Kiowa County Commissioners Meeting Courthouse Lower Level Conference Room February 1, 2016

Bert Lowery, Ron Freeman, John Unruh, Kristi Cooper, Scott James, Matt Christenson and Jay Schmidt attended the meeting.

Consent agenda included: Agenda and 1/29/16 minutes After the Pledge of Allegiance, John opened the meeting.

Bert moved to approve the consent agenda with corrections to minutes as read and Ron seconded, motion carried 3-0.

Before Jay gave his report John asked to talk about what they were going to do on the county blacktops during bad weather. The last meeting they talked about sanding only the intersections but with more discussion it was by consensus to see the cost just to spread sand on all county blacktops and Jay will report back once he gets figures. Jay then reported back on figures for contract fuel with Volz Oil but after discussion on the oil prices dropping they advised at this time to discontinue looking into contracts for fuel.

Matt Christenson arrived at 9:29 and Jay left.

John called for a break at 9:30 and regular session began at 9:40.

Matt Christenson came back to discuss the lawn quotes from last meeting. He was asked to get references for Miller and he presented those. The quotes read as followed; Pro-tech would be \$2635.00 to include the Courthouse, Sheriff and Commons. This would include 5 normal applications an additional application for grub control if necessary for \$472 per application. Miller would be \$2022.50 and would also include the Courthouse, Sheriff and Commons. Their quote would include 6 normal applications an additional application for grub control if necessary for \$264.50 per application. After some discussion John moved to except Miller's quote and Ron seconded, motion carried 2-01. Bert opposed. Next Matt presented an amortization schedule for the hospital G.O Bond per Ron Freeman's request.

Only item discussed during Commission Discussion was further discussion regarding the G.O Bond for the hospital.

Meeting adjourned at 10:33 Kiowa County Commission:

John W. Unruh, Chairman

Bert Lowery, Vice Chairman

Ron Freeman, Commissioner

Attest:

Kristi Cooper, County Clerk