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TOPEKA, KANSAS

Present were Randy Riveland, Terry Humprey, Brian Love, Joanna Hankins, Bruce McMillan, Tom Orazem, Frank Burnam, Brad Austin, and Scott Heidner.

It was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of the August 8, 2019 partnering committee meeting. Motion carried.

It was moved and seconded to appoint Brad Austin as Chair and Bruce McMillan as Vice-Chair for the Committee for 2020. Motion carried.

Riveland and Burnam gave an OFPM update. There is a space utilization study being done on all 9 campuses. He and Barb will present at the upcoming Kan-Struct conference. They are exploring options to deal with the Docking State Office Building. They are also exploring locations for construction of a laboratory.

Love gave an OSFM update. Several leaders from the agency will attend Kan-Struct and speak to the attendees. Their adoption of 2018 codes is almost complete. They submitted an economic impact study, which turned out well. There is only one other state whose current adopted code is older than the one currently used by Kansas.

Austin gave a Kan-Struct conference update. He handed out an agenda for the meeting and encouraged folks to consider attending.

Humphrey gave an AIA update. Thursday they have their statewide advocacy summit, and she invited all to attend. NCARB is helping create a group to educate about the value of licensure.

Heidner gave an ACEC Kansas update. They recently completed another Emerging Leaders Program. They have an upcoming Water Quality Conference in partnership with KSPE and several state agencies. They have been visiting with KU's public policy program about opportunities to train officials about procurement and QBS.

Heidner and Humphrey gave a legislative update. There are several professional licensure bills being considered this year. A new transportation plan is likely to be considered this year.

Heidner visited with the Board of Regents, they are having a staff change in key positions and may be interested in rejoining the committee.

It was agreed the next meeting would be March 25 at the ACEC KS office.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.