

COOK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Work Session 5:00 p.m.

January 19, 2021

Present: Jeff Lane, Presiding Chairman
Audie Rowe, Vice-Chairman
Debra Robinson, Commissioner (via Skype)
Lindsey Parrish, Commissioner
Dwight E. Purvis, Commissioner (via Skype)

Staff: Faye Hughes, County Administrator
Vicki S. Parrish, County Clerk

Chairman Rowe called the work session to order.

Rusty McCranie, Road Superintendent -

- Commissioner Parrish asked Mr. McCranie Rusty to look into the curve signs at connection of Hutchinson Parrish and Cox Still Road.
- Chairman Lane asked about a new person to do beaver control, issues with beavers in the county are increasing. He also asked about the repairs needed on the Volvo dump, parts have been ordered but delayed due to COVID.

Daniel Barber, Landfill Superintendent –

- Presented needed repairs to the 2017 F550 truck, currently has 122,000 miles, Mr. Barber recommended the repair quote from Valdosta Transmission, \$6,418.36.
- 1993 Dirt Pan needs repairing, continuing to have issues and now the engine needs to be rebuilt, estimated cost \$20,000.
- Presented information on a rebuilt Dirt Pan, \$451,000. Commissioner Purvis asked for detailed information and 5 year premier warranty.

2021 CDBG – Siska Lane and Hawk Lane: Discussed expanding the plans for the 2021 CDBG Siska Lane and Hawk Lane by designing roads for curb and gutters. The roads are on a 40 ft right of way which would prohibit county equipment access to clean and mow ditches. The other alternative is to purchase additional property. Current drainage problems are being addressed with the Gornto Family.

Chairman Lane asked due to the issues surrounding the road across Antioch, Lane Road, could the two roads be combined for the 2021 CDBG project funds.

Board and Authorities will be asked to send copies of their minutes from their meetings rather than meet with the Commission Board in person.

COVID Vaccinations - Commissioner Parrish expressed concern that citizens are having issues with the vaccination process at the health department.

Work Session adjourned.

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This 1st day of March 2021.

/s/ Audie Rowe, Chairman

/s/ Vicki S. Parrish, County Clerk