

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, KANSAS  
OFFICIAL MINUTES**

**SPECIAL MEETING**

September 16, 2020

The Board of County Commissioners, three members and the County Clerk present, met in special session at 9:00 AM. (Commissioner McManus was present by telephone due to illness.)

**CALL TO ORDER:** Commissioner Brown as Acting Chairman.

Prayer was led by Commissioner Brown and Pledge of Allegiance by Commissioner Bever.

The special meeting was held to discuss the 2021 Final Budget. Those attending the meeting were Register of Deeds Marilyn Calhoun, Public Works' Coordinator Jim Wright and Mr. Ryan York. Representing the media was Mr. Andy Taylor of the Montgomery County Chronicle.

The 2021 Montgomery County mill levy was discussed by the Board and figures presented by the County Clerk for delinquency rates of 7%, 5% and 3.5%. Commissioner Brown stated he felt the rate should be lowered to 3.5%.

After discussion on how each of the rates affect the budget the following action was taken:

**ACTION:** *A motion was made by Commissioner Bever to change the rate of delinquency from 7% to 5% to be used in the 2021 Montgomery County Budget and adopt the 2021 budget with a mill levy of 52.078. The motion was seconded by Commissioner McManus.*

*ROLL CALL VOTE - Commissioner McManus - Yes*

*Commissioner Brown - No*

*Commissioner Bever - Yes*

RES. NO. 20-138

**ADJOURNMENT: 9:58 AM**

**ACTION:** *Motion by Commissioner Brown, seconded by Commissioner Bever.*

*ROLL CALL VOTE - Commissioner McManus - Yes*

*Commissioner Brown - Yes*

*Commissioner Bever - Yes*

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LARRY McMANUS, Chairman

  
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FRED BROWN, Member

  
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ROBERT BEVER, Member



ATTEST:

  
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County Clerk

**RESOLUTION NO. 20-138**

**DATED** at Independence, Montgomery County, Kansas this 14<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2020.

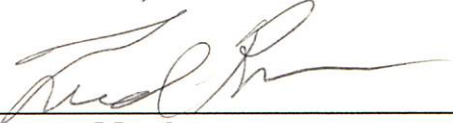
**WHEREAS:** *A motion was made by Commissioner Bever to change the rate of delinquency from 7% to 5% to be used in the 2021 Montgomery County Budget and adopt the 2021 budget with a mill levy of 52.078.*

*The motion was seconded by Commissioner McManus.*

*ROLL CALL VOTE – Commissioner McManus- Absent  
Commissioner Brown – Yes  
Commissioner Bever– Yes*

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**Larry McManus, Chairman**



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**Fred Brown, Member**



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**Robert Bever, Member**



  
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**Charlotte Scott Schmidt, County Clerk**