

**WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS  
OFFICIAL MINUTES**

July 27, 2022

The Board of County Commissioners, three members, Kayla Busch, County Clerk, and Kris Marple, County Coordinator, met in regular session at 8:30 a.m. in the Commission Room.

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**CALL TO ORDER:** Commissioner Lair called the meeting to order.

**INVOCATION:** Commissioner Miller gave the invocation.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Commissioner Scott led the flag salute.

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**MINUTES:**

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the agenda as presented, and approve the minutes of July 20, 2022 as presented. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

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**ROAD & BRIDGE DEPT. REPORT:**

Kary Tatum, Road & Bridge Supervisor, reported starting work on Jade Road between K-47 & US-400. He also informed that Coyville Road should be reopen this week. He also discussed irrigation pivots near the road rights-of-way keeping the road wet causing road damage. He also reported that only one mower is in working condition at this time.

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**COORDINATOR'S REPORT:**

Kris Marple, County Coordinator, presented a Neighborhood Revitalization Plan application for Allisan and Curtis Strasburg. He also presented the FY2021 audit report for review. He also informed about the recent active shooter training, and the proposed exits for the Appraiser's office and GIS office. He also submitted the 5-year Solid Waste Management Plan for review. He also informed about a KDHE notice for the permit renewal at the Lafarge landfill site. He also reminded about the KDOT local road safety plan workshop tomorrow from 1-3pm in the basement meeting room. He also discussed 911 dispatcher pay rates due to the lack of applications to fill three vacancies. He also submitted the monthly budget reports.

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the Neighborhood Revitalization application for Strasburg Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Scott to approve the 5-year Solid Waste Management Plan review as presented with no changes. Commissioner Miller seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

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**SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT REPORT:**

Sheriff Jack Lucke, presented an estimate for repairs to the padded cell an inmate damaged in the amount of \$12,000.00. He also reported that the air conditioning repairs were complete. He also informed that he hired Michael Thomas as a deputy sheriff. He also reported the need for half cages in the patrol units, the estimate he reported for those were in the amount of \$5,800.00 total or \$900.00 per unit, which was approved by consensus. He also discussed increasing the out of county inmate housing rate from \$35.00 to \$40.00 per day, which was tabled until the next meeting. He presented a \$0.25 per hour pay increase for Wyatt Nalley due to the completion of his introductory period. Commissioner Scott passed on a concern regarding speeding on 500 Road near Buxton.

**ACTION:** A motion was made by Commissioner Miller to approve the pay increase for Wyatt Nalley as presented. Commissioner Scott seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

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**COUNTY CLERK REPORT:**

Kayla Busch, County Clerk, gave an election update of 180 early voters so far. She also discussed the Revenue Neutral Rate notices and presented an example of what they would look like.

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**OTHER BUSINESS:**

1. Mr. John West introduced himself as the new USD #387 Superintendent.
2. Reports received: employee overtime report.
3. Approved warrants in the amount of \$65,614.74.
4. Approve payroll in the amount of \$110,970.81.
5. Approved tax roll corrections: 2022-381-415.

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**ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting adjourned at 10:10 a.m. to reconvene on Wednesday August 3, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
WILSON COUNTY, KANSAS**

**RECORDED BY:**

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Casey Lair, Chairman

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Kayla Busch, County Clerk