

Resolution 2020-003

A resolution authorizing the combination of the Planning & Zoning and Economic Development departments in Jefferson County.

WHEREAS, this Board believes it is in the best interest of the County to combine the Planning & Zoning and Economic Development departments into a Community Development Office, and

WHEREAS, action was taken in the January 13, 2020 Commission meeting to combine the departments. *Excerpt from 1/13/2020 minutes: The Board discussed the consolidation of the Planning & Zoning and Economic Development departments. Lynn moved that the consolidation be approved. Wayne seconded. All voted in favor of the motion and*

WHEREAS, the action was taken in an effort to better assist the communities of Jefferson County, Kansas. The Community Development office is intended to provide policy guidance, economic betterment, and to balance the needs of each community while helping to enhance the overall quality of life of current and future residents of Jefferson County, Kansas. It provides for several elements including, but not limited to; Land Use, Community and Rural Planning, Economic Prosperity, Services, Safety, Recreation, Conservation, and Housing.

WHEREAS, the consolidation of the offices is to take place upon the January 13, 2020 motion.

NOW BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT, on this 24th day of February, 2020 the offices of Planning & Zoning and Economic Development shall be combined and hereafter know as the Community Development office. Each function will continue to exist and be known as a division within the new department.

Dated this 24th day of February, 2020.

Board of County Commissioners

absent
Lynn Luck, Chair

[Redacted Signature]

Wayne Ledbetter, Member

[Redacted Signature]
Richard Malm, Vice-Chair

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Attest: Linda M Buttron Jefferson County Clerk

