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**Este. Cost:** 

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Cost:

City Council Agenda May 4, 2021 5:30 P.M. - City Hall

#### WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER

Minutes from the Previous meeting

Appropriations:

Lake Cabin Transfer: N/A

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Items not already on the agenda may be brought before the Governing Body. Persons must sign in to be eligible. (Three-minute maximum time limit). After three minutes, items will then be voted on to see whether to place the item on the next agenda.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA:**

Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este, Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
OLD BUSI	NESS:					
Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este. Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
•	North Riverwalk Extension Update:					
Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este. Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
•	Riverwalk Amphitheater Update:					
Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este. Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
NEW BUS	INESS:					
•	American Legion: Rebecca Elisa & Jim Crosby			Pages 6 - 16		
Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este. Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
•	Council Grove Softball Club:					
Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este. Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
•	Amending Standard Traffic Ordinance for Kansas Cities 47th Edition for 2020:			Page 17		
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•	Police Impound Fees Ordinance:		Page 18		***************************************	
Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este. Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
•	Summer Seasonal - Swimming P	ool Appointments	3:	Page 19		
Motion:	Seconded:	Action:	Abstention:	Este. Cost:	Appd.	Cost:
•	Riverwalk Amphitheater Electrical:					

Abstention:

#### **Governing Body Comments:**

Seconded:

Action:

#### **Adjournment:**

Motion:

#### WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Debi Schwerdtfeger called the regular City Council Meeting to order. Council members present were Jason Booker, Keith Wessel, Mark Brooks and Sharon Haun, Mark Berner, Larry Siegrist. City Attorney Bill Halvorsen and City Administrator Nick Jones were also present. Others attending were Mindy Andres, Marcus Hernandez, Jeff Blosser, Kay Hutchinson, and Susan Harris.

PUBLIC HEARING – Cares Grant – Evaluating the performance of Grant No. 20-CV-076 City Administrator Nick Jones explained to the City Council that the purpose of the second Public Hearing was to inform the citizens of the project's successful or unsuccessful completion and to obtain input on the grantee's performance. City Administrator Nick Jones informed the City Council that the 9 businesses were very appreciative of the City's willingness to apply for the grant and that it helped get them through the COVID19 lockdown. City Administrator Nick Jones told the City Council he would recommend that in the future that the City hire a Grant Administrator to handle the grant. Councilperson Keith Wessel agreed that with the amount of paperwork and time committed to administer the grant it would be a good move to hire a Grant Administrator in the future.

#### PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD I

Kay Hutchinson spoke to the City Council regarding the Scenic Byway Radio System and wanted the City Council to consider getting the radio system going again with the Santa Fe Trail 200 events and activities coming up. Mr. Hutchinson also informed the City Council that the radio system could be used to broadcast bad weather that may be moving in. Councilperson Mark Brooks said he though getting the radio going again was a good ideal with all the activities and historic sites that could be broadcasted on the station. Councilperson Mark Berner also expressed that he thought that radio system would be good for informing the public of events and historic sites in Council Grove. Councilperson Jason Booker agreed with Councilperson Mark Brooks and Mark Berner regarding the radio station being used to promote Council Grove. City Administrator Nick Jones let the Council know that the system has not been used in 2 years and that the message on the machine was the same from 2004 to 2018 when the Girl Scout cabin was torn down. City Administrator Nick Jones suggested a group work on the project. Mayor Debi Schwerdtfeger asked Councilperson's Mark Brooks, Mark Berner, and Jason Booker work on the project with City Administrator Nick Jones.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

Councilperson Jason Booker made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda as presented in the packet. Councilperson Mark Berner seconded the motion. The consent agenda consisted of:

- April 20, 2021 Minutes
- April 10, 2021, to Current Appropriations.
- Cabin Transfer: N/A

Motion carried 6 – 0

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### • North Riverwalk Extension - Update:

City Administrator Nick Jones informed the City Council that he contacted BG Consultants regarding adding additional lights to the old Dam, which would be utilized by the public for several activities. KDOT was contacted to see if the adding the lights was possible.

#### NEW BUSINESS

#### • Riverwalk Amphitheater Concrete Bids:

City Administrator Nick Jones and Jeff Blosser who is contracted with the City to work on the Riverwalk Amphitheater presented to the City Council the one bid received on the project. Creed Construction of Manhattan bid price was for \$164,245.36. The scope of work covered was the concrete work for the stage, apron, and stairs. Jeff Blosser said he felt the bid was a fair bid based off similar projects that KDOT has done this year. City Administrator Nick Jones let the Council know that a majority of the funds for the project were from grants and donations. Councilperson Mark Berner made a motion to approve the bid from Creed Construction for \$164,245.36. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Sharon Haun. Motion Carried 6 – 0

#### Cares Grant:

- o Adoption of Code of Conduct
- o Adoption of Procurement Procedure Ordinance

City Administrator Nick Jones presented to the City Council the need to adopt a Code of Conduct to follow the HUD requirement to close out the Cares Grant. City Administrator Nick Jones also pointed out that the requirement is a formality as it does not apply to the grant, the State tried to get HUD to waive the requirement. Councilperson Keith Wessel made a motion to adopt the Code of Conduct. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Mark Berner. Motion Carried 6- 0

City Administrator Nick Jones presented to the City Council the need to adopt a City ordinance for a Procurement Procedure to follow the HUD requirement to close out the Cares Grant. City Administrator Nick Jones also pointed out that the requirement is a formality as it does not apply to the grant, the State tried to get HUD to waive the requirement. City Administrator Nick Jones said the ordinance was a needed as the City does not have a formal Procurement Procedure. A motion was made by Councilperson Larry Siegrist to approve the Procurement Procedure ordinance. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Sharon Haun. Motion Carried 6-0, Ordinance #2245

• Street and Parks Committee Recommendation – South  $11^{th}$  Street – Speed Limit City Administrator Nick Jones presented the recommendation of the Street and Parks Committee to the City Council regarding changing the speed limit on South  $11^{th}$  Street from 30mph to 20mph. The recommendation is based of complaints from residents with children and based off the recommendation from Police Chief Shawn Wangerin. A motion was made by Councilperson Mark Berner to approve the speed limit change on South  $11^{th}$  from 30mpn to 20mph. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Jason Booker. Motion Carried 6-0

#### • Utilities Committee Recommendation: Water/Sewer Rates Ordinance

City Administrator Nick Jones presented to the City Council the recommendation for water and sewer rates increases from the Utilities Committee. The recommendation is based off a rate analysis done in 2019 by Carl Brown with Getting Great Rates. The analysis calls for a water and sewer rate increase over the next 5 years of 3% per year and a new analysis in year 6. The proposed new rates are as followed:

Water Rates within City would go from \$5.25 per 1,000 gallons to \$5.41 per 1,000 gallons. Sewer Rates within the City would go from \$1.86 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.92 per 1,000 gallons.

Water Rate outside City would go from \$10.50 per 1,000 gallons to \$10.82 per 1,000 gallons. Sewer Rates outside the City would go from \$3.72 per 1,000 gallons to \$3.83 per 1,000 gallons.

Councilperson Keith Wessel made a motion to approve the recommendation from the Utilities Committee for a water and sewer rate increase of 3%. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Mark Brooks. Motion Carried 6-0

City Administrator Nick Jones also asked the City Council to approve the ordinance for the new water and sewer rates. A motion was made by Councilperson Keith Wessel to approve the ordinance. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Jason Booker. Motion Carried 6-0. Ordinance #2246

#### • Office Committee Recommendation: BCBS Renewal

City Administrator Nick Jones presented to the City Council the recommendation from the Office Committee to approve the BlueCross BlueShield Health and Dental insurance for the City Employees. City Administrator Nick Jones told the City Council that he looked at and talked to several provides before this year's renewal and that BlueCross BlueShield had the better rates and coverage. City Administrator Nick Jones also told the City Council that the insurance being provided through the Morris County Hospital and the Chamber of Commerce maybe a viable option in the future. The BlueCross BlueShield Health renewal starting on June 1, 2021 will cost the City approximately \$25,986.91 per month for a total of \$311,842.93 per year. The City budgeted \$341,000

for the renewal. The City will recoup \$39,997.68 making the actual amount spent on Health and Dental insurance \$271,845.25. A motion was made by Councilperson Keith Wessel to approve the BlueCross BlueShield Health and Dental Insurance for the City employees. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Sharon Haun. Motion Carried 6-0

#### City Committee Appointments:

Mayor Debi Schwerdtfeger announced the 2021 Committee Appointments and noted that she will be adding to the Economic Development Committee soon:

Public Works - Utilities: Mark Brooks, Mark Berner

Public Works - Roads & Parks: Keith Wessel, Jason Booker

Police & Fire: Sharon Haun, Keith Wessel Parks & Rec: Mark Brooks, Mark Berner Office: Jason Booker, Keith Wessel Council President: Mark Brooks GMDC: Debi Schwerdtfeger Chamber Rep: Sharon Haun

Flint Hills Regional Rep: Sharon Haun

Sales Tax Grant: Keith Wessel, Mark Berner, Max Byram, Angie Schwerdtfeger, Dawn

Palmquist

City Economic Development: Jason Booker, Debi Schwerdtfeger

City Lake, City Lake Advisory & City Lake Sewer: Larry Siegrist, Keith Wessel

Historic Sites: Mark Brooks, Sharon Haun

Riverwalk: Sharon Haun, Mark Brooks, Debi Schwerdtfeger July 4th: Jason Booker, Mark Berner, Mark Brooks, Jason Zeigler Blighted Structure: Larry Siegrist, Mark Berner, Jason Booker

Comp Plan: Larry Siegrist, Mark Brooks, Jason Booker

Santa Fe Trail Bicentennial Task Force: Mark Brooks, Sharon Haun

City Lake Annexation Committee: Keith Wessel, Jason Booker, Larry Siegrist, Sharon

Haun, Debi Schwerdtfeger, Gary Catlin, Jan Troxell, Julie Hower, Chris Bolton

Mayor Debi Schwerdtfeger asked for a motion to approve the appointments. A motion was made by Councilperson Mark Berner to approve the appointments. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Jason Booker. Motion Carried 6-0.

#### • Executive Session: Non-Elected Official

Mayor Debi Schwerdtfeger asked for a motion to go into Executive Session regarding Non-Elected Officials. A motion was made by Councilperson Mark Brooks to go into Executive session for 15 minutes regarding a Non-Elected Official to include The City Council, Mayor, City Attorney, and City Administrator. The Motion was seconded by Councilperson Sharon Haun. Motion Carried 6-0

After returning from Executive Session no action was taken

#### GOVERNING BODY COMMENTS

- Councilperson Jason Booker Commented on a resident who had concerns with UTV's being driven on the Highways. City Administrator Nick Jones said he spoke to Chief of Police Shawn Wangerin regarding the issues and that he will have Chief Wangerin post on-line and in the paper regarding the rules for operating a UTV in town.
- Councilperson Mark Berner Explained to Councilperson Sharon Haun that the Utilities Committee will need to look at employees pay at the Water Department as it is getting harder to find and keep employees.
- Councilperson Keith Wessel talked about zoning and of Commercial property and the junk cars that are piling up on some of these properties. City Attorney Bill Halvorsen is going to investigate what is required to rezone some of these properties. Councilperson Keith Wessel also encouraged everyone to support the G.B.O tournament.
- Councilperson Mark Brooks asked the Council about the City parking lot at 14 Neosho street and having a time limit on parking there. City Administrator Nick Jones suggested posting no over night parking from 2am to 6am. The Council agreed to post no over night parking signs.
- Councilperson Larry Siegrist None

- Councilperson Sharon Haun Thanked Jeff Blosser and everyone working on the Riverwalk Amphitheater project.
- City Attorney Bill Halvorsen None
- City Administrator Nick Jones None
- Mayor Debi Schwerdtfeger Appointed Neil Julian to volunteer fire fighter and asked for a confirmation of the appointment. Councilperson Keith Wessel made a motion to approve the appointment. The motion was seconded by Councilperson Sharon Haun. Motion Carried 6-0

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilperson Sharon Haun made a motion to adjourn. Councilperson Mark Brooks seconded the motion. Motion carried  $6-0\,$ 

Debi Schwerdtfeger	Mayor	
ATTEST:		
Nick Jones	City Administrator	



35<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division "Santa Fe"

#### World War II Order of Battle:

Units of the 35th Infantry Division from March 1942 included:

- Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division
- 134th Infantry Regiment
- 137th Infantry Regiment
- 320th Infantry Regiment
- Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 35th Infantry Division Artillery
  - o 127th Field Artillery Battalion (155 mm)
  - o 161st Field Artillery Battalion (105 mm)
  - o 216th Field Artillery Battalion (105 mm)
  - o 219th Field Artillery Battalion (105 mm)
- 60th Engineer Combat Battalion
- 110th Medical Battalion
- 35th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop (Mechanized)
- Headquarters, Special Troops, 35th Infantry Division
  - o Headquarters Company, 35th Infantry Division
  - o 735th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company
  - 35th Quartermaster Company
  - o 35th Signal Company
  - o Military Police Platoon
  - o Band
- 35th Counterintelligence Corps Detachment

#### **Statistics**

Campaigns: Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace, Central Europe

Days of combat: 264

#### **Awards**

- Unit Awards:
  - o Distinguished Unit Citations: 7
    - 134th Infantry Regiment, for extraordinary heroism in connection with military operations against the enemy during the period 28 December 1944 through 16 January 1945 (War Department General Orders No. 62, 1947)
    - 1st Battalion, 134th Infantry Regiment, for extraordinary heroism and outstanding performance of duty against the enemy in the vicinity of Saint-Lô, Normandy, France, from 15 to 19 July 1944 (War Department General Orders No. 66, 1945)
    - Company C, 134th Infantry Regiment, for extraordinary heroism and outstanding performance of duty against the enemy in the vicinity of Habkirchen, Germany, from 12 to 21 December 1944 (War Department General Orders No. 68, 1945)
    - 2nd (machine gun) Platoon, Company D, 134th Infantry Regiment, for extraordinary heroism in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Habkirchen, Germany, from 12 to 21 December 1944 (War Department General Orders No. 66, 1945)
    - Company F, 137th Infantry Regiment, for outstanding performance of duty in action against the enemy at Sarreguemines, France, on 10 December 1944 (War Department General Orders No. 11, 1946)
    - 3rd Battalion, 137th Infantry Regiment, for outstanding performance of duty in action against the enemy in France, 18–21 November 1944 (War Department General Orders No. 20, 1946)
    - 1st Battalion, 320th Infantry Regiment, for extraordinary heroism and outstanding performance of duty in action against the enemy in the vicinity of Mortain, France, from 10 to 13 August 1944 (War Department General Orders No. 55, 1945)
  - o Meritorious Service Unit Plaques: 22

- Individual Awards:
  - o Medal of Honor: 1 (Staff Sergeant Junior J. Spurrier)
  - o Distinguished Service Cross: 44o Distinguished Service Medal: 1
  - Silver Star Medal: 688Legion of Merit: 10
  - o Distinguished Flying Cross: 1
  - o Soldier's Medal: 22
  - o Bronze Star Medal: 3,435
  - o Air Medal: 133

## Casualties

Total battle casualties: 15,822

- Killed in action: 2,485
- Wounded in action: 11,526
- Missing in action: 340
- Prisoner of war: 1,471

# 137TH INFANTRY REGIMENT (FIRST KANSAS)

- •Organized 17 May 1879 from existing companies in the Kansas Volunteer Militia as the 1st Infantry Regiment
  - (Kansas Volunteer Militia redesignated 7 March 1885 as the Kansas National Guard)
- •Reorganized and mustered into Federal service 9-13 May 1898 at Topeka as the 20th Kansas Volunteer Infantry; mustered out of Federal service 28 October 1899 at the Presidio of San Francisco, California; concurrently, consolidated with the 1st Regiment of Infantry (Provisional), and reorganized in the Kansas National Guard as the 1st Infantry Regiment
- Mustered into Federal service 27 June 1916 at Fort Riley, Kansas; mustered out of Federal service 30 October 1916 at Fort Riley, Kansas
  - Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917
- •Consolidated 1 October 1917 with the 2d Infantry Regiment, Kansas National Guard (organized in 1880); consolidated unit concurrently reorganized and redesignated as the 137th Infantry and assigned to the 35th Division
  - Demobilized 9-11 May 1919 at Camp Funston, Kansas
- •Former 1st Infantry Regiment consolidated 4 November 1921 with the 4th Infantry Regiment (organized 29 November 1918); consolidated unit concurrently reorganized in the Kansas National Guard as the 137th Infantry and assigned to the 35th Division
  - •Inducted into Federal service 23 December 1940 at home stations
- (Headquarters, 35th Division redesignated 1 March 1942 as Headquarters, 35th Infantry Division)
  - Inactivated 5 December 1945 at Camp Breckinridge, Kentucky
  - Reorganized and Federally recognized 17 July 1947 with Headquarters at Wichita
- Reorganized 1 May 1959 as a parent regiment under the Combat Arms Regimental System to consist of the 1st and 2d Battle Groups, elements of the 35th Infantry Division
- Reorganized 1 April 1963 to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions, elements of the 69th
   Infantry Brigade
- Reorganized 15 December 1967 to consist of the 1st, 2d, and 3d Battalions, elements of the 69th Infantry Brigade
- (1st and 2d Battalions ordered into active Federal service 13 May 1968 at home stations; released from active Federal service 12 December 1969 and reverted to state control)
- Reorganized 1 February 1976 to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions, elements of the 69th Infantry Brigade
- Reorganized 25 August 1984 to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions, elements of the 35th Infantry Division
- Withdrawn 1 May 1989 from the Combat Arms Regimental System and reorganized under the United States Army Regimental System
- Reorganized 1 September 1992 to consist of the 2d Battalion, an element of the 35th Infantry Division

- •(2d Battalion ordered into active Federal service 1 February 2002 at home stations; released from active Federal service 19 October 2002 and reverted to state control)
  - (2d Battalion ordered into active Federal service 1 September 2005 at home stations)
  - Redesignated 1 October 2005 as the 137th Infantry Regiment
- (2d Battalion released from active Federal service 27 February 2007 and reverted to state control)
- Consolidated 1 September 2008 with the 635th Armored Regiment (see ANNEX), and consolidated unit designated as the 137th Infantry
- •(2d Battalion ordered into active Federal service 7 May 2010 at home stations; released from active Federal service 10 June 2011 and reverted to state control)

#### ANNEX

- Constituted 25 March 1953 in the Air National Guard as the 891st Engineer Aviation
   Battalion
  - Allotted 1 August 1953 to the Kansas Army National Guard
- •Organized and Federally recognized 13 January 1954 from new and existing units with Headquarters at Manhattan
  - Reorganized and redesignated 15 January 1957 as the 891st Engineer Battalion
- •Converted and redesignated 1 February 1976 as the 635th Armor, a parent regiment under the Combat Arms Regimental System, to consist of the 1st Battalion, an element of the 69th Infantry Brigade
- •Reorganized 1 October 1986 to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions, elements of the 35th Infantry Division
- Withdrawn 1 June 1989 from the Combat Arms Regimental System and reorganized under the United States Army Regimental System
  - Reorganized 1 September 1997 to consist of the 1st Battalion
  - •(1st Battalion ordered into active Federal service 24 October 2004 at home stations)
  - Redesignated 1 October 2005 as the 635th Armored Regiment
- •(1st Battalion released from active Federal service 21 April 2006 and reverted to state control)

#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

- Philippine Insurrection
- Manila
- Malolos
- World War I
- Meuse-Argonne
- Alsace 1918
- Lorraine 1918
- World War II
- Normandy

- Northern France
- Rhineland
- Ardennes-Alsace
- Central Europe
- War on Terrorism
- · Campaigns to be determined

#### **DECORATIONS**

- Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered SAARGUEMINES
- Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered WAR ON TERRORISM 2010-2011
- Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 2005-2006

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

CHARLES R. BOWERY, JR. Chief of Military History

## ACTIVE UNITS ASSOCIATED WITH COUNCIL GROVE HISTORICALLY



1<sup>st</sup> Battalion 108<sup>th</sup> Aviation Regiment (Assault)
"Strength and Courage"



169<sup>th</sup> Combined Support Battalion "The User Is King"



891<sup>ST</sup> Engineer Battalion "Building For Readiness"



635<sup>th</sup> Armored Regiment "Will To Win"

## INACTIVE UNITS ASSOCIATED WITH COUNCIL GROVE HISTORICALLY



1<sup>st</sup> Battalion 127<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Regiment "Via V1<sup>st</sup> Battalion 127<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Regiment



137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment "Valor For Service



Charlie Company 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Memorial, City Park, Council Grove, KS

For as long as I can remember, it's been known as "Historic Council Grove". Stories of the Santa Fe Trail, The Hays House, The Kaw Mission, The Settlers Store. All of these are prominent reminders of the early days of our town. However, for Veterans and those in the military, they're simply not as important as the opportunities to teach time honored traditions and the legacy of our past, to include military monuments. Our monuments afford us the ability to teach those that may not be aware the importance of Unit History, or Legacy, Linages and Honors.

How we got to this moment of moving a monument isn't really important. What is important is what we do from this point forward to educate on the Legacy, Lineage and Honors of a unit that pre-dates Council Grove itself through its own history IS what's most important to Frederick

Phillips, American Legion Post 121.

Additionally, it's important to point out that Council Grove is also historically affiliated with more than just the 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment. In fact, Council Grove is associated with the 35<sup>th</sup> Division, also known as the Santa Fe Division, and Fort Riley, for their early role in protecting the Santa Fe Trail, 4 Regiments, 2 Active, the 108<sup>th</sup> Aviation Regiment and 635<sup>th</sup> Armored Regiment, and 2 In-Active, the 127<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Regiment and the 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment as well as 2 Battalions, both still active, in the form of the 169<sup>th</sup> Combined Support Battalion and the 891<sup>st</sup> Engineer Battalion. Each of the units I just spoke of have historical ties to Council Grove through its history of reorganizing units.

However, we can talk about those units at a later time as tonight we would like to discuss the 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Monument located at the City Park. While it's a World War II Memorial, it's a testament to the 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division as well as the current 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Division and Fort Riley, in its early days. Typically, monuments are made with significance to the unit it represents. In the case of the Company "C" 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, it's no different. The cement circular base, with bricks encased represent the 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry Divisions patch. The concrete "patch" is 18 feet across representing the 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiments Reorganization in 1918. The base of the monument is 69 inches wide representing its affiliation to the 69<sup>th</sup> Infantry Brigade. As you walk toward the monument it says that the 35<sup>th</sup> Division, 69<sup>th</sup> Infantry Brigade, 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment is the hierarchy for the unit.

On its Lineage and Honors, you will note the 137<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment wasn't actually federally organized until 17 May 1879 from existing companies in the Kansas Volunteer Militia as the 1<sup>st</sup> Infantry Regiment at Fort Riley, Kansas. One of those existing Companies was E Troop, 114<sup>th</sup> Cavalry. A combined Cavalry Troop from Kansas, Nebraska, and South Dakota that performed as many as 17 patrols along the Santa Fe Trail coming from Fort Riley, Kansas from 1852 – 1854, prior to the incorporation of Council Grove by the legislature in 1858.

In essence, E Troop of the  $114^{\text{th}}$  Cavalry is widely known as "The Godfather" of the Kansas

Army National Guard as each unit can trace its history to this Cavalry Troop. Therefore, we contend that Council Grove, by virtue of E Troops early presence, holds a significant historical piece of the Kansas Army National Guard and this monument deserves to have its unit history placed alongside it for all to see and enjoy, at its current location, to remain forever.

ORDIN	ANCE	NO.	
	ANTICE	INC.	

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING TRAFFIC WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF COUNCIL GROVE, KANSAS, AND WITHIN THE COUNCIL GROVE LAKE PARK, INCORPORATING BY REFERENCE THE "STANDARD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE FOR KANSAS CITIES," 47<sup>th</sup> EDITION FOR 2020, PROVIDING CERTAIN PENALTIES AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NUMBER 2226.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF COUNCIL GROVE, KANSAS:

Section 1. INCORPORATING STANDARD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE. There is hereby
incorporated by reference for the purpose of regulating traffic within the corporate limits of the City
of Council Grove, Kansas, within the Council Grove Lake Park, that certain standard traffic
ordinance known as the "Standard Traffic Ordinance for Kansas Cities," 47th Edition for 2020,
prepared and published in book form by the League of Kansas Municipalities, Topeka, Kansas. No
fewer than three copies of said Standard Traffic Ordinance shall be stamped "Official Copy as
Adopted by Ordinance No," and to which shall be attached a copy of this ordinance,
and filed with the city clerk to be open to inspection and available to the public at all reasonable
hours. The police department, municipal judge and all administrative departments of the city charged
with enforcement of the ordinance shall be supplied, at the cost of the city, such number of official
copies of such Standard Traffic Ordinance similarly marked, as may be deemed expedient.

Section 2. PENALTY FOR SCHEDULED FINES. The fines for violation of an ordinance traffic infraction or any other traffic offense for which the municipal judge establishes a fine in a fine schedule shall be set forth in that fine schedule. Otherwise it shall not be less than \$50.00 nor more than \$500.00.

Section 3. SECTION OMITTED. Section 114.1(d) is hereby omitted and deleted.

Section 4. REPEAL. Ordinance No. 2243 is hereby repealed.

Section 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Council Grove Republican.

PASSED AND APPROVED By the Governing Body and approved by the Mayor on this 4st day of May, 2021.

	Debi Schwerdtfeger, Mayor
ATTEST:	
Nick Jones, City Clerk	SEAL

ORDINANCE NO
AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING IMPOUND PROTOCOLS.
WHEREAS, from time-to-time certain property requiring secure storage comes into the
City's possession; and
WHEREAS, it is reasonable and proper for the City to establish protocols concerning
such matters.
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the governing body of the City of Council
Grove, Kansas in regular session assembled this day of, 202_,
that any privately owned property coming into the City's custody shall be removed from such
custody within 24 hours of the City, through an authorized agent, releasing such property by
advising the person or entity having control over said property that it is available for removal. Any
person claiming such property shall demonstrate to the City's authorized agent's satisfaction that
that person has authority to take possession of the impounded property. Any impounded property
that is not removed within 24 hours of the release of the property shall incur a \$10.00 per diem
charge, unless waived for good cause shown and granted by an authorized agent of the City. The
property may not be released, at the City's authorized agent's discretion, until the aggregate per
diem charges are fully satisfied.
THIS ORDINANCE Shall be effective upon its publication in the official City Newspaper.
Debi Schwerdtfeger
Mayor
ATTEST:
SEAL
Nick Jones City Clerk



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## **Swimming Pool - Summer Seasonal**

Manager	Years of Service	Wage
Lauren Carlson	3 +	\$11.00 + Pending Training
Assistant Manager		
Keeley Honas	3 +	\$9.91
Milayni Mullen	3 +	\$9.91
Lifeguard		
NAME	Years/Service	Wage
Sanaia Palmquist	3rd year	\$9.00
Benny Bolen	3rd year	\$9.00
Rylee Powell	2nd year	\$8.50
Hadyn Bieling	1st year	\$8.25
Myles Gant	1st year	\$8.25
Karly Goodell	1st year	\$8.25
Jenna Blosser	1st year	\$8.25
Allison Hower	1st year	\$8.25
Gavin Mills	1st year	\$8.25
Hailey Hewitt	1st year	\$8.25