

Now on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022, the Board of Commissioners, Sheridan County, Kansas met in regular session with Chairman Wes Bainter presiding. Others present were Joe Bainter, Mike "Buck" Mader, County Attorney Joe Pratt and County Clerk Heather Bracht. Guests were Carolyn Meyer and The Sheridan Sentinel.

At 8:00 a.m. Wes Bainter called the meeting to order.

Those in attendance stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Joe Herskowitz, Road & Bridge Supervisor came to the table. Herskowitz stated Evan Turley passed the final noxious weed exam so is now able to spray all noxious weeds. The board asked Herskowitz to let Turley know they appreciate his hard work in taking and passing the exams. A load of recycled cardboard should be going out today. By consensus, the board agreed to purchase a load of fuel from Bainter Oil. There was discussion about selling two pickups that are older. They will be placed for sale in the newspaper and Purple Wave. The board and Herskowitz talked about trading off the red service truck and getting an extended cab. Herskowitz will look for service trucks for sale. There was discussion about the road in Selden on whether the county or the City of Selden maintain it. Herskowitz will reach out to Leroy Spresser. At 8:19, Wes Bainter made a motion to enter into executive session for a period of 15 minutes for the discussion of non-elected personnel. Mader seconded. Carried 3-0. Present were the board, Herskowitz, Pratt and Bracht. The door opened at 8:38 with no decision being made. By consensus the chemical will be ordered to have on hand for spraying of noxious weeds. The chemical must be used in Sheridan County. Herskowitz stated the paperwork allowing the landfill to accept tires has been completed so the board will discuss next week the charge to customers for tires and the Resolution will be done. There was discussion about the two bridges being rebuilt.

At 8:45, Wes Bainter made a motion, seconded by Joe Bainter, to enter into executive session for a period of 10 minutes for the discussion of non-elected personnel. Present were the board, Pratt and Bracht. The door opened at 8:50 with no decision being made.

Wes Bainter made a motion to approve the May 17, 2022 minutes as amended. Mader seconded. Carried 3-0.

Joe Bainter made a motion seconded by Wes Bainter to approve the May 20, 2022 payroll as presented. Carried 3-0.

Bracht will get the notice placed in the newspapers about hiring individuals to drag the remaining three sections in the county.

The following warrants were approved by the board as presented:

General	\$ 79,477.86	Road & Bridge	\$ 24,305.02
Public Transportation	\$ 1,059.25		

At 8:55 a.m. with no further business, Wes Bainter made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Mader. Carried 3-0. The next regular meeting will be Tuesday, May 31, 2022 at 8:00 in the courthouse main floor foyer.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk

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Chairman