

Barton County Commission Agenda Meeting Minutes

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October 21, 2019

The Board of Barton County Commissioners convened this 21st day of October 2019, at the Barton County Courthouse.

Members present:

Kenny Schremmer, Commissioner, 1st District (*Chairman Pro-Tem*)
Homer Kruckenberg, Commissioner, 2nd District
Don Davis, Commissioner, 3rd District
James R. Daily, Commissioner, 4th District
Jennifer Schartz, Commissioner, 5th District, Chairman
Donna Zimmerman, County Clerk
Patrick Hoffman, County Counselor

Members absent:

Phil Hathcock, County Administrator

I. OPENING BUSINESS:

Commissioner Schartz called the meeting to order at 9:00 A.M.

Commissioner Daily moved to approve the agenda.
Commissioner Schremmer seconded the motion.
All voted aye. Motion passed.

Commissioner Schremmer moved to approve the minutes of the October 14, 2019, Regular Meeting.
Commissioner Davis seconded the motion.
All voted aye. Motion passed.

II. OLD BUSINESS:

There was no old business.

III. NEW BUSINESS:

A. ROAD AND BRIDGE: Exercise Municipal Rollover on Bobcat Track Loaders:

-In 2014, Road and Bridge purchased a T650 T4 Bobcat Track Loader from Bobcat of Salina. That machine has been updated each year under the municipal rollover program. In 2017, Road and Bridge purchased another Bobcat T650 under a municipal contract which qualifies it for the municipal rollover program as well. Darren Williams, County Works Director, suggests that the rollover option be utilized for both Bobcats. The cost to utilize the roll over is \$4,550.00 for each machine.

Darren Williams, County Works Director, said they will trade in their two 2019 Bobcat Track Loaders with 259 hours on one and 457 hours on the second loader.

Commissioner Davis asked how much a new loader would cost. Williams said \$55,000 to \$60,000.

Commissioner Daily asked how long Barton County has been taking advantage of the buyback program. Williams said since 2014.

Commissioner Schartz said they have had several discussions on the economic value of the trade-back option and said it has been profitable for Barton County.

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Steve Webster asked how the equipment is used. Williams said for dirt work, building shoulders, building entrances, putting in pipe and asphalt work. Williams said this equipment can maneuver in tight spaces and is easy to run.

Commissioner Daily moved to exercise the buyback option offered by Bobcat of Salina for the two 2019 T650 Bobcat Compact Track Loaders. The total municipal rollover price is \$9,100.00, to be paid from the Road and Bridge Fund, Equipment, Operate & Construction Line, 002-92-6190. In return, the County will receive two 2020 Model T650 Bobcat Compact Track loaders with full warranty. Commissioner Davis seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion passed.

B. RESOLUTION 2019-14: A Resolution Rescinding Resolution 2005-09, A Resolution Establishing a Policy for Vehicles Impounded by the Barton County Sheriff's Office, Adopted March 28, 2005:

-In 2005, the Commission adopted Resolution 2005-09, A Resolution Establishing a Policy for Vehicles Impounded by the Barton County Sheriff's Office. Sheriff Brian Bellendir has since developed a policy based on Kansas statutes and current operational needs. It is suggested that the Commission rescind 2005-09 in favor of the Sheriff's Office policy.

Sheriff Bellendir requested the resolution be rescinded and explained that the resolution was quite lengthy and out-of-date. Bellendir said they often times need to change it and do not want to have to come over to get a new resolution each time. Bellendir noted the property will remain under the control of the Commissioners and he continue to maintain an in-house policy for fees and hours of operation.

Commissioner Schremmer moved to adopt Resolution 2019-14, A Resolution Rescinding Resolution 2005-09, A Resolution Establishing a Policy for Vehicles Impounded by the Barton County Sheriff's Office, Adopted March 28, 2005. Commissioner Davis seconded the motion. All voted aye. Motion passed.

- Bellendir: Announced the newest Sheriff Office member named Max, a Belgium Malinois. The canine went on patrol this weekend. Dope asset forfeiture bought the county a new dope dog.
- Bellendir: Announced the asset forfeiture auction brought \$23,500 for the land forfeiture from Operation Snowplow.

IV. ENDING BUSINESS:

1. Announcements
2. Appointments

V. OTHER BUSINESS:

- Betty Filbert: Lives in Barton Hills. Still having issues with their roads. Does no good to call Randy or Brandon from the township board. Holes in the road. Occasionally grades the road with the blade up.
- Darren Williams: Visited with Phil last week and drove out there. They hauled some sand, but the road needs graded.
- Comm Daily: Road & Bridge needs to assess the costs to make the road repairs.
- Comm Schartz: We need to invite South Homestead Township officials back in to discuss the matter.

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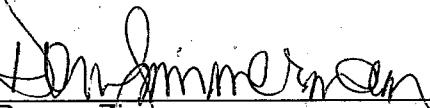
VI. ADJOURN:

Commissioner Kruckenberg made a motion to adjourn at 9:17 A.M.

Commissioner Schremmer seconded the motion.

All voted aye. Motion passed.

ATTEST:



Donna Zimmerman
Barton County Clerk



Jennifer Scharz, Chairman

RESOLUTION 2019-14

A RESOLUTION RESCINDING RESOLUTION 2005-09, A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING
A POLICY FOR VEHICLES IMPOUNDED
BY THE BARTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ADOPTED MARCH 28, 2005

WHEREAS, law enforcement officers may impound vehicles as prescribed by Kansas Statutes;
and

WHEREAS, the Barton County Sheriff's Office has developed a policy for the impound of
vehicles following the Kansas Statutes.

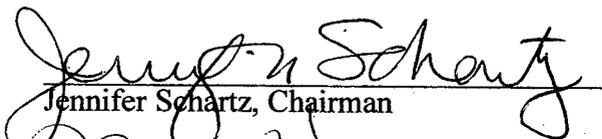
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Barton
County, Kansas, that Resolution 2005-09, A Resolution Establishing a Policy for Vehicles
Impounded by the Barton County Sheriff's Office, adopted March 28, 2005, is hereby
rescinded: and

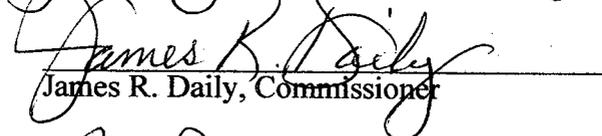
FURTHER, that the Barton County Sheriff's Office shall maintain a policy for the impound of
vehicles following Kansas Statutes.

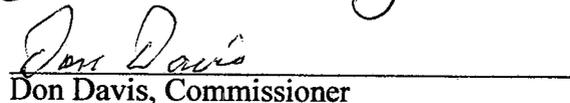
FURTHER, that this Resolution shall become effective upon its publication in the official County
newspaper.

MOTION MADE, SECONDED AND APPROVED this 21st day of October, 2019.

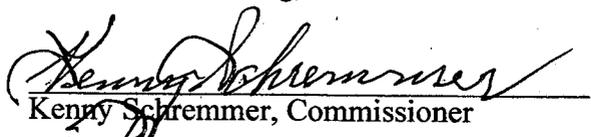
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS


Jennifer Schartz, Chairman

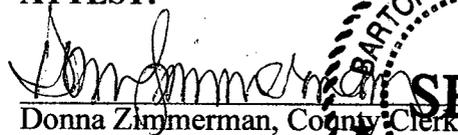

James R. Daily, Commissioner

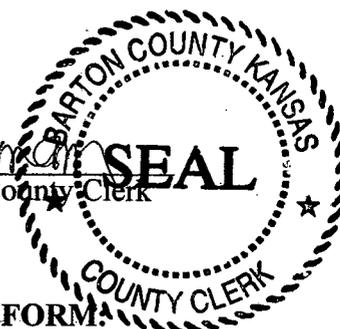

Don Davis, Commissioner


Homer Kruckenberg, Commissioner

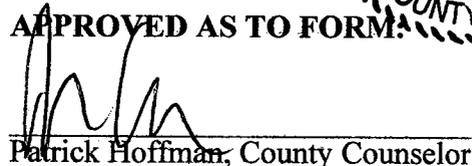

Kenny Schremmer, Commissioner

ATTEST:


Donna Zimmerman, County Clerk



APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Patrick Hoffman, County Counselor