

January 20, 2010

The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Paul McCartney. Also present were Arthur Kuhlmann Joe Kingsbury and Sharon Wolters, Clerk.

Reading the minutes was delayed until the next regular session.

Commissioners discussed wind energy for Smith County and the role of the commissioners in the wind energy project. Commissioners agreed to call Bob Wagner and discuss the wind energy project with Wagner.

Wagner joined the meeting and the commissioners asked questions of Wagner. Commissioners and Wagner discussed possible roles that the County Commissioners may play in development of wind energy. Commissioners invited Wagner to attend the meeting with WECC on February 1, 2010 at 1:00 p.m. Commissioners discussed having a wind study completed for Smith County. No decision was made at this time.

As there was no further business the meeting adjourned.

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Paul E. McCartney, Chairman

ATTEST:

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Arthur L. Kuhlmann, Member

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Sharon Wolters, Clerk

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Joe Kingsbury, Member