

impact increases the general fund budget by \$151,595.70, solid waste budget by \$5,867, and the fire budget by \$1,430.70. The commission is all in favor of this process.

SUNDAY LIQUOR SALES AND RESOLUTION 2021-14

County Administrator Darin Myers presented to the Commission Resolution 2021-14. This is in response to the Governor signing House Bill 2137 allowing the expansion of Sunday liquor sales from 12:00 through 8:00 pm, to 9:00 am through 8:00 pm. With this new resolution, Ellis County has the option to revisit Ellis County Resolution 2011-18 and allow this expansion of hours.

Motion: _____ **Younger** **Second:** _____ **Haselhorst**

I move to approve to approve Resolution 2021-14, allowing alcohol sales on any Sunday, except Easter, not earlier than 9:00 am and not later than 8:00 pm.

Disposition: _____ **Motion passed by a voice vote of three to zero.**

RESOLUTION NO. R-2021-14

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF ELLIS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Ellis County, Kansas, by the power vested in it by K.S.A. 41-2911 may expand the days of sale at retail of cereal malt beverage in the original package and the sale at retail of alcoholic liquor in the original package.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ELLIS COUNTY, KANSAS, that effective upon publication in the official county newspaper the following shall be in force:

The Board of Ellis County Commissioners will expand the days of sale at retail of cereal malt beverage in the original package to allow such sale within the unincorporated area of the county on any Sunday, except Easter, not earlier than 9 a.m. and not later than 8 p.m. and expand the days of sale at retail of alcoholic liquor in the original package, if licensing of such sale of alcoholic liquor is authorized within the unincorporated areas of the county, to allow such sale within the unincorporated area of the county on any Sunday, except Easter, not earlier than 9 a.m. and not later than 8 p.m. as established in the resolution pursuant to K.S.A. 41-2911.

Such resolution shall be published once, within two weeks after its adoption, in the official county newspaper. Such resolution shall not become effective earlier than 60 days following the date of its publication.

The resolution shall take effect, unless a sufficient petition for a referendum is filed, in which case this resolution shall become effective upon approval by a majority of the electors voting thereon.

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ELLIS COUNTY, KANSAS, this 9th day of August 2021.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
ELLIS COUNTY, KANSAS
Robert "Butch" Schlyer, Chairman
Dean Haselhorst
Neal Younger

Attest:
Bobbi Dreiling, County Clerk

GRANT AGREEMENT FOR THE NW BUSINESS CORRIDOR

County Administrator Darin Myers presented to the Commission the Grant Agreement for the NW Business Corridor. He is asking that the commission approve the Grant Agreement.

Motion: _____ **Schlyer** **Second:** _____ **Haselhorst**

I move to sign the NW Business Corridor grant agreement which is in Darin's possession.

Disposition: _____ **Motion passed by a voice vote of three to zero.**

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR REPORT

No report.

COUNTY COMMISSION REPORT

Younger reported he attended the City meeting last Thursday and attended the Northwest Kansas Juvenile meeting at Thirsty's. He said the discussion was focused on a new building for Community Corrections. Haselhorst said he will be in Topeka next Tuesday for a retirement party for Norm Bauers. He will also be attending the KAC board meeting on Wednesday. He then discussed his living situation with having a home in Gorham, Kansas. He has been driving back and forth from Hays to Gorham for the past 35 years. He said they still own the house at 1102 Canterbury in Hays, which is still his residence. He wanted to make this clear to the public that he only stays at Gorham when he is busy farming; same thing he's done for 35 years, and nothing has changed. Schlyer had no report.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business, Chair Schlyer adjourned the meeting at 5:40 pm. The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, August 16, 2021, the Administrative Center Commission Chambers, 718 Main Street, Hays, Kansas at 5:00 pm.

BOARD OF ELLIS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

ROBERT "BUTCH" SCHLYER, CHAIR

NEAL YOUNGER, COMMISSIONER

DEAN F HASELHORST, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

BOBBI L DREILING
ELLIS COUNTY CLERK