The Stanton County Board of Commissioners met in regular session July 18, 2022. Present were Commissioners John Smith, Chris Floyd & Lonnie Brown, County Attorney David Black and County Clerk Sandy Barton. Chairman Smith called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

Minutes of July 5 & July 15 were read and approved.

Vouchers were approved and paid as follows:

General	\$ 50,708.76
Road & Bridge	545,517.13
Airport	7,366.33
Golf Course	11,430.24
Park	3,034.45
4-H Bldg.	54.14
Noxious Weed	177.53
Fire & Rescue	1,035.01
Medical Expense	289.00
LEC 911	5,735.52
Totals	\$ 625,348.11

Road Supervisor John Schweizer met with the Board to discuss issues pertinent to his department. John informed the Board the interest rate increased on the motor grader since it was over the 120-day lockin. The Board requested him to check with the local banks for financing the motor grader.

County Attorney Black left the meeting at 11:30.

Health Nurse Ruth Walker met with the Board to discuss the June financials for the Health Department. Ruth submitted an Active Transportation Plan for Stanton County. The Health Coalition continues to work on the walking path at Battin Park. Ruth is looking into the purchase of a container for storage and a new Website for the County, to be paid for by COVID monies.

EMS Director Roger Richardson and Nicole Edmisson met with the Board to discuss charges for ambulance runs. After a discussion it was decided to raise the mileage rate by \$2.00 and the run rate by \$200. It was also discussed paying above the run rate of \$30 for a local run when the call lasts for more than 2 hours. No decision was made at this time.

Custodian Mitch Grover met with the Board to discuss his job duties. The weekly duties list will be redone. It was also discussed about the mileage they are driving per month going back and forth to the different buildings. They are to keep track of their mileage and the Board will decided on reimbursement later.

County Treasurer Vanessa Trujillo met with the Board to give an update on outstanding taxes to be collected and the current County financials.

County Clerk Sandy Barton visited with the Board about Deputy Clerk Amber Wilkerson and requested her wage to be increased by \$1.00. The Board approved the request.

Tax roll orders were signed:

202226-202236 – Coleman Oil – abate 1667 in value - \$388.18 in tax. 202237-202247 – MAP MRP – add 1667 in value - \$388.18 in tax. 202248 – Eusebia Saenz – abate penalty – abate 1050 in value – \$280.94 in tax. 202249 – Ernesto Lara – abate penalty – abate 676 in value - \$180.88 in tax.

There being no further business to come before the Board, Chairman Smith adjourned the meeting at 3:45 p.m.

ATTEST: SIGN:

Sandy Barton John D Smith