

The Allen County Board of Commissioners met in Special session at 1:30 p.m. with Chairman William "Bill" H. King, Commissioner Jerry Daniels, Commissioner Bruce Symes, and Sherrie L. Riebel, Allen County Clerk.

Nick Reynolds, Humboldt Union, Trevor Hoag, Iola Register, Bryan J. Murphy, Allen County Sheriff, Robert Johnson II, Allen County Counselor, Mitch Garner, Public Works Director, Ron Holman, Allen County House and Grounds Director, Dr. Brian Wolfe, Susan Lynn, Tim Stauffer, Iola Register, Nick Lohman, Juanell & Robert Garrett, Jennifer Coltrane, & Paul Zirjacks, citizens, Lisse Regehr, Thrive Allen County Executive Director, Paige Olson, Tracy Keagle, Dan Davis, Cole Herder, City of Humboldt Administrator and Mary Ann Arnott, was present to observe the meeting.

Chairman King led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman King opened the floor to take public comments. Several patrons were in favor of upholding Governor Kelly's executive order and several were opposed the order mandating that everyone wear a mask when out in public. Commissioners reviewed the recommendation from Rebecca Johnson, Southeast Kansas Multi County Health Director "Our medical director Dr. Rebecca Watson and I have read through the Governor's latest order regarding the wearing of masks in indoor and outdoor public setting. She and I both are strongly in favor of and strongly recommend Allen, Anderson, Bourbon, and Woodson Counties follow Governor Kelly's order."

Commissioner Symes moved to go into executive session for 10 minutes to discuss Attorney-Client Privilege. Commissioner Daniels seconded; motion passed 3-0-0. Those in the room will be Chairman King, Commissioner Symes, Commissioner Daniels, and Robert Johnson, II, Allen County Counselor. The time is now 2:22 p.m. Commissioners reconvened at 2:32 p.m. No action was taken.

Commissioner Daniels stated a consensus from the commissioners would be to take no actions on Governor Kelly's Executive Order at this time. Allen County Commissioners agreed.

With no further business to come before the board, Commissioner Daniels moved to adjourn, Commissioner Symes seconded, and motion passed 3-0-0. Meeting was adjourned at 2:35 a.m. until Tuesday, July 7, 2020 at 8:30 a.m. in the Assembly Room of the courthouse.

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William H. King, Chairperson

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Bruce Symes, Commissioner

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Sherrie L Riebel, Allen County Clerk

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Jerry Daniels, Commissioner