

**Logan County Commissioners Work Session
May 15, 2018**

Present: Byron Pelton, Joe McBride, Dave Donaldson, Alan Samber, Rob Quint, Valerie Richards, Lindsey Reeves, Lisa Young, and Jennifer Crow.

Chairman Pelton called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

REVIEW OF BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA - The Board reviewed the Business Meeting Agenda for the May 15, 2018 meeting.

The meeting recessed at 8:41 a.m. and reconvened at 9:31 a.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS SESSIONS - Commissioner McBride moved to approve the minutes of the May 1, 2018 work session as written. Commissioner Donaldson seconded and the motion carried.

REVIEW LOGAN COUNTY SCHEDULE OF BILLS - Lindsey Reeves met with the Board to review the Logan County schedule of bills dated May 15, 2018. The Board approved all bills as presented.

REVIEW DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES (DHS) SCHEDULE OF BILLS - Valerie Richards met with the Board to review the DHS schedule of bills dated May 15, 2018. The Board approved all bills as presented.

ATWOOD PROPERTY COMPLAINTS UPDATE - Rob Quint updated the Board on the Atwood properties that the Board has received numerous calls and complaints on due to junk, trash and other issues. Mr. Ennis (owner of the Hwy 6 property), called the Planning and Zoning Office yesterday to ask what he needs to do to bring it the property into compliance. Quint asked the Board what it would like to see as an acceptable standard. The Board agreed that the free flowing trash needs to be cleaned up so that it is not blown all over the property and onto adjoining land.

Quint discussed with Mr. Ennis the complaints about him processing animals and hanging the carcasses in the front of the property and suggested that he do this in the back where it is not visible to passers by. Alan Samber will review the regs again to see what they contain regarding animal processing for the owner's consumption in a residential area.

Quint reported that the Dorsett property looks worse every week. Quint noted that he travels by a residence in town and has seen Mr. Dorsett on the front porch and a new trailer filled with junk every day. Mr. Dorset should be receiving a complaint by process server today. There will be an advisement on June 7 where the judge will set a hearing date. The complaint process is moving forward in the courts.

CASH COUNTING MACHINE FOR FAIR TICKET OFFICE - Diana Korbe and Kristine Rodine met with the Board. The Fair Board was given a presentation on the purchase of a cash counting machine for the ticket office. The Fair Board would like the Commissioners to purchase the machine rather than the Fair Fund and suggested that it could be used in other county departments. The cost is \$358.39 for the same currency counter that the Treasurer's

Office currently uses. The machine will detect counterfeit bills and will significantly help the ticket office during the fair. The Board disagreed with the Fair Board's suggestion but agreed to the purchase of the cash counting machine using Fair Fund monies.

INDEPENDENT FILM FESTIVAL - Lisa Young is working with the Economic Development Corporation and the Colorado Blueprint 2.0 Initiative to bring a film festival to the area. The application is in the works. A letter of support is requested from the county. Young described the film festival and the possibilities for locations to preview films such as Fox Theater, NJC, or the Sterling High School or Middle School auditoriums. The film festival would be a one-day event and feature independent film makers, and is similar to an art show with films previewed throughout the day. There are also workshops offered throughout the day, including script writing, production, etc. The Board agreed to support the idea. Lisa Young will draft a letter for the Board's signature.

LOGAN COUNTY AMBULANCE COLLECTION ASSIGNMENTS - Commissioner McBride moved to approve assignment of Logan County Ambulance debt collections accounts to Wakefield and Associates, the account numbers ending in 6007, 6008, 6009 and 1006 and allow the Chairman to sign. Commissioner Donaldson seconded and the motion carried 3-0.

GRAVEL PIT PERMIT FEES - The Board discussed an e-mail from Finance Director Debbie Unrein asking if the gravel pit permit fees paid to the State Mined Land Reclamation should be charged to the Road and Bridge Fund rather than the General Fund. The Board agreed that the fees should be charged to the Road and Bridge Fund in the future. Commissioner Pelton will give the information to the Finance and Road and Bridge Departments.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 9:59 a.m.