

The Town of
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BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

Regular Session Minutes

116 West Main St

Coyle, OK 73027

Tuesday, August 12, 2025

Notice for the regular meeting for the Board of Trustees for the Town of Coyle, Oklahoma was posted on Monday, August 13, 2025, before 7:00 pm and held on Tuesday, August 12, 2025, in Town Hall located at 116 W Main St, Coyle, OK 73027.

Meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm by Carl Long.

Members Present: Mayor – Carl Long
Trustee – JoAnn Hale
Trustee – Colton Moorman

Staff: Linde Vogan – Town Clerk
BJ Anderson – Maintenance
Dylan Rader – Fire Chief
Devin Costner - Captain

Guests Present: Teresa King
Tiffany King
Dusty King
Tim Ming
Jeanne Yarberry Dobson
Cheryl Hickman
Mark Cline

Welcome Guests: Dusty King asked about the payment to Oklahoma Municipal Law. He pointed out that the Town has already paid for the items that were included in the invoice received. Asked if a travel policy had been previously approved to be able to process the reimbursement for Carl. Also discussed the item regarding Matt Love being hired for an opinion on the Open Meeting Act, that we have already discussed this. Also asked why we are contacting another attorney instead of our Town attorney on this item.

Consent Agenda: Motion made by Colton Moorman to accept consent agenda
Seconded – JoAnn Hale

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Motion carried – Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Aye, Colton Moorman, Aye

Mileage

Reimbursement:

Motion made by JoAnn Hale to reimburse Carl for use of his personal vehicle to go get the EM Tahoe

Seconded – Colton Moorman

Motion carried – Carl Long, Abstained, JoAnn Hale, Aye, Colton Moorman, Aye

**Hire Matt Love for
Opinion on Open
Meeting Act on
Public Comments:**

We keep having comments from the public. The understanding is that the Board doesn't not have to allow the public comment or respond to the questions. It was suggested by Bryce Kennedy to contact Matt Love for an opinion on this. It was discussed that by bringing him in to tell us what we already know is a waste of money. It was suggested to get ahold of Matt to see what he would charge and if its not too high, then bring him in.

Motion made by JoAnn Hale to table hiring Matt Love at this time

Seconded – Colton Moorman

Motion carried – Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Aye, Colton Moorman, Aye

Error in Census:

JoAnn reviewed information regarding an error in the 2020 census. If we get our representative, Molly Jenkins, to write a letter explaining what the error is, that would go a long way to correcting the error. It also needs to be corrected at the Census Bureau. To do that we would need to contact Stephanie Bice.

Motion made by Carl Long to give JoAnn the authority to talk to these people to correct this issue

Seconded – Colton Moorman

Motion carried – Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Abstained, Colton Moorman, Aye

**ACOG REAP Grant
Update:**

Flail mower has arrived. No more implements are needed. Remaining funds will be used for gravel. We've got one spot that is turning into a pothole. BJ has contacted American Asphalt and is waiting to get a quote.

Fire Dept Report:

Not a lot of calls, been organizing at the station, getting prices for bed on truck damaged during fires, Dylan has been working on creating a new patch, it is believed that the fire department was started in 1980 when the Kiwanis club donated a truck to start it up, doing some truck shopping through county

**Travel Expenses for
Fire Department
Training:**

Motion made by JoAnn Hale to cover 2 nights of hotel in Altus and \$50.00 per day per diem for food

Seconded – Carl Long

Motion carried – Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Aye, Colton Moorman, Aye

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| Purchasing Gear with Forestry Funding: | Motion made by JoAnn Hale to approve purchase of wildland and bunker gear at approximately 88,000 pending receipt of grant money Seconded – Colton Moorman Motion carried – Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Aye, Colton Moorman, Aye |
| Event Report: | Nothing to report |
| Financial Report: | Current balance as of 7/31/25 General Fund: 81,673.97 CPWA: 39,015.79 Coyle Fire Department: 35,885.05 A Monthly Cash Activity and Balances Report and Budget to Actuals as of July 31, 2025 was also provided. JoAnn moved the funds from General to CPWA that was approved in last month's meeting. |
| Maintenance Report: | Flail mower is here, it throws things at the back window, might need to find something to cover that, new mower has arrived |
| Cemetery Report: | Josh worked on mowing |
| Court Clerk/Code Enforcement Report: | No court this month, received the court order for case 2024-01, sent out to the Board, Brian will be out here this week and letters will be sent when received |
| Fence Issue at 111 S Pulliam: | Motion made by Carl Long to remove this item Seconded – JoAnn Hale Motion carried- Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Colton Moorman, Aye Discussion took place on leaving this on the agenda until we know if they appeal Motion made by JoAnn Hale to put it back on Seconded – Colton Moorman Motion carried – Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Aye, Colton Moorman, Aye |
| EM Report: | James does a lot of checking of rivers and reservoir as part of Emergency Management, he also does the tornado siren test |
| Decals and Radios for EM Tahoe: | Motion made by JoAnn Hale to go with Metro Upfitter for radios and decals Seconded – Colton Moorman Motion carried – Carl Long, Abstained, JoAnn Hale, Aye, Colton Moorman, Aye |

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New Business:

No new business

Adjourn:

Motion made by JoAnn Hale adjourn

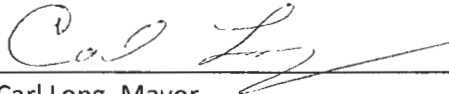
Seconded – Colton Moorman

Motion carried – Carl Long, Aye, JoAnn Hale, Colton Moorman, Aye

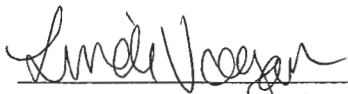
Meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm

Next Meeting:

Next meeting is scheduled for September 9, 2025



Carl Long, Mayor



Linde Vogan, Town Clerk

