# MINUTES FOR February 18, 2022 BOARD OF CHEROKEE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS CHEROKEE COUNTY, KANSAS

#### CONVENE

Chairman Cory Moates called the regular session of the Cherokee County Board of Commissioners (The Board), to order at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, February 18, 2022, in the Commission Room, #109 of the Cherokee County Courthouse located at 110 W Maple St., Columbus, Kansas. Commissioner Moates opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. Commissioners Cory Moates, Lorie Johnson, Myra Frazier, and County Clerk Rebecca Brassart were present for the opening.

#### **APPROVAL of MINUTES**

A motion was made by Commissioner Johnson to approve the minutes of the February 14, 2022, meeting. Commissioner Moates seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.

#### APPROVAL of ADDENDUM

A motion was made by Commissioner Johnson to approve the addendum to the minutes of the February 7, 2022, meeting. Commissioner Moates seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.

#### **APPROVAL of PAYROLL**

Commissioner Johnson made a motion to approve the payroll as presented. Commissioner Frazier seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.

## **APPROVAL of PAYABLES**

Commissioner Frazier made a motion to approve the accounts payable as presented. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Commissioners Moates, Frazier and Johnson discussed the alternative power energy sources. Commissioner Johnson had been able to obtain information prior to the meeting regarding the payments that were received by Neosho County, Kansas from the windmill company. Johnson shared this information with the other Board members.

The Board then decided to move forward with having another public comment session. The Board agreed that there should be enough time given so that the public would be better informed of the meeting. The decision was made to have to hold the public comment session on March 7, 2022, and that County Clerk Brassart would again publish it one time in the News Report, and she would also get it out on social media.

County Counselor Nathan Coleman joined the meeting to let the Board know that he had spoken with Gene Mense our County Auditor regarding the Mercy Hospital tax reimbursement and that he had also followed up with County Treasurer Raven Elmore regarding the matter.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Moates made a motion to adjourn the February 18, 2022, meeting. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. The motion carried 3-0.

ATTEST: Resolved and ordered this 28th day of February 2022

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