The Kansas Chief **2** Thursday, June 12, 2025



The Highland Community Action Team (HCAT) congratulates Lori Craig for the honor of having her yard in Highland named as the "Yard of the Month" for the month of May. Lori's yard is pictured above.

Elwood City meeting

Unofficial minutes By Clerk Pam King The City of Elwood held its regucontinue with the projects. Hall said he has ordered mosquito

lar Council Meeting on May 19, 2025 at 7:00pm Mayor Timmy Kieser, Sr. called the regularly scheduled meeting to order. Those attending: council members Dustin Robinson, Megan Shackelford, C.J. Garner, Travis Holcomb, and Sam Meers. Also attending: Brandon Whetstine, Wayne Hall, Charles Baskins, Jeff Shackelford and Pam King.

INVOCATION

Travis Holcomb gave the invocation.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES Dustin Robinson moved, Megan

Shackelford seconded, to approve as written the May 5, 2025 regular council meeting minutes. Sam Meers, C.J. Garner and Travis Holcomb, yea.

CHIEF OF POLICE Chief Whetstine informed the governing body he has 3 bids for I.T. support. The bids were from Quick Silver, Leading Edge and TS Conard. Whetstine said Leading Edge was the best fit for his department. Sam Meers moved, Megan Shackelford seconded, to go with Leading Edge/ entering into a contract for the IT support for the police department. Travis Holcomb, C.J. Garner and Dustin

Robinson, yea. Chief Whetstine requested a five spray Hall said the sand spreader is getting replaced.

Hall will contact applicants for summer help, with a start date of June 2

GOVERNING BODY Mayor Kieser reminded everyone filing deadline for Mayor and Council is June 2, 2025.

Sam Meers gave condolences to the Charlie Golden family.

C.J. Garner asked the status of the Colby Carpentier property, dangerous structure. The property is being processed

The properties at 804 Vermont Street, 705 Kentucky and 504 Kentucky Street are also being discussed to be processed as a dangerous structure/nuisance.

Dustin Robinson said the funds look good. Robinson requested an executive

session for personnel for 3 minutes. Travis Holcomb asked for bids to tear down the quanset.

It was decided to get bid to concrete the barn-on Atlantic Street. EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 7:20pm Travis Holcomb moved, Dustin Robinson seconded, to go into executive session for 10 minutes for legal and personnel. Sam

Troy City Council meeting

Unofficial minutes

Bv Clerk Jim Richardson The Troy City Council met in regular session on June 4, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. at Troy City Hall. The meeting was called to order by Micheal Brissett. Mayor Micheal Brissett, Council members, Cody Miller, Duane Weishaar, Tim Hanlan, and Kohlbe King answered roll call. Council member Darren Clary was absent. City Clerk Jim Richardson, Chief of Police Mark Alan, City Attorney Alan Boeh, Working Supervisor Jim Horner, Bill Penny, Garrett Nordstrom Clint Paden, and Harry Smith were also present.

The consent agenda was submitted consisting of the council meeting minutes of May 21, 2025; special council meeting minutes of May 29, 2025; bills as listed AP check 126910, in the amount of \$14,078.00; AP Check 126930 in the amount of \$12,500.00 AP checks 126931 thru 126949 in the amount of \$514,470.66; and Resolutions number 2025-11 and 2025-12 for special Event CMB's on June 13,

Motion was made by Duane Weishaar, second by Kohlbe King to approve the consent agenda as submitted. Vote unanimous with those Council members present. Motion carried.

Bill Penny from the American Legion was present to ask for street closing on August 30, 2025, Labor Day weekend for the purpose of having a car show. Discussion followed.

Motion was made by Duane Weishaar, second by Kohlbe King to close Main Street from Walnut to Chestnut and Walnut Street and Chestnut Street from Main Street to Liberty Street on August 30, 2025, from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.for the purpose of the American Legion to have a car show. Vote unanimous with those Council members present. Motion carried.

Garrett Nordstrom from Governmental Assistant Services was present to the review and have the necessary paperwork passed and signed to submit the application for a CDBG grant for the park. Discussion followed.

Motion was made by Duane Weishaar, second by Kohlbe King to sign all the necessary paperwork to

112 S. Park Street, James & Melissa Delzeit; resolution 2025-05, 428 N. 2nd Street, Lyle Rockey; resolution 2025-08, 237 E. Poplar Street, Jennifer Schmille. Discussion followed with the Mayor, City Council and

Chief of Police Mark Alan. Motion was made by Tim Hanlan, second by Kohlbe King to dismiss resolution 2024-36, 112 S. Park Street, James & Melissa Delzeit due to compliance with resolution findings on the matter of dangerous structure. Vote unanimous with those Council members present. Motion carried. Motion was made by Duane

Weishaar, second by Kohlbe King to dismiss resolution 2025-05, 428 N. 2nd Street, Lyle Rockey due to compliance with resolution findings on the matter of dangerous structure. Vote unanimous with those Council members present. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Tim Hanlan, second by Kohlbe King to dismiss resolution 2025-08, 237 E. Poplar Street, Jennifer Schmille due to compliance with resolution findings on the matter of dangerous structure. Vote unanimous with those Council

members present. Motion carried Chief of Police Mark Allen filed the following dangerous structure complaint for the consideration of the City Council: David Shane Stanton at 215 N. 1st Street. Discussion followed

Motion was made by Cody Miller, second by Kohlbe King to accept the dangerous structure complaint as presented by the Chief of Police to the City Council: David Shane Stanton at 215 N. 1st Street and have City Attorney Alan Boeh proceed with filing the formal resolution with the City Council to start the process. Vote unanimous with those Council mem-

bers present. Motion carried. Mayor Micheal Brissett requested a five-minute executive session for non-elected personnel.

Motion was made by Duane Weishaar, second by Kohlbe King to go into executive session for 5 minutes for non-elected personnel with Mayor, City Council, City Attorney, Chief of Police and City Clerk. Vote unanimous. Motion carried. Execuauthorize Mayor Micheal Brissett to tive session started at 6:35 p.m. The meeting reconvened at 6:40 p.m. with

no action taken.

ity poles.

Bank. Discussion followed.

Doniphan Co. **District Court**

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CRIMINAL

Status Conference on Amy Elizabeth Edwards, St. Joseph, MO., has been scheduled for June 26. She is charged with three counts of burglary, a level 7 nonperson felony and three counts of theft, a severity level 9 nonperson felony.

Status Conference on Shawn Ivan Ericksen, Richmond, MO., has been continued to July 17. He is charged with three counts of burglary, a level 7 nonperson felony and three counts of theft, a severity level 9 nonperson felony

Status Conference on Tristen Charles Mykal Oyerly, Wathena, KS., has been scheduled for June 26. He is charged with battery, a class B person misdemeanor.

Status Conference on Shawn Ivan Ericksen, Richmond, MO., has been continued to July 17. He is charged with three counts of theft, a severity level 9 nonperson felony; two counts of criminal damage to property, a class B nonperson misdemeanor; and three counts of burglary, a level 7 nonperson felony.

Review hearing on Daniel McClelland Beloate, DeKalb, MO., was held and has been continued to Sept. 27. He is charged with fleeing or attempting to elude a police office, a level 9 person felony; driving while license canceled suspended or revoke, a class A nonperson misdemeanor; improper registration, an unclassified misdemeanor; leaving the scene of an accident, an unclassified misdemeanor; basic rule of speed, a traffic infraction; transporting an open container of alcohol, a Speaks, decedent.

misdemeanor; failure to stop and yield right-of-way, a traffic infraction and limitations on backing vehicle, a traffic infraction.

Sentencing on Andrew William Davis, Horton, KS., has been continued to June 25. He is charged with theft, a severity level 9 nonperson felony and two counts of burglary, a level 9 nonperson felony.

Preliminary hearing on Donald James Cramer, III, Paris, MO., has been continued to July 24. He is being charged with theft, a severity level 9 nonperson felony.

First Appearance on Travis Clayton Osgood, Atchison, KS., has been scheduled for June 17. He is charged with driving under the influence, a class B nonperson misdemeanor, possession of marijuana, a class B nonperson misdemeanor; possession of drug paraphernalia, a class B nonperson misdemeanor; and transporting an open container of alcohol, an unclassified nonperson misdemeanor.

LIMITED A case has been filed by LVNV Funding, LLC., plaintiff, against Sharon Quick, defendant.

A case has been filed by Capital One N.A., plaintiff, against April K Heim, defendant. PROBATE

A Petition for appointment of a Guardian and Conservator was filed by Paul Nelson, petitioner, in the matter of Mary Lou Nelson.

A petition for probate of will and issuance of letters testamentary by Thomas E. Speaks, petitioner, in the matter of the estate of Grant E.

SLK Meets Submitted by Mary Winder

The SLK met on May 13, 2025 at the home of Mary Jane Smith. Those attending were Janet Harness, Katie Meng, Bobette Geiger, Mary Jane Smith, Lisa Twombly, Jana Dominguez-Peuker, and Mary Winder.

Minutes of the April meeting were read and approved, and a financial report was presented

There were 10 excellent applicants for the scholarships this year. The SLK Scholarship Committee interviewed the girls at Troy High School and selected the recipients. Linda Masters presented the scholarships on May 7 at the Awards Banquet.

Gracie Grable was awarded the Carol Johnson Memorial Scholarship, Macy Grable was awarded the Alice Masterson Memorial Scholarship, Hannah Drake was awarded an SLK Scholarship, Jaya Weishaar was awarded an SLK Scholarship, and Ayla Rush was awarded an SLK Scholarship.

Dominguez-Peuker gave an update on the SLK Easter Bake Sale, which she described as being "phenomenal" The group members discussed the SLK booth for the Bike Across Kansas. The group will sell Troy post cards and snacks. Their booth will be open on The Council discussed the follow-Friday, June 13 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. It will be located on Main Street of ing items with Working Supervisor Jim Horner: The installation of water Dominguez-Peuker pointed out that the SLK would welcome new memmeters being conducted in the city; bers, and she encouraged people to invite others to join the group. Rainbow Communications fiber op-Hostesses for the May meeting were Smith and Dominguez-Peuker. People tic cable being installed in the city; enjoyed the delicious refreshments they prepared. curbs and streets within the city; and Dominguez-Peuker was in charge of the program, entitled "Game Night." a quote from Border States for util-The ladies had lots of fun playing "Left, Center, Right" and "Shut the Box." The next SLK meeting will be June 9, 2025 at Lisa Twombly's home at Motion was made by Cody Miller, noon. Please note change of date. There will be a luncheon and planning for second by Tim Hanlan to accept the next year.

2025.

minute executive session for personnel.

CITY SUPERVISOR

Wayne Hall has spoken with Kansas Rural Water regarding mapping the water and sewer lines, and exercising valves. The fee will be \$35 per hour for exercising the valves and approximately \$7000 to do the mapping. The Megan Shackelford seconded, to adgoverning body was in agreement to

Meers, Megan Shackelford and C.J. Garner, yea. It was extended for 10 minutes. **REGULAR SESSION** At 7:40 regular session resumed. No action was taken. ADJOURNMENT

At 7:40 Travis Holcomb moved. journ. Motion carried.

Doniphan Co. Health Dept./HH Walk-In Wednesdaus Immunization Clinic

9:30 - 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 - 4:00 p.m. (Or call to make an appt. for a different day.) COVID-19 updated 2024-25 Moderna variant is now available!!



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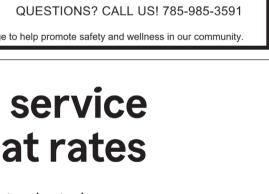
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file the application for a CDBG park grant. Vote unanimous with those Council members present. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Duane Weishaar, second by Kohlbe King to adopt Resolution Number 2025-13 certifying legal authority to apply for a CDBG grant. Vote unanimous with those Council members present. Motion carried.

Motion was made by Kohlbe King, second by Cody Miller to adopt Resolution Number 2025-14 a resolution that funds will be continually provide for the operation and maintenance of improvements to the park system to be finance with CDBG funds. Vote unanimous with those Council members present. Motion carried.

Harry Smith addressed the Council concerning the order of removal for the trailer at 211 S. 2nd Lot 7. Discussion followed with Mayor, City Council, City Attorney, and Harry Smith. The Council concurred the order to have the trailer remove would proceed.

Resolutions of finding reviews were held for resolution 2024-36, 7:11 p.m.





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