Great Game Huddle Notes

January 2, 2018

Angie Crews opened the meeting.

Character First: Wisdom, presented by Angela Waller

- Seek Understanding
- Ask For Advice
- Apply What You Learn

The difference between knowledge and wisdom: knowledge is knowing the facts, wisdom is living those facts out.

Asking for advice does not take power away. Be humble enough to ask questions.

A smart person learns from their own mistakes. A wise person learns from someone else's mistakes.

Take your experience and learn from it. Move ahead or go another direction.

Don't be a "know it all". "People don't care what you know until they know that you care." Theodore Roosevelt

Commissioner Corner: Harold Bengsch, Associate Commissioner was present

The budget is almost ready.

Sales Tax Election Audit:

- It has been reported that the State Auditor has said she will conduct the audit at no charge to Greene County. Per Commissioner Bengsch, no such offer has been made to the County Commission, it has only been reported to the News-Leader.
- It is the opinion of (2) general attorneys that the audit cannot be completed free of charge.
- The County Clerk and IS departments have gathered a massive amount of emails for the News-Leader.
- The Commission is waiting for report back on whether the audit can truly be completed free of charge by the State Auditor.
- The question is *who* will do the audit, not *if* the audit will be done.

Kansas Extension Corridor:

- Project of Divisional Interest (PODI)
- This is the first road project of this scale to be done by a local public agency.
- o The Federal Highway Administration will have oversight on everything.
- This could cause a later completion date and more cost.