



REGULAR SESSION

County Commission

Courthouse
206 W. 1st Avenue
Hutchinson, KS 67501

A G E N D A

Reno County Courthouse Veterans Room
206 W. 1st Ave.
Hutchinson, KS 67501
Wednesday, May 8, 2024, 9:00 AM

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and Prayer**
3. **Welcome and Announcements by Commission Chair**
4. **Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda**
Please come forward to the podium, state your name and address and limit your remarks to not more than 5 minutes per item.
5. **Determine Additions or Revisions to the Agenda**
6. **Consent Agenda**
 - 6.A Vouchers (bills or payments owed by the county or related taxing units)
 - 6.B Renewal Application for a Cereal Malt Beverage License for Oasis Convenience Store for OFF PREMISES Sales
7. **Business Items**
 - 7.A Solid Waste Annual Report
 - 7.B Solar Regulation Discussion
8. **County Administrator Report**
 - 8.A Monthly Department Reports
9. **County Commission Report/Comments**
10. **Adjournment**

Randy Parks
District 1

Ron Hirst
District 2

Daniel P. Friesen
District 3

John Whitesel
District 4

Don Bogner
District 5



AGENDA ITEM

AGENDA ITEM #6.B

AGENDA DATE: May 8, 2024

PRESENTED BY: Valorie Garcia-Accounts Payable Clerk

AGENDA TOPIC:

Renewal Application for a Cereal Malt Beverage License for Oasis Convenience Store for OFF PREMISES Sales

SUMMARY & BACKGROUND OF TOPIC:

Oasis Convenience Store renews their license every year.

ALL OPTIONS:

I am asking that the BOCC approve this CMB license

RECOMMENDATION / REQUEST:

Recommend approval

POLICY / FISCAL IMPACT:

The County General Fund 001-00-4300-001 will receive revenue in the amount of \$75.00 from Oasis Convenience Store for the CMB license application

KEEP THIS LICENSE POSTED CONSPICUOUSLY AT ALL TIMES

Fee: \$ 75.00

RETAIL

No. 013

DEALER'S

2024

LICENSE

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

License is here by granted to OASIS CONVENIENCE STORE to sell at retail.

CEREAL MALT BEVERAGES

FOR SALE IN ORIGINAL AND UNOPENED CONTAINERS AND NOT FOR CONSUMPTION ON THE PREMISES

at 33904 W HWY 50 SYLVIA, KS 67581

(Give exact location, with street number, if any.)

in the Township of SYLVIA in RENO County, Kansas
Application therefor, on file in the Office of the County Clerk of said County, having been approved by the
Governing body of said Township, as provided by the Laws of Kansas, and the regulations of the Board of
County Commissioners.

This License will expire MAY 14, 2025, unless sooner revoked, is not transferable,
Nor will any refund of the fee be allowed thereon.

(SEAL) Done by the Board of County Commissioners of RENO County, Kansas,
this 8 TH day of MAY, 2024

Attest: _____
County Clerk Chairman

CORPORATE APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TO SELL CEREAL MALT BEVERAGES

(This form has been prepared by the Attorney General's Office)

City or County of Reed

Place on
City/County
149988

SECTION 1 - LICENSE TYPE

Check One: New License Renew License Special Event Permit

Check One:

- License to sell cereal malt beverages for consumption on the premises.
 License to sell cereal malt beverages in original and unopened containers and not for consumption on the licensed premises.

SECTION 2 - APPLICANT INFORMATION

Kansas Sales Tax Registration Number (required): 004-K09483091-F01

I have registered as an Alcohol Dealer with the TTB. Yes (required for new application)

Name of Corporation <u>OASIS CONVENIENCE STORE</u>		FEIN <u>811072215</u>	
Corporation Street Address		Corporation City	State Zip Code
Date of Incorporation	Articles of Incorporation are on file with the Secretary of State.		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Resident Agent Name	Phone No.		
Residence Street Address	City	State	Zip Code

SECTION 3 - LICENSED PREMISE

Licensed Premise (Business Location or Location of Special Event)		Mailing Address (If different from business address)	
DBA Name <u>OASIS CONVENIENCE STORE</u>	Name		
Business Location Address <u>33904 W. Hwy #50</u>	Address		
City <u>Sylvia</u> State <u>KS</u> Zip <u>67581</u>	City	State	Zip
Email Address(s) Please separate values with a comma. <u>JoseFloresOasis666@att.net.com</u>			
Business Phone No. <u>620 486 2322</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant owns the proposed business location. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant does not own the proposed business location.		
Business Location Owner Name(s)			

SECTION 4 - OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, STOCKHOLDERS OWNING 25% OR MORE OF STOCK

List each person and their spouse*, if applicable. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Name <u>S. TRINIDAD PEREZ</u>	Position <u>owner</u>	Date of Birth <u>9/10/61</u>	
Residence Street Address <u>212 S. STAFFORD</u>	City <u>Sylvia</u>	State <u>KS</u>	Zip Code <u>67581</u>
Spouse Name <u>_____</u>	Position	Date of Birth	
Residence Street Address	City	State	Zip Code
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Spouse Name	Position	Age	
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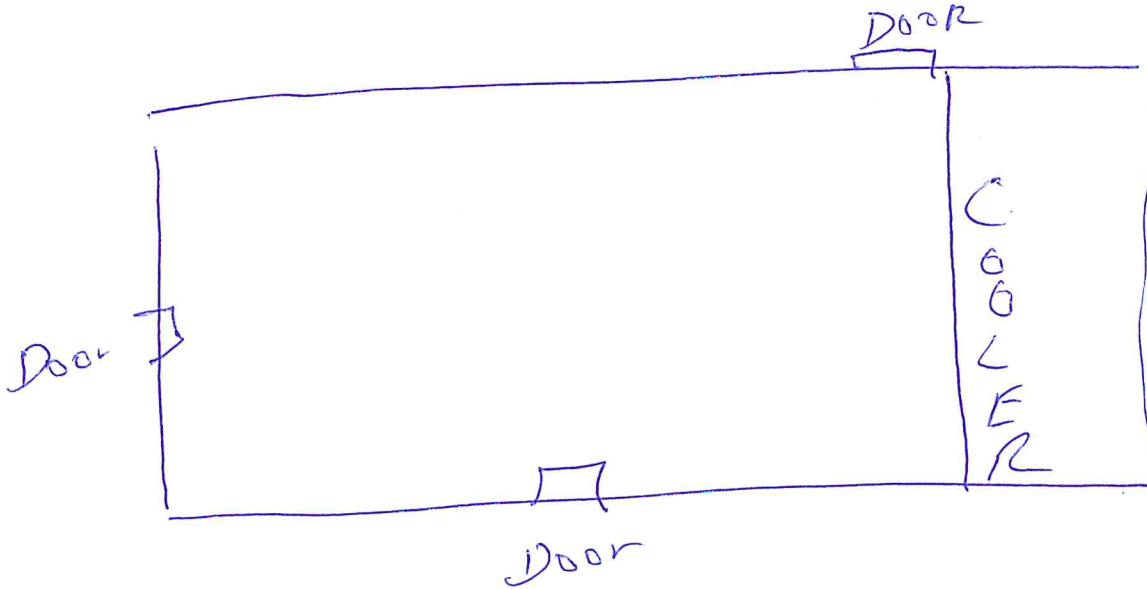
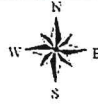
**Donna Patton
COUNTY CLERK**

SECTION 4 – OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, STOCKHOLDERS OWNING 25% OR MORE OF STOCK (CONTINUED)

Name	Position		Date of Birth
Residence Street Address	City	State	Zip Code
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SECTION 8 – LICENSED PREMISE

In the space below, draw the area you wish to sell or deliver CMB. Include entrances, exits and storage areas. Do not include areas you do not wish to license. If you wish to attach a drawing, check the box: 8 1/2" by 11" drawing attached.



I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Kansas that the foregoing is true and correct and that I am authorized by the corporation to complete this application. (K.S.A. 53-601)

SIGNATURE *[Signature]*

DATE 4-28-24

FOR CITY/COUNTY OFFICE USE ONLY:

- License Fee Received Amount \$ _____ Date _____
(\$25 - \$50 for Off-Premise license or \$25-200 On-Premise license)
- \$25 CMB Stamp Fee Received Date _____
- Background Investigation Completed Date _____ Qualified Disqualified
- Verified applicant has registered with the TTB as an Alcohol Dealer
- New License Approved Valid From Date _____ to _____ By: _____
- License Renewed Valid From Date _____ to _____ By: _____
- Special Event Permit Approved Valid From Date _____ to _____ By: _____

A PHOTOCOPY OF THE COMPLETED FORM, TOGETHER WITH THE STAMP FEE REQUIRED BY K.S.A. 41-2702(e), MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR MONTHLY REPORT (ABC-307) TO THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL, 109 SW 9TH ST, 5TH FLOOR, PO BOX 3506, TOPEKA, KS 66601.

* Applicant's spouse is not required to meet citizenship or age requirements. If renewal application, applicant's spouse is not required to meet the no criminal history requirement. K.S.A. 41-2703(b)(9)

AGENDA ITEM #7.A



Reno County Solid Waste
4015 W. Clark Rd
Hutchinson, KS 67501
(620) 694-2586
Fax (620) 694-669-8126

Solid Waste UPDATE

RENO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
Wednesday May 8, 2024

PROJECTS

- Employees have been working on the Gun Range dirt excavation and building of the berms. (updated pictures attached)
- Demolition of the old scale house, septic system and old household hazardous waste area
- Dirt Excavation of Phase III in the Construction Demolition Site.

SPRING CLEANUPS

- City of Hutch Cleanup was the weekend of April 26-28, 2024
- Area small towns also have had city wide cleanups
- HHW Trailer has been out and about to various cities in Reno County as well as Rice County (Buhler, Pretty Prairie, Sylvia, Arlington)

HHW (Household Hazardous Waste Update) 2023

- 51,225 pounds (25 tons) of HHW material was placed in the Reuse building and available to the public
- 5,903 gallons of used oil was sent off to be recycled in 2023
- 10.01 tons of batteries were picked up for recycling in 2023
- 602.96 tons of metal was picked up for recycling in 2023
- Mattress Recycling 2023 253.57 tons

Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) Construction & Demolition (C&D) 2023

All Material - Reno County 104,340.42 tons
Out of County 37,154.66 tons

TOTAL- 141,504.21 tons

MSW- 105,787.75 In and Out of County

C & D- 19,506.31 In and Out of County

Compost- Reno County Only 2,259 tons

Brush- Reno County Only 7,356 tons

C&D Revenue 2023- \$252,092

Staffing:

- Temporary Employees (litter pickers) 1-5 people depending on the wind and weather conditions
- 23 Full Time Employees

Tours and Presentations- We have given a few different tours this past year to the Boys and Girls Club for an after school activity for kids to learn about recycling and trash. We also have given a tour to a ladies group that had interest in our Household Hazardous Waste Reuse Building and what is available to the public who lives in Reno County. Education is our biggest goal to help inform citizens of Reno County and what all the landfill has to offer in our county.

Certified Powertrain Rebuilds (Foley Equipment)

Here at the landfill we go through a Certified Rebuild Program with Foley Equipment on our Dozers, Scrapers, and Trash Compactors.

Scrapers are rebuilt at 12,000 hours and again at 22,000 hours, where as the trash compactors and dozers are rebuilt at 15,000 hours and 27,000 hours. These machines basically get rebuilt from the frame up, inside and out and come back with a brand new serial number and new warranty on the machines. The life cycle of a machine going through the rebuild program increases the life of the machine years and years down the road which is cost effective to the county, since these machines are the nuts and bolts of the operation at the landfill.

Questions???





OTHER OPTIONS

CAT CERTIFIED REBUILD PROGRAM

Only the global Cat dealer network is capable of performing highly sophisticated Cat Certified Rebuilds—and no matter where you go in the world, you'll find the work completed to a consistent standard of excellence. Ask your local dealer about all our Cat Certified Rebuild options:

REBUILD
MACHINE

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REBUILD
HYDRAULIC

REBUILD
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GET MAXIMUM RETURN ON YOUR INVESTMENT

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CAT

YOUR CAT POWER TRAIN IS BUILT TO PERFORM NOT FOR ONE LIFETIME, BUT FOR **MULTIPLE LIFETIMES.**

DON'T LET THAT EXTRA VALUE GO TO WASTE.
REVITALIZE THE HEART OF YOUR CAT MACHINE FOR A FRACTION OF THE COST OF BUYING NEW.

Restoring your power train's original performance and productivity—plus adding engineering updates introduced after it was manufactured—improves machine availability and greatly extends service life. A **Cat® Certified Power Train Rebuild** returns your radiator, engine, transmission, torque converter, final drive and axle to like-new condition, helping you get maximum return on your original machine investment.

Interested in reconditioning your power train plus other key areas of your machine, like the mainframe, hydraulics, undercarriage or more? Ask your dealer about a Cat Certified Power Train Plus Rebuild.

REBUILD PROCESS

STEPS TO A LIKE-NEW POWER TRAIN

INSPECTION/EVALUATION

Perform fluid analysis, visual inspections and up to 200 tests

COMPLETE DISASSEMBLY

Conduct an extensive inspection of all parts and components

RECONDITIONING

Complete work not included in a typical overhaul (e.g., electronic control modules, power train wiring harnesses, sensors and switches, hoses, cooling package)

ENGINEERING UPDATES

Make improvements introduced after the original manufacture date

REASSEMBLY

Replace approximately 3,000 parts with new or remanufactured Cat parts; maintain all critical torques, clearances and pressure settings; replace all engine wiring

PERFORMANCE TESTING

Bench test components and conduct turbocharger boost, throttle response, stall speed rpm, transmission and steering clutch response tests

REPAINTING

Paint power train components; apply model identity graphics and Cat Certified Power Train Rebuild decal

FINAL INSPECTION

Install power train components and test all supporting systems to ensure proper operation and peak performance (performed by a certified Cat dealer service technician)

CUSTOMER EVALUATION

Ensure satisfaction with performance in the working environment

A process this extensive requires trained professionals, specialized equipment, stringent quality control and access to the latest technical information and is available only through a Cat Certified Power Train Rebuild performed by your local Cat dealer.

COVERAGE OPTIONS

NEW WARRANTY, EXTENDED COVERAGE

Every Cat Certified Power Train Rebuild includes a new parts warranty on all replaced parts, and you can add an optional **Equipment Protection Plan (EPP)*** for additional protection and peace of mind.

1-YEAR COVERAGE | **2-YEAR COVERAGE** | **3-YEAR COVERAGE**

WITH VARIABLE SERVICE HOURS TO MEET YOUR NEEDS

*Coverage differs by country. Additional coverage terms are available.

UPGRADES & RETROFITS

YESTERDAY'S POWER TRAIN, TODAY'S STANDARDS

Want even higher levels of performance and fuel efficiency at a much lower price than buying new? **Upgrade or retrofit** your power train and machine with new features, technologies and safety options available on today's models. It's an affordable way to enhance your power train even further while it's already in the shop for a rebuild with no additional downtime required.



SERVICES

LIKE-NEW SUPPORT

Your local **Cat dealer** has the parts, service and expertise to keep your rebuilt power train on the job. Financing for a rebuild is also available through your dealer and Cat Financial.



2017 CAT D8T-WH SN# FMC01096

Year	D8T-WH	Est. Cost	Est. Trade	Net Cost	Hour Meter
2017	Sale Price	\$ 844,949		\$ 844,949	15,000
2024	CPT #1	\$ 596,370		\$ 596,370	15,000
2031	CPT #2**	\$ 750,000		\$ 750,000	15,000
2038	New Machine			\$ -	0
21		\$ 2,191,319		\$ 2,191,319	45,000
21 Years of Service with 1 machine					
		Cost / Hr		\$ 48.70	
		Cost / Yr		\$ 104,348.51	
		21 Year Cost		\$ 2,191,318.69	

2017 D8T-WH Replace with NEW instead of Rebuild

Year	D8T-WH	**Est. Cost**	**Est. Trade**	Net Cost	Hours Meter
2017	New Machine	\$ 844,949		\$ 844,949	15,000
2024	New Machine	\$ 1,300,000	\$ 125,000	\$ 1,175,000	15,000
2031	New Machine	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 175,000	\$ 1,325,000	15,000
2038	New Machine			\$ -	0
21		\$ 3,644,949		\$ 3,344,949	45,000
21 Years of Service with 3 machines					
				Cost / Hr	\$ 74.33
				Cost / Yr	\$ 159,283.29
				21 Year Cost	\$ 3,344,949.00

21 YEAR ESTIMATED COST PURCHASING 3 NEW MACHINES	\$ 3,344,949.00
21 YEAR ESTIMATED COST WITH 1 NEW MACHINE WITH 2 REBUILDS	\$ 2,191,318.69
COST SAVINGS OVER 21 YEARS BY REBUILDING CAT MACHINES	\$ 1,153,630.31

** These are known cost

**Replacement Cost are estimated based on future price increases

**Trade Prices are estimated based on condition of machine at time of trade, knowing its due for a rebuild at end of 1st life

Reno County Solid Waste

CAT Certified Power Train Rebuild



Caterpillar 623G Wheel Tractor Scraper

Serial No. DBC00431

Hours 12,083

October 2022

FOLEY
EQUIPMENT



Reno County Solid Waste

CAT Certified Power Train Rebuild



Caterpillar 816F Landfill Compactor

Serial No. 8ZR00278

Hours 24,980

June 2023

FOLEY
EQUIPMENT





AGENDA ITEM

AGENDA ITEM #7.B

AGENDA DATE: May 8, 2024

PRESENTED BY: Don Brittain, Public Works Director

AGENDA TOPIC:
Solar Regulation Discussion

SUMMARY & BACKGROUND OF TOPIC:

Solar Moratorium Clarification:

At this time, the solar moratorium is in place for all areas of Reno County for large commercial solar, for private (residential/business) that are not on rooftops, and limited scale solar in unzoned areas.

The purpose of this agenda item is for the commission to give guidance for the planning commission on commercial solar projects within the zoned portion of the county.

For the un-zoned area, meetings are being planned to receive input from residents.

In the zoned area, the commission has adopted regulations on small scale commercial projects, and the planning commission is close to making its recommendation on private solar regulations.

The planning commission needs guidance on whether it should consider a ban on commercial scale solar projects in the zoned area, or if the commissioners want them to draft regulations to allow commercial projects to be developed. With this direction the county can eventually close out the solar regulations in the zoned portion of Reno County and once that is complete turn our focus to the rest of the county.



AGENDA ITEM

AGENDA ITEM #8.A

AGENDA DATE: May 8, 2024

PRESENTED BY: Randy Partington, County Administrator

AGENDA TOPIC:
Monthly Department Reports

SUMMARY & BACKGROUND OF TOPIC:

Every month, departments have been asked to provide an update on the previous month's major activities. The reports are intended to keep the county commission informed about the appointed and elected departments. Attached are reports for Aging-Public Transit, Appraiser, Automotive, Clerk, Community Corrections, Communications, and Emergency Management.



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Monthly Report for April 2024
Submitted by
Barbara Lilyhorn
Director - Department of Aging and Public Transportation

Budget

Aging Services has spent 21% and Public Transit has spent 63 % of the Department budgets respectively – a composite total of 51% of the entire 002 expenditure budget as of 4/23/2024. Composite revenue is 49 %. The purchase of 6 buses has skewed the Public Transit report – the revenue and expenditure off set but it causes the percentages to be inflated. This will be important to keep in mind through out the remainder of the year.

I submitted a draft of the 2025 budget. Since the U.S.C 49-5311 “KDOT” grant award has not been announced the figures are based on the amount awarded last year. KDOT just announced they will release The FY 2025 award in mid-May. I feel certain the budget will need to be adjusted accordingly as the awards have never been identical year to year.

Public Transportation

Staff- One Rcat Driver position will be filled pending the outcome of pre-employment testing. The driver who has been on extended medical leave will be unable to return to work. As a result, we have one driver position open.

Operations -Rcat received delivery of the long anticipated six Ford E450 cutaways from Diamond Coach model VIP 2200. I formally accepted the buses. This instigated the shared payment process in partnership with KDOT which went through smoothly. There are many steps in processing a new bus into the fleet and we are progressing well. Ford just released the MSO or titles to the dealership so we will be able to get the permanent license plates by next week. Switching the radios and tablets will be the final step. We plan to begin transitioning the new buses into service during the first week in May.

The Reno County Public Transportation Commission quarterly meeting was held.

Aging

Staff - The Social and Human Services position will be filled the first week in May.

Operations

In preparation for the Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program, all staff completed the required training. Several staff have participated in either the Kansas Leadership Center or the county HPO leadership training this month.

We continue to be busy assisting people who transitioned to Medicare Part C Advantage plans during the enrollment period last fall.



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Re: Monthly report for end of April 2024

To: Randy Partington, County Administrator

Staffing changes or issues

The County Appraiser's office is fully staffed.

Financial Summary

As of 4/26/24, the Appraiser's Office has spent approximately 30% of the year-to-date budget, with approximately 79% of expenses being payroll. The remaining expenses were primarily regular and seasonal/monthly expenses.

Projects/Issues/Challenges/Concerns

Residential & Commercial Departments

- Staff has completed 99% of informal appeals with property owners for the 2024 valuation. Informal appeal counts were down over 60% from 2023.
- Staff continues to process payment under protest hearings as they come in from the Treasurer.
- Staff has begun data collection and annual review for the 2025 valuation cycle.

Personal Property

- Personal property value notices (including oil & gas) will be mailed on May 1 per statute. Appeals for personal property must be received or postmarked by May 15; they will be promptly worked in order to meet the statutory valuation certification date of June 1.

Support Staff

- Staff continues to process deeds and update records accordingly.
- Staff continues to work with IT to determine best practices for workflow efficiency.
- Support staff performed admirably over the last two months as they dealt with above normal call volume plus scheduling appeals, creating appeal packets, and handling incoming personal property renditions.



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Budget YTD Summary

As of April 24th, 2024, we are at 32% of our overall budget of \$209,972. The internal services fund (fuel and parts) stands at 16% out of our budget of \$345,846. We have not purchased any vehicles yet this year out of the special equipment fund but have encumbered 84% of the total of \$268,213 for replacement patrol and jail vehicles.

Projects/Issues

We will be receiving quotes yet this month to replace a vehicle for the Sheriff's admin/detective division. We currently have 6 vehicles on order. Other than that it has been routine maintenance and repair.

March fuel expenses came in at \$14,211.40.



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County Clerk

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TDD: Kansas Relay Center 1-800-766-3777

Clerk/Election Monthly Report for April.

In the Election's Office we are finishing up from the Presidential Preference Primary and getting the supply bags ready for the next election. We are also entering the voter registration cards that came in. **We had 2,950 votes cast at a cost of \$55,168.53, which calculates out to \$18.70 per vote cast.** We will be bringing a form for the Board to sign so we can get reimbursed by the State for most of our expenses for the PPP.

In the Clerk's Office we are attending some training via zoom with our Tax System vendor for the upcoming budget season.

By the end of April, 35% of the year-to-date budget has been used in the Clerk's Office with the majority of that for payroll and 30% in the Election's Office has been used, with the majority of that for payroll.

Donna Patton



COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

115 West 1st
Hutchinson, Ks. 67501
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Fax 620-662-8613

County Commission Report

April 2024

Staffing

Community Corrections has one open Intensive Supervision Officer position. Intensive Supervision Officers, ISO's, fulfill the primary function of the agency, the direct supervision of people assigned to the program. Supervision of adults will be their primary function, but they may also be able to supervise youth in the future.

Projects/Concerns

The comprehensive plan grant applications were submitted in April. These Department of Corrections grant are the primary funding source for adult and juvenile supervision. Much of the money pays for staff but a large amount also goes towards client services.

Supervisory staff have continued to do refresher training with officers. During the staff meetings in April we've staffed cases with a specific focus on evidence-based practices and core correctional practices. This includes one officer giving everyone some basic information on a client including the risk and needs assessment results and case plan goals. We then discuss how each aspect of the training applies to this specific person. The goal is to help officers apply what they are learning in a meaningful way. Rather than just knowing the principles, we want officers to apply these things to the people with whom they work.

Financial

The Legislative budget committees have approved the \$5 million increase for statewide funding of Community Corrections. Once the budget is passed by the Governor the Department of Corrections will determine allocations for each agency. It is likely agencies will need to complete an amended budget when allocations come out in June.

Communications Monthly Report – March 30 – April 24, 2024

Press Release: *Pathways* grant to Reno County Farmer’s Market, Burn Permits – All About Community Safety.

Graphic Design: Signs for Career Quest Public Service Days, Volunteer Appreciation Week, Job Opening for Director of Aging and Public Transportation, new Burn Permit poster, created web photo for Reno County Health Department’s post about Histoplasmosis, six different graphics for National Public Health Week, and Happy Easter post.

Website: Reno County Health Department informs people about Histoplasmosis, Reno County Farmers’ Market receives *Pathways* grant, new post to remind people about required Burn Permits, Sen. Roger Marshall attends Chamber’s First Friday Coffee Event and visits New Beginnings Bisonte Food Service Site, Reno County Annex changing lunch hour to view eclipse, and celebrating National Public Health Week April 1-7, 2024.

Videos/Photos: Videos: Facebook live of HutchCC Women’s basketball team arrive home as NJCAA Div I National Champions, Coach John Ontjes thanking fans for coming out, Community celebration for HutchCC Women’s basketball team, Cosmosphere event for the Solar Eclipse. **Photos:** Check presentation for *Pathways* grant to Reno County Farmer’s Market, County Commission meetings on April 10th and April 24th, new Rcat buses getting graphics, Sen. Roger Marshall at the New Beginnings Bisonte Food Service kitchen, Sen. Roger Marshall at Chamber First Friday Coffee, solar eclipse at Cosmosphere event, NJCAA Men’s Div. I Championship game at Sports Arena, Fairfield High School freshman government class visits courthouse, and courthouse renovation photos.

Social Media: March 30 – April 24, 2024

- **Facebook Reno County:** 4,246 followers (+81), 57 posts
 - Top Post: Barton County Comm. College are the NJCAA DI Men’s Basketball Champions (03.30.24)
 - 40,852 reach, 8,474 engagements, 79 shares, 1,759 reactions, 158 comments
- **Twitter:** 880 followers (-4), 29 tweets
 - Top Tweet: Reno County Commissioners meet on April 24, 2024. (04.19.24)
 - 40 impressions, 0 media engagements
- **YouTube:** 381 subscribers (+7)
 - Top video: Reno County Board of County Commissioners (04.10.24)
 - 314 views
- **LinkedIn:** 123 followers (+1), 0 posts.
- **Instagram:** 32 followers (+3), 21 posts.

Meetings: Hutchinson Community Foundation Strategic Impact Committee meeting, Career Quest Public Service Day progress meeting, Reno County Collaborative meeting and Employee Engagement Committee meeting.



Emergency Management

Reno County
206 W 1st Ave
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4/24/2024

Staffing changes or issues (if any)

There are no staffing changes to report.

Budget YTD summary

Emergency Management has used 32% of the 2024 year-to-date budget.

Projects/Issues/Challenges/Concerns

Activities:

- Attended Kansas Emergency Management Association meeting and statewide meetings.
- As mentioned in previous reports, planning:
 - Our mitigation plan is expiring at the end of 2024. The mitigation plan will continue to be a focus of 2023 and 2024.
 - This plan is in the review phase. There are no updates since March.
- Assisted a private organization in disaster planning.
- Gave two presentations on severe weather.
- Attended several webinars/training sessions.
- Reno/Kingman Joint Fire District 1 (Pretty Prairie) received their chassis for a brush truck that was ordered earlier this year. The department is in the process of outfitting the truck.
- District 6 (Sylvia) completed outfitting their used tender truck that was approved for purchase earlier this year. That apparatus is in service and has been utilized this month.
- Reno/Harvey Joint Fire District 2 (Buhler Fire) received their new tender truck that was ordered in 2022. That apparatus is currently in service and has been utilized this month.
- District 8 (Yoder, Pleasantview) received their new brush truck that was ordered in 2023. That truck will be in service soon.