Kiowa County Commissioners Meeting Courthouse Lower Level Conference Room September 30, 2011

Present: Ron Freeman, Don Richards, John Unruh, Carmen Renfrow, Dawn Hayes

9:00: Ron opened the meeting.

John moved and Don seconded to approve the consent agenda, motion carried.

Don moved and John seconded to approve Marsha Klein's payroll change, motion carried.

By consensus they agreed to not join the National Association of Counties.

John moved and Don seconded to table the request by Debbie Allison for the County to pay for Orkin, insect spraying.

Gunnar Stauth, Road & Bridge Supervisor, came with the following:

Amerine requests a 3 inch salt water line, ¼ mile south of 35th and J St. John moved and Don seconded to approve, motion carried.

Two mowers are at John Deere for repairs at an estimated cost of \$6,000.

Morris Thomason called Gunnar to commend the mowing on the Sun City black top. He said it's the best he's seen in 25 years.

Patrick Clement, Editor of the Kiowa County Signal, came to talk with the Commissioners and ask how to contact them and how they would prefer to do interviews. He discussed his policies as an editor and how he wanted to work with the community to provide a good paper.

During Open Forum they discussed the Hospital Funds, the County Attorney and County Counsel positions, and the Notice of Horizontal drilling.

Hank Halley came to say he would bring a map of Belvidere.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 noon.

Ron Freeman, Chairman

Ron Richards, Commissioner

John Unruh, Commissioner

Attest:

Carmen Renfrow, County Clerk