

July 18, 2023

The Stanton County board of Commissioners met in special session to discuss the county budget for 2024. Present were Commissioners Chris Floyd, Lonnie Brown & John Smith, County Clerk Sandy Barton and auditor Craig Hay with Hay, Rice & Associates.

Chairman Floyd called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

Mr. Hay went over the proposed county budget with the Board. The County valuation has dropped by 6.5 million and a RNR tax rate of 142.526 will generate the same amount of tax dollars for 2024 as in 2023. Commissioner Brown moved to accept the 2024 budget as presented, seconded by Commissioner Smith. Motion carried 3-0.

Commissioner Smith moved to hold a Revenue Neutral Rate hearing September 5<sup>th</sup> at 9:45 a.m. in the boardroom to exceed the RNR tax rate if needed, seconded by Commissioner Brown. Motion carried 3-0.

The budget hearing will follow at 10:00 a.m.

There being no further business to come before the Board, Chairman Floyd adjourned the meeting at 11:20 a.m.

ATTEST:

Sandy Barton  
County Clerk

SIGN:

Chris Floyd  
Chairman