

League of Women Voters of Pullman Observer Report

Name of Agency: Whitman County Board of Commissioners Date: Feb. 7, 2022
Observer Reporting: Mary Collins Length of Meeting: 10:15am until 11 am
Members Present: Commissioners Largent, Swannack, and Handy
Members Absent: _____
Others Present (e.g., media, public): 13 others including reporters, department heads and other unknown individuals.

Business pertaining to League Positions or topics of interest:

The meeting was very short. A number of administrative actions were done.

The **Treasurer gave a report** and noted that they were preparing several property tax refunds for businesses in Pullman whose business/property values were impacted by Covid.

ARPA (American Recovery Plan Act/Covid) funds allocated for non-profits were awarded at 50% of full requests.

Public works reported that they are sending notices to all of the towns about **restrictions to people living full time in RV's**. Waivers were allowed for emergency circumstances (such as the Malden fire) but RV's do not meet the safety requirements to be full time residences.

Process & Protocol: The meeting was on Zoom and live but most people participated by Zoom. Everyone was very cordial.