WESTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OFFICIAL MINUTES SPECIAL MEETING – FOREST SERVICE LAND MANAGEMENT PLAN SCOPING COMMENT LETTER DISCUSSION

February 2, 2024

The special meeting of the Weston County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Don Taylor at 9:00 a.m. at the Weston County Courthouse. Commissioners Garrett Borton, Vera Huber and Clerk Becky Hadlock were present. Dru Bower with Dru Consulting joined via phone. Commissioner Huber led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Board of Commissioners and Ms. Bower discussed the Forest Service Land Management Plan Direction for Old-Growth Forest Conditions Across the National Forest System – Notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement. Vice-Chairman Borton was concerned that the Counties had not been asked to participate. Ms. Bower let him know that the letter addressed this.

Vice-Chairman Borton moved to approve the Chairman's signature on the Forest Service Land Management Plan Direction for Old-Growth Forest Conditions Across the Nation Forest System – Notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement; seconded by Commissioner Huber. Carried.

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at 9:18 a.m.

Don Taylor Chairman

Attest: Becky Hadlock

Weston County Clerk