

**Kiowa County Commissioners Special Meeting  
Courthouse Lower Level Conference Room  
June 8, 2016**

John Unruh, Bert Lowery, Ron Freeman, Kristi Cooper, Scott James, Jay Schmidt, Matt Christenson, Kristy Zenger, Chelsey Cantrall, Rhonda Fernandez, Richard McVey and Chris Tedder attended the meeting.

**Consent agenda included:** Agenda

John called the Special meeting to order at 4:00 to discuss health insurance with Rhonda Fernandez.

Rhonda reviewed the information that was given on the 6<sup>th</sup> and also included the information that was requested from her such as insurance quotes from the School, Co-op, hospital, surrounding Counties and City of Greensburg. She also included that when she originally started the quote process that BMI requested 14 different quotes and 6 denied given a quote, 7 carriers were higher than our proposal from BMI and only 2 gave quotes for Kiowa County and this was due to high claims. She also included that 14 claims from our group has hit the \$25,000 stop loss mark with a total of \$818,637 in claims. Additionally she informed that she spoke with BCBS (Blue Cross & Blue Shield) regarding a quote and they will look to see if they could and if they would require a health statement from all employees and she will report back at the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 5:03

**Kiowa County Commission:**

  
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John W. Unruh, Chairman

  
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Bert Lowery, Vice Chairman

  
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Ron Freeman, Commissioner

Attest:

  
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Kristi Cooper, County Clerk

Next Commissioner meeting date will be June 20<sup>th</sup> located in the basement conference room.

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