Kossuth County Conservation Board Special Meeting Water's Edge Nature Center December 29, 2022 12:30 P.M.

Present: Eichenberger; Miller; Rasmussen; Ristau; Young

Fosado; Stumme; Wille

Absent:

Guests Present:

Vice-Chairman Eichenberger called the meeting to order.

The board was presented information on the 2023-2024 budget proposal. After discussion on salaries, a motion was made by Miller and seconded by Rasmussen to approve the salary proposal of an 8% increase for full time staff. The total asking for the conservation budget including the Administration, Operations and Environmental Education departments is \$668,628. The motion passed unanimously.

Discussion was held on the drawing for the seasonal camping spots at the north side of Smith Lake. The board approved of having the staff hold the drawing.

A motion was made by Rasmussen and seconded by Miller to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously.