

BOARD PROCEEDINGS

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Chairman Rasmussen called the regular meeting of the Wright County Board of Supervisors to order at 9:00 a.m. Members present were Kluss and Rasmussen with Helgevold present via zoom.

Minutes of the previous regular meeting of December 19, 2022 were read and approved.

Approved claims for payment.

Bob Ritter spoke in open forum and wanted to say thank you to the Sheriff Department and Secondary Roads for all they did over the weekend.

Jason Wessels also spoke in open forum. When the courthouse closes, the employees still get their regular pay for those days. There is no extra pay for the Sheriff Department or Secondary Roads crew. If employees live out of town and are required to work during an emergency event, it is highly suggested that they stay in the town that they work in.

Adam Clemons, Wright County Engineer, gave an update on the Secondary Roads. There were 4 work orders completed last week. All personnel went out on Sunday, December 18th spreading chemical. Trucks went out on hard surfaces on December 20th and December 22nd. All personnel went out on Friday, December 23rd and Saturday, December 24th on hard surfaces and covered as many gravel roads as possible. Crews completed 4 rescue missions after hours during the winter event.

Sandy McGrath, Wright County

Public Health Administrator, is encouraging individuals to get the flu shot. It is not too late to get the shot.

Trisha Rosendahl, Fair Board Manager, met with the Supervisors to give their annual update of the Fair happenings this past year. The fair board continues to make improvements at the fairgrounds including electrical work around the grounds, new sound equipment, and many projects to the grandstands. They are requesting \$26,500 annual funding plus \$5,000 project match for future projects to the fairgrounds and if there is any increase the Board can do, it would be appreciated as there is a rise in all costs throughout the fair operation. This will be discussed at budget time.

Motion by Kluss and seconded by Rasmussen to adjourn as the Board of Supervisors. Motion carries.

Motion by Rasmussen and seconded by Helgevold to open the meeting as Drainage District Trustees. Motion carries.

Motion by Kluss and seconded by Chris Vanness, Franklin County Supervisor, to approve the joint agreement with Franklin and Wright County JDD 100-2 and the Franklin County Conservation to exempt the conservation from specific assessments to their property lying between Oakland Drive right-of-way and the Iowa River. Motion carries.

Motion by Kluss and seconded by Rasmussen to adjourn the meeting. Motion carries.

*Rick Rasmussen, Chairman
Wright County*

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Betty Ellis, Wright County Auditor