

**TOWN OF KIOWA  
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

**July 14, 2014**

**Town of Kiowa City Hall**

**813 South Harrison St.**

**Kiowa, Oklahoma**

**6:00pm**

**Mayor Janelle Beaver called the Special Meeting to order at 6:00pm.**

**Roll Call: Donald Batts, Robert Burgett, Ray Goss, Randy McMath and Janelle Beaver were present.**

- 1. Discussion and possible approval of Ordinance 2014-7-14 to close the Alleyway in Block 7 lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Clyde Swain's property.**

**Motion was made by Beaver to put this item on July 31, 2014 Agenda as an Ordinance on how to close an easement or public right of way, seconded by Batts. Batts, Burgett, Goss, McMath and Beaver voted yes. Motion carried.**

**Public Discussion: Mayor Beaver said she has one issue that she felt that we need to discuss, and to decide on and that is if they want Randy Gropp to be Maintenance Supervisor or not. Because of the simple fact that right now we as Council members we are going to the Employee's and telling them what to do and leaving Randy out of the loop and he doesn't know what is going on and things are being done in a haphazard way, for instance Donald Batts went to the guys and told them to get some, Donald Batts said hold on don't jump on me, Ray Vice Mayor had called him and asked him to do something he contacted Bob Burgett and contacted Randy McMath he tried to call the Mayor but could not get in touch with her. Mayor Beaver asked if he had contacted Randy Gropp and Donald Batts said no he didn't have to ask his permission. Mayor Beaver said that is what she talking about. Do we not want him to be the Supervisor, because Randy Gropp had something in the works on this that no one said anything to him about so now then this is being done, Randy and I had a meeting set up with Kevin on what we going to do with the streets how we were going to fix them. Donald Batts said why didn't we know, how come we were left in the cold you should of told us. Mayor Beaver said ok. JoMae Peck said at last month's meeting Mayor Beaver asked Randy Gropp to set up a meeting with Kevin. Ray Goss I didn't hear that, JoMae Peck told him you were not here. Ray Goss said that probably why I didn't know. Mayor Beaver said this isn't the only thing that's happening it's like we either need to decide that we will go through Randy Gropp and keep him in the loop or work directly with them and he can handle at the water plant. Ray Goss said he did not mean to step on any toe, he just knew the pot holes were terrible. We had approved asphalt that we did not use. JoMae Peck said that was the previous fiscal year. Mayor beaver said did we just want to fill it with asphalt or was there some other plan where we might want to put little dirt in there to help fill it out and use the roller. Donald Batts said asphalt is not going to hurt anything. Mayor Beaver said she knew that. Donald Batts said if he has something going then get going. Mayor Beaver said Kevin was going to sit down with them and see how much help he can give us. Mayor Beaver said Randy needs to be out of the loop or totally in the loop that is all I am saying. Donald Batts said he still works for the Council. Donald said if he**

has something going they should be aware of it. Mayor Beaver said she guessed it was not understood at the last meeting that they would get with Kevin. Mayor Beaver said she was in contact with Kevin and got the meeting set up. Mayor Beaver said right now her perception is that the guys think they do not have to answer to Randy. Donald Batts said if he is Supervisor that's not true, just because we tell them to do something that doesn't mean that they shouldn't listen to Randy. Mayor Beaver said we can't just have chaos, there has to be some kind of organization in affect and she apologized that she should of communicated better on this. Sometimes she is hard to get in touch with.

**Adjourn:** Motion to adjourn was made by Beaver, seconded by Goss. Batts, Burgett, Goss, McMath and Beaver voted yes. Time 6:26pm.