

January 9, 2017

BOARD OF FRANKLIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Meeting Location: Franklin County Annex Building Commission Chambers

Chair Waymire called the study session to order at 8:52a.m.

All Commissioners present.

Public Comment: Gene Hirt, 107 Jefferson St, Pomona- said he knew about the loss of Rick Sawin and Ed Taylor but we were forgetting to mention the loss of Kenneth Dodd. He did a lot for this community and will be missed.

Jeff Richards, Franklin County Sheriff, discussed the purchase of Sheriff vehicles for the 2017 budget year. The vehicles have been budgeted in the Sheriff budget in the past, but the funds were placed in Capital Outlay for the 2017 budget year. The Sheriff had requested four vehicles for patrol and a drug enforcement unit vehicle. He said that he has confirmed with the County Clerk that the funds were noted in Capital Outlay as being for Sheriff's vehicles.

Commissioner Waymire said he remembered from the budget meetings that the DEU vehicle was going to come out of the DEU fund and the four patrol vehicles were to be in Capital Outlay.

Nick Robbins, EMS Chief, discussed purchasing a 2013 Tahoe for the EMS Department to replace the Ford F-250 that the department currently has. The Ford was recently in a wreck but has been repaired. The Ford was purchased to carry extrication equipment. That equipment does not need to go to every emergency, and the department could extend the life of the truck if they purchase another vehicle to use for regular calls. Motor vehicle accidents that could require extrication equipment only accounted for less than 1% of calls in 2016, 30 calls. The Tahoe recommended for purchase is already equipped and the department could get it for \$30,000. The department has set aside \$45,000 to replace the vehicle this year.

Chair Waymire adjourned the meeting at 9:14a.m.

Clerk

Chair