski and Community Development Director Laura Moore concerning the closure of SPARK funding. The final SPARK disbursement total was \$3,983,559. The funds were distributed between August 1, 2020 and June 15, 2021. They also discussed ARPA funding.

Appraiser's Parcel Search Agreement – Frontier Farm Credit

Commissioner Cole J. Proehl made a motion to authorize the Chairman's signature on an Appraiser's Parcel Search Agreement between Labette County and Frontier Farm Credit; their fee of \$225.00 has been paid. Brian C. Kinzie seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Lonie R. Addis (Yes), Brian C. Kinzie (Yes), Cole J. Proehl (Yes).

Executive Session

Commissioner Cole J. Proehl made a motion to go into executive session for consultation with our attorney, a matter protected by the attorney-client privilege. Protect the privilege and the board's position (in litigation, potential litigation, administrative proceedings, etc.) Brian C. Kinzie seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Lonie R. Addis (Yes), Brian C. Kinzie (Yes) Cole J. Proehl (Yes). Also present was County Counselor Brian K. Johnson for fifteen minutes to reconvene at 11:05 a.m.

Work Session

Commissioners recessed into a budget work session at 11:07 a.m.

Reconvene

The regular session reconvened at 11:45 a.m. Also present was Deputy County Clerk Lorrie Boulware.

Vulgar Sign

Sheriff Darren Eichinger met with commissioners concerning a vulgar sign that is on private property in Labette County. He has received complaints from citizens. County Counselor Brian Johnson joined the meeting by phone for discussion. He said since the sign is on private property the county cannot deny the citizen their 1st Amendment right.

Labette Health – EMS Compilation Report 2020 – Correction

Commissioner Lonie R. Addis made a motion to correct the transfer amount that was stated in the June 28th minutes for the EMS Compilation Report 2020 from \$1,299,420 to the corrected amount of \$167,028. The funds will be used for capital improvements for the EMS Department. Brian C. Kinzie seconded the motion. The motion passed by vote: Lonie R. Addis (Yes), Brian C. Kinzie (Yes), Cole J. Proehl (Yes).

Adjournment

The regular session adjourned at 11:58 a.m.

Work Session

Commissioners recessed into a budget work session at 11:58 a.m.

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Board of Commissioners, the meeting adjourned at 11:59 a.m. until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 07, 2021.

Attest

Deputy County Clerk Lorrie Boulware

Chairman, Lonie R. Addis