

West Coke County Hospital District Board meeting minutes told

by Pat Stephens
 The Board of Directors of the West Coke County Hospital District met for the first Budget Hearing August 27, 2019. President Pat Stephens called the meeting to order at 9:30 am and declared a quorum was present. Board members present were Pat Carwile, Noel Tinkler and Beverly Burdett, and Robert Brock. Houston McGuire, RLCC Administrator, Chris Martin, Consultant, and Janie Munoz, BOM, were also present at the meeting. The invocation was given by Pat Stephens. The Board adjourned to go into regular session at 10 am. There were no visitors.

There were no absent Board members absent from the previous meeting, and the minutes from that meeting were approved.

Houston gave the administrator's report as follows. There are 37 residents in the Care Center with one admission pending, as of the meeting date.

Accounts receivable were reviewed and discussed, and the DSO for the month is 49.

The facility passed the State survey with flying colors last month, and there were very few plans of correction to be done. The Board offers sincere

congratulations to Houston and all the staff for a job well done. The surveyors were very complimentary of the facility and the competent, loving care given to the residents.

The outpatient therapy has been a big success at the facility, and has been utilized by many local residents, including myself, after knee replacement surgery last year. It was wonderful not to have to drive back and forth to San Angelo in order to receive skilled physical therapy.

The Board gave Houston approval to do some cosmetic upgrades to the portion of the facility not affected by the remodel several years ago.

Employee insurance was discussed and tabled pending more information. It will be addressed again at the next meeting.

Quotes are being taken to upgrade or replace the camera system at the facility.

The financial statements were discussed and accepted.

Future agenda items were discussed.

Following a delicious meal at the facility, the Board adjourned. The second Budget Hearing will be held September 10, at 9:30 am, and the next regular Board meeting will be September 24, at 9:30 am. The public is invited



Look Who's New!

Riley and Lynsey Coalson are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Charlee Dawn Coalson. Charlee was born on July 22, 2019, at 5:35 pm at Shannon Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds and 6 ounces and was 20.25 inches long. Proud siblings include Sayde and Kelton Coalson. Paternal grandparents are Wayne and Shaye Coalson of Bronte and maternal grandparents are Rusty and Sherri Reagan of Big Spring. Great-grandparents include Dennie and Sharon Braswell of Bronte, Floyd Blackburn of Bronte, the late Charlotte Blackburn, and Jesse and Elaine Ensor of Wingate.



to attend.

Getting into the September calendar, everyone is looking forward to leaving the 'Dog Days' of summer behind, and having some cooler weather. The residents celebrated Labor Day with their daily exercises that morning and a movie, complete with popcorn, that afternoon. The evening of Friday, September 13, will be exciting and entertaining as Rough Creek, a local band, will be playing at the facility at 6:30 pm. The monthly birthday party, sponsored by First United Methodist Church, will be held at 3:30 pm on September 17. Gussie Schneider is the lone celebrant this month, so here's wishing Gussie a wonderful birthday! The monthly Sing-Along, led by Roger Alexander,

will be held at 3:30 pm on September 19. Everyone is invited to come, sing along, and enjoy the fun. There will be a September Fiesta at 3:30 pm on September 20. I'm not really sure what all that includes, but anything wrapped around the word 'fiesta' sounds like a lot of

fun! The resident council meeting will be held at 3 pm on September 24, and Jim Gross will be entertaining at the facility on the September 27 at 3:30 pm. There will be a Midwest Playday at 10 am on September 28 to round out the month of September. Happy Fall, Y'all!!!

RLISD Board Meeting minutes

The Robert Lee ISD Board of Trustees met in regular session on Thursday, August 15, 2019, at 5 pm, at Robert Lee ISD.

Members present were Wes Washam, Tom Sawyer, George Grim, Beverly Sinclair, and Jeffie Roberts. Members absent were Erin Oleksiuk and Irma Torres.

The meeting was called to order at 5 pm by President Washam with a quorum of members present.

Invocation and pledge led by Wes Washam.

Jeffie Roberts made a motion to approve the minutes of July 18, July 30, and August 1, 2019, and was seconded by George Grim. All were for.

Tom Sawyer made a motion to approve the financial reports as presented by Robin Allen and to approve the bills.

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