

**Stafford County Commissioners  
Minutes of Meeting  
October 7th, 2020**

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The Stafford County Board of County Commissioners met in regular session in the Commissioner Room in the Courthouse on Wednesday, October 7th, 2020. Chairman Fairchild called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. Present: Kurt Fairchild, Clayton Grimmett and Todd Wycoff. Bryce Garner, Commissioner Elect District # 3 and Millissa Schidecker were present.

Phillip Nusser, Road Supervisor, presented cost estimates for a bridge over the Dooleyville Creek - \$ 161,000.00, and a low water crossing one mile east of Highway 281 on Fourth Street, then one mile north - \$ 84,735.00. The funding for both of these projects will come from the State of Kansas bridge replacement program. The cost of the low water crossing will be less than estimated with the county road crew completing part of the items on the list.

Golden Belt Telephone announced that the application for funding submitted for the Stafford County Broadband Project to the Kansas Department of Commerce for the SPARK Connectivity Emergency Response Program was approved. This project will bring high-speed broadband to Hudson, Radium and Seward, along with the rural residents of Stafford County. Right-of-way agreements will be presented at a later time.

Commissioner Wycoff moved and Grimmett seconded to approve the minutes from the September 30th session. Motion carried 3-0.

Commissioner Wycoff moved and Grimmett seconded to recess to executive session for 10 minutes pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception in order to discuss a performance matter. Motion carried 3-0. In at 9:06 a.m., out at 9:16 a.m. Those present: County Commissioners, County Attorney, County and Bryce Garner.

Meeting adjourned at 9:17 a.m.

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Nita J. Keenan  
Stafford County Clerk

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Chairman

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