

September 6, 2022

The Mitchell County Commissioners met in formal session on Monday, September 6, 2022 with Chairman Mike Cooper and member Jim Marshall in attendance. Tom Claussen was absent. Also in attendance was Terry Bailey, KVSV Radio.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The minutes of the August 22, and August 29, 2022 meetings were approved as written on motion by Jim Marshall and seconded by Mike Cooper. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Public Works Director Marty Hernandez was present to request permission to purchase a different oil distribution truck. There is one available from the State of Kansas for \$29,500. It holds more gallons of oil and is much newer than the truck currently in use. The commission approved the purchase on motion by Jim Marshall and seconded by Mike Cooper. Motion carried by unanimous vote. Commissioner Marshall reported that he had many complaints over the bridge replacement near the Hazeltine Corner on K Rd. Mr. Hernandez stated that this is not a job that can be completed quickly and the culvert/bridge there was in dire need of repair.

A Neighborhood Revitalization application was approved for Blue Hill Hatchery & Gamebirds in the amount of \$500,000 and for Troy & Vanessa Tonne in the amount of \$168,000 on motion by Jim Marshall and seconded by Mike Cooper. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Sheriff Tony Perez and Deputy Sheriff Steve Martin met with the commission and requested a 10-minute executive session for non-elected personnel which was granted on motion by Jim Marshall and seconded by Mike Cooper. Motion carried by unanimous vote. Session began at 9:30 and ended at 9:40 with no decisions made in executive session. The Sheriff reported that he was purchasing a new vehicle to replace one totaled after a deer collision.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 on motion by Jim Marshall and seconded by Mike Cooper. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Mike Cooper, Chairman

ATTEST: Chris Treaster, Mitchell County Clerk